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RUN DOWN BY THE CARS

Four Instantly Killed at a Crossing in Elmira.

A FIFTH ONE FATALLY INJURED.

Two Men, Their Wives, and a Young Woman Drive in front of an Express—The Engineer Knew Nothing of the Accident—Fatal Wreck in Arkansas.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Dec. 1.—One of the worst accidents that have ever occurred in this city took place shortly after 11 o'clock last night.

Wm. Conklin and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blanchard and Margaret Pett of Southport Corners, several miles south of the city, came to town yesterday. At about 11 o'clock last night they prepared to return to their home. The five got in a wagon drawn by one horse. While crossing Pennsylvania avenue an express train westbound crashed into the rig, instantly killing four of the occupants and probably fatally injuring the fifth.

The engineer did not know of the accident until he reached the depot over a mile away. Upon examining his engine, he discovered a ghastly sight. Edward Blanchard and his wife and Margaret Pett were piled in a heap on the pilot of the engine.

The bodies were removed to a convenient place and the coroner notified. While the bodies were being removed word came that another corpse lay beside the track near the Pennsylvania avenue crossing and that a man lay dying near there.

He proved to be Wm. Conklin. Deep mystery surrounds the affair.

If Conklin dies or does not recover consciousness before his death it will never be known how he came to cross the tracks in front of an express train.

The railroad and municipal officials are now looking into the matter.

FATAL WRECK IN ARKANSAS.

Passengers Hurled Down an Embankment—Two, at Least, Will Die.

ARKANSAS CITY, Ark., Dec. 1.—The northbound Missouri Pacific passenger train leaving here at 12:45 p. m. yesterday jumped the track about one and a half miles from this city.

The baggage car and two coaches left the track.

The coach next to the baggage car rolled down an embankment about 20 feet high and rolled over, a total wreck, injuring 12 or 15 passengers.

Three colored men, names unknown, were cut and bruised considerably. Two were sent to the Missouri Pacific hospital at St. Louis and are considered fatally hurt.

Several others received some scratches.

The cause of the wreck is supposed to be the giving way of ties, allowing the rails to spread. The engineer of the train was P. J. Robinson.

The northbound train from Monroe, La., to Little Rock, Ark., backed down 12 miles from McGhee and took passengers, baggage, mail, and express to Little Rock.

DR. BRIGGS' CASE.

The Prosecuting Committee Gains an Important Point.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The prosecuting committee in the Presbyterian heresy trial gained an important point at a critical point in the proceedings of yesterday.

The order of the day was the consideration of the formal demurrer of Dr. Briggs to the six remaining charges, the two most essential charges, four and seven, having been stricken out Tuesday by Dr. Briggs' friends after a long and bitter fight.

The attempt was made still further to weaken the case by striking out the last paragraph which specifies what was offered in evidence by the trial. The attempt failed after the hottest fight ever experienced in Presbytery and by a vote of 70 to 68.

On the vote the ministers were tied, and the elders' vote decided the question. Several conversions from Briggs to anti-Briggs were noted in the vote.

Satisfactory Test of Armor Plate.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 1.—Commodore Folger of the Navy Department tested $300,000 worth of Harveyized armor plate to be used for the Maine's fore and aft barbettes. The test took place at the Bethlehem Iron company's proving grounds and was entirely satisfactory.

Order of Solon to Begin Anew.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 1.—"There will be no 'whitewash' of the charges against the Supreme Lodge of the Order of Solon. A new set of officers will be elected and the institution will begin a new life after the present conclave passes into history." The above statement is made by a prominent member of the order.

Steamer Starin All Right.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 1.—The missing steamer John H. Starin, about which some anxiety has been felt in New York, arrived here at 9 a. m. The captain reports that owing to the snow storm and the heavy seas he had considered it prudent to anchor in the Sound off Fort Schuyler.

New York Constitutional Convention.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The February election for delegates to the Constitutional Convention is the subject of very little gossip among the politicians. There appears to be a growing sentiment in favor of having the Legislature postpone the election until next November.

Dr. Graves' Case.

DENVER, Dec. 1.—The argument in the Graves murder case will be heard on Monday. The application for a new trial is based on the admission of certain testimony at the time of the hearing of the lower court and the instructions of the court itself.

Attempted Murder and Suicide.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—It has developed that the asphyxiation of Mrs. Carrie Richardson and her 8-year-old daughter, was a case of attempted murder and suicide by the mother. Mrs. Richardson has long been despondent.

Mr. Blaine's Condition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—It is stated at Mr. Blaine's house that Mr. Blaine is making satisfactory progress and will probably recover his usual health in a short time.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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ANOTHER EXPRESS PACKAGE OPENED

And This Time the Sum of $25,000 Is Extracted.

GALVESTON, Tex., Dec. 1.—The sensation caused by the discovery of brown paper in a package delivered by the Wells Fargo Express company to the Island City Savings Bank, when the endorsements showed that the parcel should have contained $10,000 in currency, shipped by the banking house of Kountze Brothers of New York, was increased when it became known that the banking house of Ball, Hutchings & Co. had been victimized to the extent of $25,000 in a similar way yesterday morning.

Among the money packages received by this last named banking house was one purporting to contain $25,000, shipped by the National City Bank of New York. This package was not opened until after banking hours when the cashier, upon cutting it open, was astounded to see bundles of common brown wrapping paper, cut to the size of bank bills, tumble out on his desk.

The fact that the two banks received their packages from different institutions in New York made it certain that the robbery was perpetrated after the packages had been delivered to the express company by the New York shippers.

Gen. Supt. Christeson, of the Wells Fargo company, and his assistant, Taft, have arrived to look into the matter.

They decline to talk beyond the bare acknowledgment of the robbery, and it is impossible to ascertain if they have any clue as to the point on the line where the robbery was committed.

COAL COMBINE INVESTIGATION.

Congressional Committee Resumes the Inquiry at New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The sub-Committee of the Congressional Inter-State Commerce Committee resumed its inquiry here into the coal combine at 11 o'clock.

Thomas Shedford, a coal dealer, testified that business in coal was not as good as it had been, and promised to give the committee a statement of prices he has paid to wholesalers for several years. When he was asked if he could go shopping for coal as advantageously as in previous years he replied in the negative.

Thomas Torrey, the sales agent of the Delaware & Hudson Canal Company was sworn and testified that all its coal was shipped over the Erie Railroad.

Mr. Torrey admitted that the coal producers naturally had a common interest in the largest possible output and highest prices, subject to the limitations produced by the public demand.

Congressman Patterson then took hold of the witness and tried to pin him down to something definite in regard to the actual purpose and intent of the monthly meetings of the agents.

Mr. Torrey, however, would admit nothing which would imply that the agents had anything whatever to do with the price or output of coal.

HOMESTEAD AFFAIRS.

Discussing the Advisability of Declaring the Strike on Again.

HOMESTEAD, Dec. 1.—The Amalgamated Association members of Homestead held a meeting last night to vote on the advisability of declaring the strike ac the Carnegie mills on again. So few men have been taken back that the members think they should call their brethren out again even if the strike is lost and put the brand "blacksheep" on the Homestead mill.

About 400 men have been taken back since the strike was declared off and most of these were laborers.

Another meeting will be held to-night and definite action will be taken.

Burgess Hollingshead has called a meeting of citizens for to-night to investigate the destitution in the borough and arrange to distribute contributions to the needy.

DIPHTHERIA LAID TO THE SEWER.

Plainfield's Health Board May Sue a Wealthy Resident.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Dec. 1.—The local Health Board is considering the advisability of proceeding against D. N. Greendyke, a wealthy resident, who, it is alleged, has maintained a nuisance and menace to health by emptying his sewage into Green Brook stream.

The stream runs through the fashionable portion of the town and it is claimed that the recent appearance of diphtheria was due to the exposed sewage.

War Against Vice in Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 1.—Mayor Gourley has ordered the enforcement of the ordinances of the city against the houses of ill-repute, and directing that they be closed. The heads of the different departments were duly notified, and a two days' notice is being served upon the proprietors of the houses. This action is due to the continued pressure brought to bear upon the mayor by the United Presbyterian Ministerial association and their sympathizers.

Jersey Central Preparing for a Strike.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 1.—It is reported here that the New Jersey Central railway is putting long-distance telephones along the whole length of the road from Jersey City to Phillipsburg and beyond, with a view to discontinuing its telegraph system, so far as possible, in case of a strike. The telegraph employes at this end of the line refuse to say whether they intend to strike or not.

Prospect of a Railroad Strike.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 1.—There is a prospect of a strike of telegraphers and, perhaps, of firemen and engineers on the Georgia Central railroad system as a result of the ignoring by Gen.-Supt. Wadley of the requests of the committee representing the three organizations of railroad employes.

THE PANAMA SWINDLE

Startling Disclosures in the Investigation.

THE PARIS PRESS SUBSIDIZED.

Evidence Showing That Nearly Every Editor in the Capital Has Been Bribed by the Canal Promoters—Gross Mismanagement of the Company's Funds.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—The Parliamentary commission of inquiry into the Panama canal frauds has summoned two expert accountants to give evidence. Accountant Elory excused himself on the plea of professional duties. Accountant Rossignol, however, appeared, and he made the first sensational revelations of the investigation.

He said that a system of newspaper subsidies in connection with the canal enterprise was long under his personal observation. The beneficiaries of the system comprehended most of the Paris editors.

Whenever new loans were to be floated or derogatory rumors were to be written down large sums were paid out to secure the most favorable notices from the newspapers.

He had not full knowledge of all the transactions between editors and promotors, but he knew positively of certain journals which were subsidized whenever any new boom was required by the canal people.

Every time a new loan was to be placed the "Petit Journal," he said, received 100,000 francs, the "Figaro" 80,000, the "Telegraphe" 150,000, the "Debats" 25,000, the "Matin" 50,000, and the "Gaulois" 50,000.

These were the amounts paid in ordinary emergencies.

When any exceptionally great move was contemplated, the subsidies were increased. Thus, when the lottery bonds were floated, the above-mentioned sums were doubled.

In his general statement of the company's affairs M. Rossignol said that up to 1888 one millard of francs had been spent. Of this sum, 600,000,000 had been sunk on the Isthmus, 100,000,000 had been used on the management, and 300,000,000 went for advertising, subsidies and legitimate and illegitimate means of booming the enterprise. Heavy commissions were paid to the Credit Lyonnais and others effecting the issues of loans. A million and a quarter were paid out without having been entered in an itemized account. The general heading was "Various Disbursements" and it was also evidence of careless bookkeeping.

M. Rossignol said that the company had labored under great pressure from America, and that men at the Isthmus "literally held the knife at its throat." Threats were made to arm 3,000 workmen on the canal and seize and hold all the plant unless more money was forthcoming.

M. Rossignol did not seem to feel any sympathy with the feelings which his statements roused in the commissioners, but told his story with apparent nonchalance.

MR. CLEVELAND SUED.

A Virginia Lawyer Serves a Summons on the President-elect.

RICHMOND, Dec. 1.—Unless President-elect Cleveland can find some way to safely disregard the summons of the Chancery Court of Richmond, he will have to appear before that tribunal at 11 o'clock next Monday morning to answer a bill of complaint filed by Willis B. Smith, a young lawyer of this city.

The summons was served on Mr. Cleveland at Broadwater Island, last evening by Sheriff Jarvis of Northampton county.

Smith's suit was instituted eighteen months ago. He claims $5,000 damage for alleged breach of contract for his professional services in the matter of the Virginia debt. Mr. Cleveland was chairman of the Advisory Committee. Among other members were ex-Secretary Bayard and ex-Minister E. J. Phelps.

NOW ROBBING CORPSES.

The Chicago Thieves Have Begun Operations in the Morgue.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—The thieves who are infesting Chicago have begun to rob the corpses in the city morgue.

Tuesday night they entered the office of that institution and carried off a big clock.

Yesterday they got into the place where the bodies are kept and took a pair of trousers off the corpse of a negro, who committed suicide two days ago.

They also took the shoes off the feet of another corpse, and carried away a large amount of clothing which had been taken from the bodies of the unknown dead, and which was kept for the purpose of possible identification.

There is no clue to the thieves.

Found His Body in a Swamp.

LOWVILLE, N. Y., Dec. 1.—The remains of Robert Jones, one of the publishers of the Lowville "Times," who mysteriously disappeared Aug. 19, were found yesterday in a swamp near North Stockton, St. Lawrence county, by a boy who was hunting rabbits. Mr. Jones left home while suffering from mental aberration. He was 37 years old.

Change in the Spanish Cabinet.

MADRID, Dec. 1.—Senor Danvilla has succeeded Senor Silvela in the Ministry of the Interior. The change is but an expedient for patching up temporarily the difficulties of the Cabinet, which, it is generally believed, is on the verge of dissolution.

FOSTER TO FITCH.

Correspondence Over the Examination of John I. Davenport.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Secretary of the Treasury Foster has sent a letter to Congressman Fitch, of New York, chairman of the committee investigating the workings of the Federal Election laws. It is part of the correspondence that has been in progress for some days over the examination of the accounts of Chief Supervisor John I. Davenport, of New York.

The Secretary says that he does not desire to continue the correspondence now that they quite understand each other on the law in question. He takes it that Mr. Fitch is satisfied that he has a right to appear in court when Mr. Davenport presents his accounts and resist their allowance if any illegal charges are made therein against the United States.

Also, that Mr. Fitch is equally well satisfied that under the ruling of the Supreme Court, in the Jones case, there is at least a serious doubt about the right of the Treasury Department to review such accounts after they have been allowed by the Circuit Court, except in case of clear and unequivocal mistakes.

"Under such circumstances," says the Secretary, "I respectfully submit it is part of prudence and wisdom to resort to the courts in the first instance. If, after the hearing, you shall be of the opinion that further inquiry is demanded, or required to protect the United States, I will listen with great pleasure to any suggestions you may see fit to make looking to that end and to the end that any further relief that shall be in my power may be granted."

LOTH FOUND GUILTY.

Verdict of Murder, First Degree, Against the Schenectady Murderer.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Dec. 1.—The trial of Cornel Loth, charged with the brutal murder of Mrs. Etta Demacsek in this city on June 14, was concluded at a special term of the Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday afternoon. Five witnesses positively identified Loth as the man they saw running from the Demacsek house after the murder.

Loth, notwithstanding the fact that he had previously made confession of the crime, took the stand and stoutly denied his guilt. He admitted that the husband of the murdered woman had asked him to kill her, and had paid him money in anticipation of his doing so, but he did not do it.

He said the dead was committed by a man named Leichman, who lived in New York, but who had since fled to Hungary. The case was submitted to the jury at 3 p. m., and at 3:35 they returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree.

Sentence will be passed to-morrow.

MRS. DELONG'S ACQUITTAL.

Scene of Great Excitement in the Court When the Verdict Was Announced.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Dec. 1.—The jury in the DeLong murder case brought in a verdict of "not guilty."

The case was one of great interest. In October Mrs. DeLong found her husband with a woman of low character. A quarrel ensued which led up to the shooting. The plea put in by the defense was insanity and self-defense.

The scene in the court room when the verdict was announced was one of great excitement. The prisoner was sobbing, but when the verdict was given the room was filled with cheers and hurrahs, the clapping of hands and the stamping of feet. The prisoner raised her hands and implored God's blessing upon the jury.

HALLINGER BREAKS DOWN.

Death Certain, as Lawyer Peshall's Last Effort Has Been a Failure.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 1.—Edward Hallinger, the negro murderer, who has been sentenced three times to be hanged and escaped by the shrewd practices of Lawyer Peshall, has completely broken down under the certainty that he is to be executed at an early day.

Nearly all of last night the ex-preacher occupied his time in reading the Bible, kneeling by his bedside in silent prayer, and in weeping.

This morning he was in a very nervous condition, and partook of only a sparing breakfast.

Suicide of a Water Company's Treasurer.

HOULTON, Me., Dec. 1.—James Frank Holland killed himself in his stable yesterday by shooting. He had been somewhat deranged since last July, when he was thrown from a buggy by a runaway horse, striking on his head. He was 47 years old, secretary and treasurer of the Houlton water company, and a large holder of the company's stock.

Green Goods Man Caught.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The police have captured a clever green goods swindler and seized a number of green goods circulars as well as a number of letters from men and women in all parts of the country, who had been swindled by the prisoner. The man gave the name of M. A. Wilson, and the Coleman Hotel on the Bowery, as his residence.

The Committee Reached No Conclusion.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 1.—The special committee chosen by the conference to consider the plans of Alfred de Rothschild, Adolph Spetbeer, and Moritz Levy for the rehabilitation of silver has closed its work without coming to any definite conclusion. The report drawn up by M. Raffalovitch, Russian delegate, will be read to-morrow.

She Threw Pepper into His Eyes.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 1.—Charles Saunders made an insulting remark to his sister, Mrs. George Gieger, in her husband's saloon last night. She threw a quantity of pepper into his eyes injuring his sight. He was sent to the German Hospital for treatment.

Notorious Desperado Shot.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Dec. 1.—Oliver Yantiss, a notorious desperado, was shot and fatally wounded by officers, 20 miles north of here, yesterday. He was one of the three men who robbed the bank at Spearville, Kan., several weeks ago.

Jay Gould Rumors Again.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—A report was current on Wall street yesterday afternoon that Jay Gould was dying. A subsequent rumor had it that he was dead. The market was slightly affected. The rumors were not generally believed.

Influenza Raging in Berlin.

BERLIN, Dec. 1.—The influenza has reappeared here. There are many cases and several of them are exceptionally severe.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Members of the Next Congress Assembling Slowly.

DEMANDS FOR AN EXTRA SESSION.

Pension Commissioner Raum's Annual Report—An Estimated Deficiency for the Present Fiscal Year of Over Ten Million Dollars—Fairchild for Secretary of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Senators and Representatives are arriving slowly, and, although Congress convenes next Monday, hardly one-third of the members of the National Legislature are here. However, everything is being put in readiness at the Capitol.

The big white pile at the end of the avenue has been thoroughly overhauled during the recess. The Senate chamber and the hall of the House of Representatives have been improved wherever defects needed remedy.

Some decided changes have been made in the hitherto very defective ventilation of both buildings, and it is hoped that the improved plumbing of the vast marble structure on Capitol Hill will hereafter give less cause for complaint.

It is noticeable that most of the Southerners and friends of Speaker Crisp are loud in their demands for an extra session, while the older members from the other sections prefer to learn how near is the threatened deficit in the Treasury before they declare themselves on the extra session question.

The first day of the new session will be devoted to the reading of the President's message, provided Mr. Harrison can finish it in time. The Senate will be brought face to face at once with the Anti-Option bill, and there is much speculation as to its fate. The first week of Congress, however, will not be productive of much work.

PENSION COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

Estimated Deficiency for Present Fiscal Year $10,508,621.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The annual report of Gen. Green B. Raum, commissioner of pensions, shows that there were on the pension rolls June 30, 1892, 876,068 pensioners, an increase during the year of 199,908.

There were added to the rolls during the year 222,987 new pensioners and 2,477 pensioners previously dropped were restored to the lists. During the year 25,306 persons were dropped from the rolls.

The total amount expended for pensions during the fiscal year was $129,053,613.

For the present fiscal year $144,956,000 is appropriated, and, taking the cost of the pension allowances during the first four months of this fiscal year as a basis of calculation, the Commissioner estimates that a deficiency appropriation of $10,508,621 will be necessary to supplement this year's appropriation.

An estimate of $165,000,000 is submitted for the next fiscal year, but Commissioner Raum says that it as many allowances of pensions shall be made during the fiscal year to come as during the fiscal year ended June 30 last this amount will not be large enough.

He says, however, that it is difficult to forecast pension payments so far in advance and that as Congress will be in session, no embarrassment will arise if his successor, in the light of actual cost of the work for the first six months of the next year, finds that a further appropriation will be needed.

Under the Dependent and Disability pension act 920,957 claims have been filed of which number 403,859 have been allowed. The pension payments under the law up to Sept. 30, 1892, amounted to $75,494,443.

The Commissioner heartily commends this Disability law.

Fairchild for Secretary of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The rumor that Charles S. Fairchild will accept his old portfolio, Secretary of the Treasury, is gaining currency here every day.

Bland Denounces the Rothschild Plan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Congressman Bland denounces the Rothschild proposition as a villainous scheme to demoralize silver.

War Vessel for the West Indies.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The Navy Department, it is said, has decided to keep a man-of-war permanently in the West Indies.

WRECK OF A JAPANESE CRUISER.

All of Her Crew, Numbering 275 Men, Reported Lost.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Information has been received at the Maritime Exchange that the Japanese cruiser Sheshibarukan collided with the British steamer Ravenna in the Island Sea, and was sunk.

The Japanese cruiser was bound from France to Japan, and all of her crew, numbering 275, are reported lost.

A Stage Driver Attacked.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Dec. 1.—Edward Johnson, who drives the stage between this city and South River, was making his last trip to New Brunswick when he was set upon by two men and stabbed in the hand. His assailants then fled. Johnson feels certain that the men intended to rob him, as he always carried considerable money with him on his trip.

Not in Canada, But in an Asylum.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 1.—B. F. Rynd, the Allegheny lumber merchant, who recently failed for the sum of $100,000, and who is charged with having committed forgeries amounting to $50,000, has not fled to Canada, as has been asserted, but is confined in a asylum, suffering from paresis.

Registration in Boston.

BOSTON, Dec. 3.—Registration for the municipal election in Boston has closed. The names of about 600 men and nearly 1,000 women have been added to the list. This is a gain of about 4,000 over last year's registration.

Minister Egan's Plans.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Patrick Egan, Minister to Chili, who returned to New York Monday from Nebraska, left for Washington this morning. He will return next week and remain until Dec. 10, when he will sail for his post in Chili.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Friday: For New Jersey, Fair; Northwesterly Winds, Becoming Variable; Slightly Cooler Friday Morning.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Musin to-night.

—It took 20 years of agitation to put through the North Broadway project.

—Annie Louise Tanner and Inez Parmater will sing this evening in the Musin concert.

—Harper has a great stock of Christmas toys in bewildering variety, at his store, 75 Park avenue.

—Musin makes his last bow to Plainfield to-night. He has been engaged for a six years' tour around the world.

—Fine Christmas gifts are to found at Reynolds's pharmacy, including Japanese goods at prices lower than Vantine's.

—Mr. Watson denies that Mrs. Ferguson, who was fined yesterday for selling liquor without a license, is a scapegoat for him.

—Eduard Scharf, that most enjoyable of all solo pianists, will play Kowalski's Hungarian March at Music Hall, this evening.

—The hot coffee dispensed from Leggett's soda counter is unsurpassed. He has the best of everything you want in the line of winter drinks.

—East Front street in front of J. B. Coward's and the First Presbyterian church is being torn up preparatory to macadamization from curb to curb.

—Those popular Broadway grocers, Neuman Bros., have a specialty that all housekeepers will welcome—delicious Formosa Oolong tea at 50 cents a pound.

—The Loyal Temperance Legion will be opened to-morrow at 4 in the W. C. T. U rooms, corner of Broadway and Fourth street. Girls and boys are invited to be present.

—The Somerset street sheet Tuesday night distinguished itself by invading the privacy of medical books and devoting considerable space to vulgar details of advice to women. Nice reading for the family circle!

—The Reading Railroad company has given out the contract for the extension of the block signal system from Bound Brook to Philadelphia, and as soon as possible this automatic system will cover the entire Reading system.

—The milk-cart editor of the *Courier* has been getting in his fine work, and makes the important announcement that "within two hours thirty-seven milk wagons passed the corner of Front and Somerset streets yesterday morning."

—The startling statement is made by the *Courier* that "On account of his rapidly increasing business, Dr. Edward Bushmore has been obliged to lease from M. Quinn the vacant lot at the corner of East Fourth and Sycamore streets."

—A new departure is to be made in the matter of selecting seats for the concerts of the Choral society. The subscribers are requested to meet at Music Hall, Wednesday evening, Dec. 7, at 8, and take their choice upon presentation of the treasurer's order.

—New Yorkers who read the *Courier* editor's fake story of the terrible goings-on of the Plainfield colored people over the supposed coming of the comet, are asking what kind of fool negroes there are in Plainfield. It is n't fool negroes, dear New Yorkers, but only fool paper.

—For $300 Peter Wooden has transferred to Truman W. Bilyeu and George W. Winans, land in North Plainfield. For $1 Alexander Kenney has transferred other North Plainfield land to Mary A. Kenney. Sarah M. Sandford has made a like transfer to Joseph W. and Wm. M. Sandford.

—The large audience present at Music Hall, last evening, experienced the same discomfort that happens at all the Ragan lectures. The turning off of the large chandelier, footlights and all the gas burners in the house, creates a draft that brings in off the stage an amount of cold air that cannot be heated. Everybody enjoyed the lecture, however, in spite of the atmosphere.

—"What is the earth? How thick is the crust of the earth? Of what is it composed? Is the earth round or flat? If round, how do you know? How is an eclipse caused?" Hear the above questions answered by Mr. Smith, science teacher in the High school, and witness his experience and lantern slides, at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening. The admission will be free to all men.

—The practical science talks given by Franklin S. Smith of the High School at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last winter were so much enjoyed by the young men of Plainfield that he has been prevailed on to give a series of four talks during the winter on subjects in which he is a specialist. The first of these talks will be about "The Earth", and will be illustrated by specimens, experiments and by lantern slides. All young men should go to the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening to hear and see. The admission will be free.

—The New York League of Unitarian and other Christian women will meet Friday, at 11 a. m., at the Second Unitarian church, Brooklyn, corner of Clinton and Congress streets. The subject will be "Radicalism". "What is a Radical?" "Is Radicalism confined to any particular denomination?" and "Morals of religious transition" are papers to be read by Mrs. Celia P. Woolley of Chicago and Miss Marion Libby, to be followed by a discussion. All women are invited. A number will attend from Plainfield.

I have been troubled with catarrh for 10 years and have tried a number of remedies, but got no relief until I purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. I consider it the most reliable preparation for catarrh and cold in the head.—George E. Crandall, P. M., Quonochawntaug, Rhode Island.

"A God-send is Ely's Cream Balm. I had catarrh for three years. Two or three times a week my nose would bleed. I thought the sores would never heal. Your Balm has cured me."—Mrs. M. A. Jackson, Portsmouth, N. H.

WILLIAM ARCHIBALD CODDINGTON.

He's the Man for City Judge—Cast Your Vote for Him.

The office of the city judgeship is something that belongs to the people, and not to politics. The man to fill that office should be a representative of the people, and not a politician of any stamp. In the present campaign there are two candidates. The one, John Ulrich, nominated by the Republicans, is a professional politician. He has for ten years been making a living out of politics, and is devoting his entire career to search for political office and political reward. A man hampered by partisanship is not the man to mete out justice fairly and impartially. William A. Coddington, the people's candidate, is a young man unfettered by political ties. He is not a politician. He is talented, honest, capable, well versed in law, gifted with wisdom and guided by integrity of heart, sincerity of purpose, and purity of conscience to do right to all fellow-men. As city judge he would be a most impartial official, and could be relied on to do justice to all who should be brought before him. What is wanted in Plainfield is a city judge whose qualifications and administration will make the office famous as a tribunal of sterling probity and unerring equity. Such a man is Mr. Coddington. Of the candidates now before the voters of the city, there is but one choice. The selection should by a large majority be the young man of the people, William A. Coddington.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

A merry party made gay the residence of ex-councilman and Mrs. Buckle, Westervelt avenue, Tuesday evening.

The Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist church, will be given a reception this evening in the church at 8.

George H. Newton has the sympathy of the community in the loss of his wife Mary, who died yesterday in her thirty-second year.

Miss Eleanor T. Morrison, of North Plainfield, will furnish the entertainment at the New Brunswick Boat club fair Monday evening.

John P. Emmons represents North Plainfield on the list of petit jurors just drawn by sheriff Dilts for the December term of the Somerset courts.

Mrs. W. H. Lyon, jr., of 9 College place, is at Kensico, N. Y., attending the funeral to-day of her father, the late John R. Sherwood, who died at the age of 74

Heavy affliction has come to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Olssen, in the death of their daughter Mary, who was carried away by diphtheria in her fifteenth year.

The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First Baptist church will hold a fair Dec. 5 and 6, in the old Roome homestead on Washington avenue. It will be an elaborate affair.

Mrs. L. A. Dunn, of Fairhaven, Wash., started for Plainfield on Sunday last. She is expected to arrive in this city on Monday next. She comes to visit relatives and friends during the holidays.

The *Coast Echo*, published at Belmar, says in its notes about Avon-by-the-Sea: "Mrs. Bunting, of Plainfield, is building a very pretty cottage at the corner of Fourth and Sylvan avenues. Oscar Teale, of New York, is the architect."

"Only", the famous one-eyed mail-car dog that travels all over the country, got on the Jersey Central yesterday and enjoyed a ride to Plainfield from Jersey City. After a short visit to the Crescent City he boarded the cars again and went to Easton. He had trouble in getting a tag for further transportation from that place, and in disgust returned to Jersey City.

The donation party which was held last evening at the home of Israel Coon, Union Village, was a complete success, about seventy-five persons being present. The women prepared supper for all, which was excellent. The pastor of the church, the Rev. Mr. Vanderhoff, received a very nice sum as a token of appreciation. This is a yearly event, and is looked forward to with considerable interest.

A GEM OF A LECTURE.

Mr. Ragan Tells of the Most Delightful Haunts of Nature's Wonderland.

Those who heard Mr. Ragan lecture in Music Hall last evening were entertained and instructed in a most delightful way. The gems of poetry, romance and history gathered by the lecturer in his travels through the Hudson river, Lake George and Adirondack region, and especially his study of the great Arnold treason were treated in charming manner and choicest and most elegant diction. The illuminated illustrations were unusually fine. In the language of Leather-stocking, one got a beautiful glimpse of "All creation". The favorite haunts of Irving, of Cooper, of Willis, and of other famous lovers of the sublime poetry of nature, were all gracefully depicted. The loveliness of America's rarest and fairest garden spots (and that, said the lecturer, meant the world's rarest) was fully impressed on the auditors. The intense interest awakened will no doubt bring out a very large attendance at the final lecture on "The Treasures of the Rockies", Saturday night.

Dr. Lewis on Gambling.

In the Trinity Reformed church at 7:30 p. m. next Sunday the Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis will repeat his sermon to young men on "Gambling".

Experience of an Ex-Champion.

Athletes and men who take ordinary outdoor exercise such as walking, running bicycle riding, jumping, swimming, tennis, etc., are often the subjects of acute troubles. The experience of an ex-champion walker will be of interest to all who are afflicted. Harry Brooks writes:

NEW YORK, April 2, 1886.

"Numerous statements relative to the merits of different plasters having been brought to my attention, I take this opportunity to state that I have used ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS for over twenty years and prefer them to any other kind. I would furthermore state that I was very sick with catarrh of the kidneys and attribute my recovery entirely to ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS.

THE CITY CLERK TALKS BACK.

He Says Mr. Lanphear Did n't Grasp the Situation—Not Mr. Runyon's Business to Chase All Over the City to Prevent Mistakes.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I wish to use a portion of your columns to correct the statement made by Mr. Lanphear in his communication of yesterday that I told him or Mr. Lunger at any time that the temperance petitions were "all right". I passed no judgment upon them whatever until they were examined by the corporation counsel and myself Saturday afternoon at 4 At that time all the certificates and petitions were carefully examined, and the following were found to be incorrect or irregular:

The Republican city convention certificate; the Republican Third Ward primary certificate; the Republican Fourth Ward primary certificate, and the temperance petitions. Later in the evening the City Democratic convention certificate was presented for filing, and also the Democratic Fourth Ward primary certificate. Both of these failed to comply with the law in any particular.

By advice of the corporation counsel I communicated immediately with the proper primary officers and petitioners regarding the irregular documents. A letter was mailed to Mr. Lanphear at 6 Saturday night notifying him that the petitions were irregular. Mr. Lanphear is a Seventh-day Baptist, and I was assured got his mail every Sunday morning. That he failed to respond in time to file correct petitions certainly cannot be charged to the account of the city clerk. The various primary officers responded promptly with corrected certificates.

Mr. Lanphear tells you that he came to me for instructions, which is true. I answered all his questions and sincerely tried to direct him aright in the preparation of his petitions. That he failed to grasp the situation and to understand what should be done certainly cannot be laid at my door. It is within the province of the city clerk to correct mistakes, not to chase all over the city to prevent people from making them.

It is not usual to parade before the public in detail the business of any one of the city offices. It seems necessary to do so in this case, however, to prove to Mr. Lanphear that other people made as many mistakes as he and his friends did. The only difference, however, was that the city Democrats and Republicans were quicker and more prompt in correcting the errors which were so vital.

F. W. RUNYON,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N J., Dec. 1, 1892

A GRAND LIST.

The Remarkable Array of Musical Attractions Spread Before Plainfield's People.

For the benefit of those who patronize the various musical enterprises of this city, a correct list of dates on which the concerts are to be given, is as follows:

Ovide Musin in Music Hall, this evening.

Anton Seidl and his Metropolitan orchestra of 100, a choir of twenty-four women, and numerous vocal soloists, in Music Hall, Saturday evening, December 10.

Choral society in Music Hall, Thursday, December 20; Thursday, February 13; Thursday, May 4.

Melopoia society in the Casino, Tuesday, December 6: Thursday, February 9; Tuesday, April 18.

Philharmonic club in the Casino, Thursday, December 22; Thursday, January 26; Tuesday, February 14.

CHASED A WOMAN AT NIGHT.

Strange Man Caught With Designs on Mrs. Duffy's Purse.

Mrs. Duffy of the boulevard complained to policeman Flanagan last night that a strange man was following her. He had slunk in her shadow along Plainfield avenue and South Second street. The officer arrested him. The name he gave, and that on a pawn ticket found in his pocket was H. Darsh. At first he spoke good English, but later said he understood only German. Officer Cooney therefore acted as interpreter. The fellow is held to await the return of judge Codington from a rabbit-hunting trip. He is supposed to have been after Mrs. Duffy's money. She carried a pocket-book in her hand.

The Animus of Its Attack.

Fred. Staab, who runs a shooting gallery, sharply criticizes the editor of the *Courier*. Staab had occasion to rebuke and eject Charles Wilson from his place for reckless handling of a gun. He told the *Courier* editor about it, and says that that worthy went ahead and printed the story just the opposite. Wilson was intoxicated, he claims, and it was to save people from getting shot that he fired Wilson out. He says that Wilson wilfully aimed a waded and cocked gun at the bystanders, a second time after he told him not to. Staab says that the *Courier* continually attacks and misrepresents him because he refuses them patronage and does his own printing.

—A new basso appears at the Musin concert this evening.

*A prompt re*turn of your money, if you get neither benefit nor cure. Risky terms for the doctor, but safe and sure for the patient. Everything to gain, nothing to lose. There's just one medicine of its class that's sold on these conditions—just one that *could* be—Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It's a peculiar way to sell it—but it's a *peculiar* medicine. It's the *guaranteed* remedy for all Blood, Skin and Scalp Diseases, from a common blotch or eruption to the worst Scrofula. It cleanses, purifies and enriches the blood, and cures Salt-rheum, Tetter, Eczema, Erysipelas, and all manner of blood-taints, from whatever cause. It costs you nothing if it doesn't help you. The only question is, whether you want to be helped.

"Golden Medical Discovery" is the cheapest blood-purifier sold, through druggists, because you only pay for the good you get.

Can you ask more?

The "Discovery" acts equally well all the year round. Made by the World's Dispensary Medical Association, at 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Nik Naks For Christmas Presents.

AT REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY,

From ten cents up into the dollars. Fine Handkerchief Essences and Colognes in plain vials or in elegant cut-glass bottles, single or by the pair; Sachet Powders in fancy packets or by weight; Toilet and Manicure Sets; Combs and Brushes; also a choice selection of Japanese Trinkets, for every use, for every age; "trifles light as air." Prices are lower than Vantines.

Reynolds's Pharmacy, Corner Park and North Avenues.

STILLMAN MUSIC HALL,

J. A. DEMAREST, SOLE LESSEE AND MANAGER.

OVIDE MUSIN

Last Appearance of

OVIDE MUSIN,

And His Incomparable Company of

Concert Artists,

TO-NIGHT,

Previous to their departure for a grand tour of the world.

Reserved Seats 50 and 75 cts.

Seats on sale at Central Pharmacy Nov. 28.

Christmas Souvenirs.

The largest assortment of new and beautiful Souvenirs, suitable for the Holidays that has ever been shown in Plainfield is now displayed at Edsall's.

Our advertising space is inadequate to give a list of articles, and therefore we invite everybody to call and see for themselves. Many who have seen them say that the prices are lower than in New York. Every department is brimfull of elegant new goods, and prices were never lower than now. Don't go to New York to shop for you can do just as well at

EDSALL'S.

Shoes. Shoes.

Comfort and health can both be secured by wearing the

Alfred Dolge All-wool Felt Slippers

We consider them by far the best on the market, being sewed by hand they are easy to the foot. The newest and neatest foot covering for the house is the Romeo. Agents for Plainfield and vicinity.

DOANE & EDSALL.

The largest stock of Rubbers in the city.

CANDIES. Kuyler's CANDIES.

ALWAYS FRESH AT CENTRAL PHARMACY,

Front Street and Park Ave. 11 2 tf J. H. LEGGETT, Manager.

DEATHS.

NEWTON—In this city Nov. 30, 1892, Mary, wife of George H. Newton, aged 31 years, 1 month. Notice of funeral hereafter.

OLSSEN—In this city Nov. 30, 1892, of diphtheria, Mary McNeil, only child of Edward J. and Mary Slater Olssen, aged 14 years, 2 months and 21 days. Funeral private.

CRESCENT RINK,

COMMENCING

TUESDAY NIGHT, DEC. 6.

SKATING BICYCLING

The National Skate and Bicycle Syndicate will open the skating season on the above date and hold "Parties" every

Tuesday and Saturday,

During the winter excepting the week before Christmas, which is engaged for the Plainfield Band Fair.

Also bicycle assemblies and a school for riding will be opened on Thursdays, soon as the roads become unfit for good riding outside. Grand Xmas and New Year's skating festival Dec. 26, and January 2.

Prepare for the great spectacular carnival, the date of which will be announced later.

11 28 tf

Music Hall,

Friday Ev'g., Dec. 2.

Brinkley Brothers Spectacular Production

Of William Gill's Musical Extravaganza,

Our Goblins,

Interpreted by the following brilliant artists:

Mrs. George S. Knight,
Clara Lavine,
Annie Southerland,
Miss Annabel,
Richard F. Carroll,
William Bialsdell,
Oscar Girard and fifteen others.

Reserved Seats 35, 50, and 75c.

Seats now on sale at Central Pharmacy.

Walter Arnold Hudson,

BASSO,

Voice Culture, (Italian method). Instruction in Breathing, Tone Production and Artistic Singing.

Address, Hulett's Music Store, or Schirmer's, 35 Union Square, New York. 10 19 tf

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS and decorative plants at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 11 27 7

FOR SALE—Bay horse, 8 years old; sound and kind; one that a lady can drive. Can be seen on North avenue, first house east of Leland avenue. 11 30 tf

FOR SALE—For $65, good upright piano. Inquire Paff's hotel, Scotch Plains. 12 1 3

FIVE first-class collectors and salesmen wanted; steady position to right party. Apply The Sherman Outfitting Co., 49 and 51 West Front street.

WANTED—Boy to work in a drug store. Address M., care Press.

YOUNG man 18 wishes a situation; has some knowledge of drawing. Address H. W., care Press.

BAY horse, sound and kind; worth $100; will sell for $50. Apply 19 Muhlenburgh place. 12 1 6

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address K. & F., care Press.

WANTED—A young man as coachman and useful man; must have first-class personal reference. Inquire at once Mrs. A. B. Dyett, Belvidere avenue, Netherwood.

SITUATION wanted by a colored man lately come to this city; wants work to do. Please call at 177 East Sixth st.

4 OR 5 rooms to let on second floor. In 37 New street. 11 30 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework; references required. Apply 17 Myrtle avenue. 11 30 4

PLEASANT rooms, heated; with board; near station. Apply 74 Broadway. 11 29 5

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS pe 11 14tf.

WANTED—A girl for general housework; reference required. Apply 49 Putnam avenue. 11 29 2

TO LET—$9; 320 West 3d st. Inquire 37 Central avenue. 11 25 tf eod

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

APPLY to E C. Mulford for ticket World's Fair. 12 1 tf

TO LET—The large room vacated by the First Church of Christ; also one office in Vanderbeek's building, cor. Park and North aves. Apply on premises. 10 3 tf

Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Rugg, W. M.
D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

Sons of St. George—No Surrender Lodge, No. 349—Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month, at Sons of Temperance Hall cor. Front street and Park avenue. Englishmen and sons and grandsons of Englishmen are cordially invited to join. Chas. Burnes, President, Samuel Smith, Secretary. 8 31 y

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke. Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Easter Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
Samuel J. Moss, Chief Ranger.
Samuel H. Lunger, Fin. Sec. 8-12-y

The Dairy

Delicatessen and Lunch.

Foreign and Domestic Cheese, Preserves, Fruit Butters, &c.

M. C. LANING.

10-31eod2m 44 West Front street.

EDWIN B. MAYNARD,

Hair Cutting and Shampooing.

Tonsorial Parlor, 28 Park Ave., Plainfield, N. J. Ladies hair dressing and childrens hair cutting a specialty. 10 18 tf

Best Elgin Creamery Butter

28 Cents Per Pound

Fine Table Butter 24c. pound at

V. L. Frazee's, 25 West Front St.

Jones & Co., Excavators.

Cesspools and sinks thoroughly cleaned. Attention given to sanitary condition Buildings, cellars, etc, disinfected. All work done under experienced manager.
Telephone 29 JONES & CO.
Cesspools built. 9 15 y

Saving is Earning.

A few dollars' saving on each purchase of Clothing amounts to a good deal in the course of a year. We not only give you low prices; we also give you high quality.

Our Fall and Winter stock is just fresh from the looms, and made up in the best styles of suits, finely trimmed, and at prices from the lowest up.

Also complete lines of Men's, Boys' and Children's trousers.

And overcoats.

C. SCHEPFLIN & CO.,

70 West Front Street.

All Hands Are Raised in a Vote of Thanks to Peck

For the Most Excellent Variety of

DRESS TRIMMINGS

Now On Sale at His Store

P. M. DEMAREST,

Choice Groceries, Fruits & Vegetables

Headquarters for Butter.

8-8-tf

HOTEL GRENADA,

North Avenue.

Now open for the reception of guests, under the management of George and Wallace V. Miller. House has been thoroughly renovated and re-furnished throughout, and contains all improvements. First-class accommodations for families and the traveling public.

5-12-tf

White China for Decoration.

NEW LINES IN ALL OUR GOODS.

LAMPS, CHINA AND GLASSWARE.

AT GAVETT'S.

10-26-t

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BUY FURNITURE

Hastily and repent it when they have more time.

DO YOU?

Buy your Furniture of

POWLISON & JONES.

34 West Front St., Plainfield.

Upholstering, Repairing, Mattress Making.

Blankets, Quilts and Underwear

For Fall and Winter use, Oil Cloths and Carpets. Window Shades made and put up.

HOWARD A. POPE.

Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS. 5-16-y

MANUFACTURING AND REPAIRING A SPECIALTY

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Upholstering and Mattress Making a Specialty.

Garret Q. Packer,

23, 25 AND 27 PARK AVE.,

Plainfield, N. J.

6-4-y

NOW'S YOUR TIME TO SECURE BARGAINS

IN

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

All First-Class Instruments Represented.

F. M. HULETT,

74 West Front Street.

A Cold Snap

Is liable to appear any day. Are you prepared for it? Fix yourself up with Shoes and Rubbers at our place.

Sherwin's, 23 W. Front St.

Strictly cash and low prices for good wearing goods.

OYSTERS R GOOD NOW,

And the place to buy them is at

Rogers' Sea Food Market

42 WEST SECOND STREET. 9 16

Sebring's Large Stock of

Fall Overcoats.

$8, $10, $12, $15, and $20.

No 27 PARK AVENUE.

12-6-y

ONE MOMENT PLEASE,

Thanks, I knew it would interest you. Imperial Flour only $5.00 per bbl. And while you are interested I would call your attention to Canned and Dried Fruits of all kinds are in *now*, and the prices are low at

J. F. MacDONALD,

THE UP-TOWN GROCER.

46 and 48 EASTFRONT STREET. TELEPHONE No. 155. 1 18 tf

THE FIGHT OVER A WILL.

The Testator Bequeathed Over $100,000 to Educational, Religious and Charitable Institutions While Nothing Was Left to Many of His Relatives, Including Mrs. Bond of Plainfield.

It was stated in yesterday's PRESS that Emma Bond, wife of Theophilus Bond of this city, and cousin of Mrs. L. V. F. Randolph and of Mrs. Henry R. Halloway, is one of the contestants of the will of the late Daniel Price in Newark. She was left a small share of 880 acres of pine land in Michigan and $1,000 in cash, out of a fortune of $150,000. The bulk was bequeathed to religious and charitable institutions. Mrs. Bond and the other grandchildren who are heirs demand more. The will which is being contested is remarkable for the size and number of its bequests to educational, religious and charitable institutions. Daniel Price died on April 23 of this year, and his will was admitted to probate by the Surrogate on May 5, nobody objecting.

On August 5 a petition of appeal was filed in the Orphans' court, and on that the proceedings of to-day are founded.

The will provided that all the real and personal estate of the testator should go to his wife, Charity, but on her death, should she die intestate, it should be distributed as directed by him in the part of the will which followed. It turned out that she died while he was yet living.

The manner in which the distribution of the estate is provided for is as follows:

To Matthias Price, brother of the testator, all the latter's right and interest in the tool manufacturing business conducted by Matthias, which right and interest is set down as worth $5,000.

To Matthias Price as trustee, 880 acres of pine land in Marquette county, Mich., to be sold, and the proceeds divided equally among the children of his b. others William, David, Thompson and Henry.

To the College of Princeton for the establishment of a chair of Christian evidence and doctrine, $30,000. In case this donation should not be accepted by the College of Princeton, it is to go to the College of Liberia.

To the German Theological Seminary of Bloomfield, $10,000.

To the American Bible society, $10,000.

To the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, $10,000.

To the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, $5,000.

To the American Seamen's society, $5,000.

To the Presbyterian church extension fund, $5,000.

To the American Tract society, $5,000.

To the Presbyterian Board of Publication, Philadelphia, $5,000.

To the old Female Charitable society of Newark, $5,000.

As an endowment for Liberia College, $5,000.

To the Home for the Relief of Respectable Aged Women, Newark, $10,000.

To the children of his brothers William, David, Thompson and Henry, $1,000 each.

It is provided that should the estate not be sufficent for the payment of all these sums, the legacies to the College of Princeton, Old Ladies' Home and Bloomfield Seminary should be paid in full, and deductions made proportionately from the others, but if there should be an excess it is to be divided equally between the Princeton and Bloomfield institutions.

Nothing is left to Thompson and Henry Price, brothers of the testator, or to the children of Phœbe, his sister. The latter are Daniel P. Burnham, of Cincinnati, O.; Phœbe B. Taylor and Eliza Burnam, of Hartwell, O. The children of William, deceased, are Eliza M. Price and J. Wilbur Price, of Newark; Sarah W. Porter, of Bordentown, and Mary L. Fowler, of Allentown, Pa. The children of David, deceased, are Charles C. Price, of Brooklyn; Mary A. Hopkins, Jane C. Bruen, Thomas E. Price, Anna A. Gould and Adele E. Langstroth, of Newark; Emma Bond, of Plainfield; and David L. Price, of Boston.

The appellants are Henry and Thompson Price, brothers of the deceased; Charles C. Price, Thomas E. Price, D. Frank Price, J. Wilbur Price, Henry Price, James Price, William P. Price, nephews; and Emma Bond of Plainfield, Mary Hopkins, Emma Gould, James Bruen and Adele Langstroth, nieces.

McCarter, Williamson & McCarter appeared Tuesday for the will, and a number of lawyers from all parts of the State for the various legatees. The case was opened and was immediately adjourned to January 10.

Most of the parties of the suit are well-known in this city.

A Spectacular Production at Music Hall.

"Our Goblins" will be the attraction at Music Hall to-morrow evening. The company embraces some of the best talent on the musical stage, among whom are Mrs. George S. Knight, who everybody knows; Richard F. Carroll, late of the New York Casino; William Blaisdell, late principal comedian of the Pauline Hall Opera company; Miss Annie Southerland, Miss Clara Lavine and Oscar Girard. "Our Goblins" is the oldest and best of all the extravaganzas.

In the years that have past, many of the most prominent stars of the present day have been seen in the play, among them being Francis Wilson, Henry E. Dixey, and Digby Bell. The organization embraces eighteen people and carry its own scenery and paraphernalia used in the production.

The old reliable remedy for cough, cold, croup and sore throat, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, should be kept in every home.

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GREAT SPEED ON THE CENTRAL.

The World's Record for Fast Flying Made by the Famous 385.

On Friday, November 18, engine 385, of the Central New Jersey, the Vauclain four-cylinder compound which several months ago made a record of 91 miles an hour, traveled a mile in 37 seconds and two consecutive miles in 75 seconds, thus beating its own record as well as all others. This was done with a regular train of four cars, going east, between Fanwood and Westfield, the grade being 32 feet per mile, descending. On the same trip a distance of five miles was traversed in 3 minutes, 25 seconds, thus making the best record for that distance (87.8 miles an hour). This was between Somerton and Parkland, Pa., on the Reading, which is the same portion of the road where so much fast running has been done heretofore. The grade here is partly descending at 11 and at 37 ft. per mile, and partly level. This engine, No. 385, has been a frequent source of attraction at the Plainfield station. It has four 78-in. driving wheels, weighs 62 tons, 44 1-5 tons on the drivers. The time was taken by a reporter of the Philadelphia *Public Ledger* who was on the engine, and is vouched for by Mr. Vauclain, who also was in the cab. The following particulars are given in the *Public Ledger's* account:

The Central has five of these engines. They were built at the Baldwin Locomotive works and are the invention of S. M. Vauclain, superintendent of the works. An exact counterpart, No. 1,510, is running two-hour trains between New York and Philadelphia (on the Pennsylvania). There was no preparation whatever made for the test. The rain poured in torrents, and only ceased half an hour before the time of leaving Ninth and Green streets, which was 5:15 p. m. The train was made up of a combination car, two day coaches and a Pullman car.

The engineer was Henry Beck, who has been running fast express trains for ten years, and who made the record with 385, and the fireman David Blake. Road Foreman of Engines John Hogan was on the train. The indicator showed 180 pounds boiler pressure. Between Tabor and Jenkintown the grade is for a short distance up hill seventy-eight feet to the mile, but the speed was terrific, five miles of the distance being covered in four minutes.

Between Somerton and Parkland, a distance of five miles, the longest time for a mile was 42 seconds, the first mile being run in 42, the second in 41, the two following miles in 40, and the last in 42 seconds. The speed was remarkable, and was between 86 to 90 miles an hour. The five miles were made in 205 seconds, which broke all records for a five-mile run.

After passing Neshaminy all previous records were broken, and 385 reduced her own unsurpassed run of thirty-nine and a quarter seconds for a mile to thirty-nine seconds. Plainfield was reached three minutes late. The mile post was just beyond, and the chronograph in the grasp of the reporter snapped as the pressure was applied, and the long split second hand started around the dial. To describe the speed is impossible. There was the sensation of being whirled through space, and nothing but the roar of the wind and the train as it sped on. It was this mile that was covered in less time than was ever traveled in, and when the next mile post shot by the time on the dial was thirty-seven seconds. The train flew on with unabated speed and the chronograph was snapped as the next mile post was passed. The time for the two miles was exactly seventy-five seconds. This made the greatest record for one and two miles, as the performance between Jenkintown and Langhorne did for five miles. The rest of the run was uneventful.

Heavy Sunday Coal Traffic Through Plainfield.

On Saturday night and Sunday last the Philadelphia and Reading moved sixty-five coal trains from the mines in the Schuylkill region down their main line through Plainfield to tidewater. Each of the trains averaged 60 gondola cars, or in all 3,900. Each car carried an average of 28 tons, making a total of 109,200 tons, for each ton of which the company gets $1.90 main line tolls, or in all $207,480, which the purchaser pays. In addition, there is a charge of thirty cents per ton for lateral tolls, or, in all, $37,200, which the operator pays. The railroad therefore earned a grand total for the day's traffic of nearly a quarter of a million of dollars. This was in addition to the regular passenger and freight business. The above refers only to the main line proper, and does not represent any profit in the mining and sales department which is additional to freight receipts.

This immense traffic represented the clearing up of the blockaded sidings of the main line and branches, and is the biggest day's movement of coal in the history of the road.

Guinee Thinks It Isn't Fair.

Hackman Daniel Guinee says that for Dennis Kilbride to bring suit against him for $5,000 damages for the street fight of months ago, is a most unjust proceeding. He points out the fact that in the city court Kilbride was fined as well as he. Guinee claims to have been the attacking person. Craig A. Marsh is said to be Kilbride's counsel.

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SILLY AND A GROSS LIBEL.

That's What Griswold Harte Says of the Courier's Malicious Charge Against Him.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—My attention has just been called to a story of more than the usual absurdity printed in the *Courier* of Nov. 4 in which it appears that the editor of that paper has made use of my name as a cloak with which to cover the rascality of one of his employes in connection with the arrest of William and Elizabeth Schorb for selling liquor without a license.

As to the sin or sins of that employe I have nothing to say.

I do wish to say, however, that at the time the story I speak of was printed in the *Courier* its editor personally knew that any attempt to make the readers of his paper believe that I had any knowledge directly or indirectly of the charges against the man Schorb and his wife would be libel of the grossest and silliest kind.

I wish to say further that the editor of the *Courier* personally knew that I was living in the city of Brooklyn at the time he allowed the story I complain of to appear in his paper and that my chances of seeing it or of having an opportunity to reply to the same were about one in a million.

I think the public at large will agree with me, that as an exhibition of silly cowardice the little one-act farce of the editor of the *Courier* furnishes an instructive and highly interesting example.

GRISWOLD HARTE.

JERSEY'S OFFICIAL RETURNS.

The Governor Promptly Signs Judge Werts's Certificate.

Snow, slush and wind kept a great many politicians away from the Capitol at Trenton, Tuesday. By 11 o'clock, however, there were enough representatives from all sections of the State in the corridors of the State House to give a casual observer an intimation of active preparations for the incoming of a new Governor and a new Legislature.

Gov. Abbett was among the early arrivals. He greeted his friends with a warmth and cheerfulness which seemed to denote that he was rather glad his term is drawing to a close.

The Governor soon joined the State Board of Canvassers. All the members of the Board were present when it convened to canvass the returns of the late election. This occupied about three hours. At the conclusion the Governor declared George T. Werts his successor, and signed that gentleman's certificate of election before he did anything else. The certificates of the Congressmen and Assemblymen were also signed and sealed.

The returns for Presidential electors and Governor show the following pluralities:

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

Counties.	Cleveland.	Harrison.
Atlantic	—	328
Bergen	844	—
Burlington	—	154
Camden	—	904
Cape May	—	169
Cumberland	—	791
Essex	1,131	—
Gloucester	—	221
Hudson	8,929	—
Hunterdon	1,672	—
Mercer	—	448
Middlesex	1,800	—
Monmouth	1,338	—
Morris	107	—
Ocean	—	1,049
Passaic	—	536
Salem	85	—
Somerset	96	—
Sussex	872	—
Union	771	—
Warren	2,019	—
Average plurality	19,664	4,690
Plurality	14,974	

FOR GOVERNOR.

	Werts.	Kean.
Atlantic	—	288
Bergen	693	—
Burlington	—	365
Camden	—	1,263
Cape May	—	80
Cumberland	—	938
Essex	—	1,186
Gloucester	—	307
Hudson	6,357	—
Hunterdon	1,384	—
Mercer	—	774
Middlesex	1,591	—
Monmouth	1,222	—
Morris	47	—
Ocean	—	1,038
Passaic	—	773
Salem	32	—
Somerset	55	—
Sussex	722	—
Union	615	—
Warren	1,919	—
Average plurality	14,637	7,012
Plurality	7,625	

The Prohibitionists received a total vote of 8,131; the Socialists, 1,327, and the People's, 969.

The pluralities for Congresemen are as follows:

First District—Laudenslager, 2,588; Second—Gardiner, 2,124; Third—Geissenhainer, 3,327; Fourth—Cornish, 1,039; Fifth—Cadmus, 1,462; Sixth—English, 1,367; Seventh—Fielder, 2,831 Eighth—Dunn, 966.

They Dumped the Jersey Citys

Bowler Sterret, of the Jersey City Athletic club, coaxed bowler King of the Crescent League to bring down a five-men team, last evening. Now Sterret wishes King had n't. This was the result:

CRESCENTS.		JERSEY CITYS.	
McIntyre	153	Huson	140
Stevens	125	Scudder	153
King, jr	116	Brokaw	160
Wood	192	King	148
VanAlstyne	170	Field	147
Petrie	170	Sterret	143
VanWinkle	180	Cordaer	157
	1106		1048

Bowling.

Last night's game on the Crescent League alleys resulted as follows:

Green	183	Barnes	134
Jones	152	Buckle	120
Emmons	98	Woolston, sr	143
Woolston, jr	130	G. Tobin	138
Leidy	143	Tobin	81
	700		619

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NO NEW WARDEN YET.

The Democratic Caucus of the Board of Freeholders Couldn't Agree.

ELIZABETH, Dec. 1.—The matter of appointing a successor to jail warden Charles W. Dodd was this afternoon laid over for a month. The Democratic members met in caucus, previous to the session of the board, and were unable to agree. Further deliberation was therefore decided on.

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NOTICE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1, 1892.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted at a special meeting of the directors of this Company, November 3, 1892.

RESOLVED, That in the judgment of this board it is advisable and most for the benefit of the Carolina Company that the same should be forthwith dissolved and to that end it is ordered that a meeting of the stockholders be held on Thursday, the 15th day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, at 10 a. m., at the office of the Company in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, to take action upon this resolution; and further, that the Secretary forthwith give notice of said meeting, and of the adoption of this resolution, with a notice of its adoption in the Plainfield Press, a newspaper published in Plainfield, N. J., for at least four weeks, once a week successively and by mailing a written or printed copy of the same to each and every stockholder of this Company in the United States. W. T. MINOR, Secretary.

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Union County Orphans' Court

On the application of Frederick J. Sauermann, administrator, etc., of Katharine Sauermann, deceased, for sale of land to pay debts. } Order to show cause

Frederick J. Sauermann, administrator, etc., of Katharine Sauermann, deceased, having exhibited to this Court under oath, a just and true account of the personal estate and debts of said deceased, whereby it appears that the personal estate of said deceased is sufficient to pay his debts, and requested the aid of the Court in the premises, it is, on this twenty-sixth day of October, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, ordered that all persons interested in the lands, tenements and real estate of said Katharine Sauermann, deceased, appear before the Court, at the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, on the fourth day of January next, at 10 a. m., to show cause why so much of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate of the said Katharine Sauermann, deceased, should not be sold as will be sufficient to pay his debts, or the residue thereof, as the case may require.

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The names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal

In cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

Fourth Tuesday In November Next

(the 22d), [illegible] from 2 o'clock p. m until o'clock p. m., longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration. JOHN JOHNSON, Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1, 1892. 10 6 tf oaw

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4.00, 6.00, 7.15, 7.45, 8.45, 9.10, 11.30, A. M., 1, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9.15, 10, 11.30 P. M., 12.15, 1, night. Sunday—4.30, 7.15, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2.15, 4, 5.30, 6, 7, 9.00, 10.00 P. M., 12.15 night.

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Leave Newark 6.18, 7.18, 7.50, 8.55, 10.06, 11.36 A.M., 1.05, 1.55, 3.50, 5.35, 6.05, 4.53, 5.05, 5.36, 6.50, 6.20, 7.15, 7.35, 8.40, 10.05, 11.25 P. M. Sunday—7.20, 8.45, 9.50, 10.35, 11.45, A. M., 1.10, 2.36, 4.10, 5.40, 6.08, 7.20, 8.15, 10.00 P. M.

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7.10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9.17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12.27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1.39 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5.03 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5.20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

9.39 P. M. for Flemington.

6.38 P. M. for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8.20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5.45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8.28 a.m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 9.03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 9.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3.37 a. m. 1.02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.37, 8, 11.09, a. m. 1.02, 4.01, 5.57, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 8.52, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3.37, 5.38, 8, 11.09 a. m. 1.02, 4.01, 5.57, 7.08 p. m. Sunday—8.52, a. m. 3.30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3.37, 8, 11.09 a. m., 1.02, 4.01, 5.16 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5.45, 8.29, 9.48, 10.45, a. m., 1.59*, 3.04, 4.54*, 6.38*, 8.30, 9.37 p. m., 1.17, night. Sundays—9.48, 11.18 a. m., 2.38*, 5.14*, 6.55 p. m., 1.17, night.

For Trenton 5.15, 8.29, 9.42, 10.45, a. m., 12.27, 1.59, 3.04, 5.34, 6.25, 8.27 p. m., 1.17 night, Sunday—9.04, 11.18, a. m., 2.03, 5.14, 6.55 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9.48, a. m., 2.16, 4.13, 6.34* (6.38* Baltimore only) p. m. 1.17, night. Sundays—9.48 a. m., 2.16, 4.13, 5.14* (6.55 Baltimore only) p. m., 1.17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 8.30, 9.50, 11.08, a. m., 1.30, 2.15*, 4, 5.15, 6.15, 8.02, 8.46, p. m. 12.01, night.

Sundays—10.00, 10.50 a. m., 2.15*, 6.15, 6.10, 8*, p. m., 12.01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut 3.55, 8.20, 9.20, 11.18, a. m. 2.15*, 6.20, 8.18, 11.45, p. m. Sunday—3.55, 9.40, 3.15 a. m., 3.23*, 5.20, 8.18*, 11.46 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1.00, 1.55, 7.00, 9.02, 10.12, 11.59, a. m. 2.50, 4.08*, 4.40, 5.54, 6.59, 9.05, 10 p. m. Sunday—1.00, 4.55, 10.27, 11.56 a. m. 4.08*, 5.13, 7.07, 8.02* p. m.

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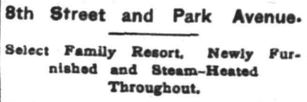

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July 15

If You Saw Your Own Wood

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If however, like thousands of other people, you have learned that you must "draw the line at lard," this is to remind you that there is a clean, delicate and healthful vegetable substitute, called

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A 25c. package will be sufficient to make four pints, which can either be served in dishes or from glasses.

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Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.

Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addreseing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

41 East Sixth Street.

9 19 6m

Carty & Stryker

Will open their new store with a full line of first-class

Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables,

CHEAP FOR CASH,

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GOULD AT DEATH'S DOOR

The Great Financier Cannot Long Survive.

RETICENCE AS TO HIS ILLNESS.

Believed, However, that He is Dying of Consumption—All His Family at the Bedside—Dr. Munn in Constant Attendance—No One Admitted to the House, Not Even Intimate Friends.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—"Mr. Gould is very low." That is the answer the butler gave to every one who called last night at the house of Jay Gould. There was a startling significance in that answer. During all of the attacks of illness which have troubled Mr. Gould for the last two years, the butler has invariably been instructed to deny that Mr. Gould was sick.

In the Stock Exchange it has often been rumored that Mr. Gould was consumptive; that he had been afflicted with heart disease; that he had been at death's door, and that he was dead. Every time the Gould stocks were attacked by the bears rumors of his death have been sent afloat by the industrious brokers.

This time, however, there is no question that the great financier is lying dangerously ill. Friends say the butler would not have received instructions to make the announcement of Mr. Gould's critical condition if there were any hopes of his recovery.

JAY GOULD.

ALL HIS FAMILY AT HOME.

The entire family was at the house, including the sons, George and Edwin, and their wives; Howard Gould, the youngest son, and Miss Helen Gould, who is herself said to be lying ill in another room.

Dr. John A. Munn, the family physician, was in constant attendance in the sick room yesterday and last night. Dr. James G. Janeway was also called in at noon, and the physicians held anxious consultations over the patient.

The greatest mystery surrounds the house. No one is admitted, not even the most intimate friends. Several who called succeeded in getting personal messages to George and Edwin, but only received answers that Mr. Gould was "very ill."

George Gould was at the office in the Western Union building all day yesterday. He looked haggard and careworn. He had been sitting up all night with his father.

It has been thought for two years that Mr. Gould would not live long. He has been troubled with neuralgia in the head and the concomitant insomnia. This trouble was aggravated by a nervous dyspepsia, which required dieting and constant watchfulness on the part of his physician, Dr. Munn.

BOTH INSTANTLY KILLED.

Two Runaway Cars Cause a Fatal Accident at Shenango, Pa.

GREENVILLE, Pa., Dec. 2.—At Shenango yesterday two freight cars broke loose on a steep grade and started toward the station at a terrific gait, having a clear piece of track two miles long to get headway on.

As they approached Shenango the switch engine there happened to be on the main track, and before the men in the cab could escape the cars were upon them with a crash and roar that was heard for miles.

James Dusley, engineer on the switch engine, and Charles McDowell, his fireman, were instantly killed.

The wreck of both engine and cars was complete.

Will Not Reopen the Strike.

HOMESTEAD, Dec. 2. — There is no truth in the report that the strike at the Carnegie mills will be reopened. The only matter taken into consideration at the meeting was that of providing relief for the families of the strikers who are in need of assistance.

A British Bark Ashore.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., Dec. 2.—The British bark Kate Harding, bound for Portland, Me., which went ashore here, lies well up on the beach, and is apparently uninjured. The northeast gale continues, and the sea is very rough.

Child Murder at Red Bank.

RED BANK, N. J., Dec. 2.—Josephine Hardgrove, a colored domestic, has been committed to the county jail for killing her new born babe. The girl is 21 years of age and came from Virginia about six months ago.

Mrs. Myer Sues for Divorce.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Annie L. Myer, wife of H. J. Myer and daughter of W. J. Lemp, the millionaire brewer, has filed a suit for divorce from her husband and asking the custody of their child.

His Body Blown to Atoms.

CENTRALIA, Pa., Dec. 2. — Anthony Welch, a miner employed at the Centralia colliry was blown to atoms by the premature explosion of a blast during the morning.

Newspaper Rumor Denied.

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 2.—There is no truth in the story that Harry Astor Carey, the nephew of the late J. J. Astor, has purchased the Newport "Herald."

Ex-Gov. Henry M. Hoyt Dead.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 2.—Ex-Governor Henry M. Hoyt is dead.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE YACHTS WILL RACE.

Lord Dunraven's Challenge Confirmed by the Royal Squadron.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—In a long cable despatch sent by Lord Dunraven from his country seat, Adare, in Ireland, he states that his challenge for the American Cup has been confirmed by the Royal Yacht Squadron of England, and that it should arrive in New York on Sunday next.

"My yacht," said he, "will be christened the Valkyrie. She will be 85 feet on the water line. She will be designed by G. L. Watson and built on the Clyde. Her custom house measurement will follow the challenge as soon as practicable.'

The conditions are, in brief, that the boat must win three out of five races, which shall be sailed over outside courses, and at least three of the races must be to windward or leeward and return.

If he wins he says that he will not refuse to accept a challenge under the deed of gift of 1887, which means that he accepts the new deed of gift.

This is good news for yachtsmen here, and many of them are expressing satisfaction to-day.

They feel sure there will be a race, and ex-Commodore Kane says it will be the biggest yaching event that has ever been seen in the world.

DIAZ'S INAUGURATION.

For the Fourth Time He is Installed as President of Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 2.—The fourth inauguration of Gen. Porfirio Diaz as President of Mexico took place yesterday amid great pomp in the Chamber of Deputies.

The houses were decorated and the streets crowded.

The constitutional oath was administered by the President of the Chamber, M. Chavero. After the ceremony President Diaz went to the palace, where he received congratulations for two hours.

The highest army officers presented him with an album containing their autographs. During the ceremony of inauguration cannon were fired and bands played in the streets.

STEAMER PERHAPS LOST.

A Surmise That It Traded Between New York and a German Port.

DUNDEE, Dec. 2.—A severe gale has been prevailing over Scotland since Sunday. Heavy snow storms are reported in the far north, accompanied by thunder and lightning.

A quantity of wreckage has drifted ashore at Ullapool and other places on the west coast. Among the wreckage are a number of bottles bearing the addresses of New York and German houses, and it is therefrom judged that a large steamer bound from a German port for New York has been lost.

SATOLLI'S PROPOSALS.

The Legate Asks Leave of the Pope to Publish Them.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Mgr. Satolli, the Papal Legate to the World's Fair, has cabled the Pope for permission to make public the educational propositions submitted by him to the Catholic Archbishops of America and their reply.

Bishop Keane, with whom the Legate is stopping, said that if published the document would be sufficient answer to the statement that the Archbishops had refused to agree to the proposals of Mgr. Satolli.

A BAD BANK FAILURE.

Threats of Depositors of the Collapsed Stone City Bank.

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 2.—The condition of the collapsed Stone City Bank and the Enterprise company looks more serious to-day.

Everything in sight has been attached. The many small depositors who responded to the advertisement of the bank for longtime deposit on interest are breathing all sorts of threats.

The father of the Fish brothers is almost crazed by the crash. He placed every confidence in his son George as a financier.

Exception Filed in Potter's Case.

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—Asa P. Potter, ex-president of the failed Maverick Bank, has filed exceptions to the rulings of Judge Putnam of the United States Circuit Court, who sustained eighteen counts of the indictment charging Potter with making false entries in the books. This brings the case before the United States Supreme Court on questions of law, but does not delay the trial of Potter, which occurs Jan. 24.

Charged With Attempted Murder.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 2.—Charles and Alonzo Roberts and Jack Harvey have been arrested at Talcville, St. Lawrence county, charged with attempted murder and riot. They were among the leaders in the attack which was made by miners on the shanties of Italians because the latter floated the flag of their nation above their homes.

Opera House Damaged by Fire.

NORWALK, Conn., Dec. 2.—Nichols Opera House in New Canaan, owned by G. Duff Nichols of New York, took fire from a defective flue yesterday afternoon and several thousand dollars damage was done.

Anthracite Mine Suspends.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 2.—Barnum mine at Pittston, one of the largest of the anthracite mines, has suspended operations indefinitely. Four hundred men are out of work.

Contribution to the Conscience Fund.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—A conscience contribution of $200 from New York has been received at the Treasury Department.

BUDDENSIEK IS FREE.

The Flimsy Building Contractor Released from Sing Sing.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Warden Brown, of Sing Sing prison, in reply to an inquiry from Recorder Smythe as to the conduct of Charles A. Buddensiek, who was sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in State prison and fined $500 in 1885 for building unsafe houses in this city, stated that the prisoner's conduct has been beyond reproach.

In consequence of this, the Recorder ordered that he be released, and remitted the $500 fine.

Buddensiek was a building contractor, and gained an unenviable reputation for erecting buildings in which the materials used were of the cheapest kind. A row of buildings in course of construction on West 60th street tumbled down during a storm, killing several men employed thereon.

Buddensiek was indicted for manslaughter, and his trial, conviction, and sentence quickly followed.

THE LAWRENCEVILLE STRIKE.

Prospect That It Will be Declared Off Pretty Soon.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 2.—Every indication points to the speedy settlement of the Lawrenceville strike. While some of the leaders talk about staying out all winter and longer, if necessary, it is positively known that a large portion of the men have made application for positions.

No less than 60 of the former employes are known to have made personal application within the past 48 hours, and it is the general impression that the strike will be declared off by to-morrow.

Yesterday 23 of the puddling furnaces at the 29th street mill were shut down. The furnaces, it is understood, are to be repaired.

CELEBRATED THE VICTORY.

Banquet of the Democratic Society of Jersey City.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 2.—The Democratic Society of New Jersey gave a reception and banquet at Taylor's hotel in Jersey City last night to celebrate the victory of Nov. 8.

There were 200 guests present.

Congressman George B. Fielder acted as toastmaster. Among the speakers were Gov.-elect Werts, Josiah Quincy, of Massachusetts; W. R. Grace, W. C. P. Breckinridge, and Col. R. J. Bright, of Indiana.

DEATH OF A HEROINE.

The Only Woman Who Carried the U. S. Flag in Battle During the Late War.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The only woman who carried the United States flag in battle during the late war is dead at the Garfield hospital, this city.

She was Mrs. Eliza E. Cutler, and at Fort Donelson, as her husband's regiment was fighting desperately, she appeared on the field, sword in hand, and bearing the regimental colors aloft, and remained on the field until ordered aboard a steamboat by the colonel.

BANK ROBBERS SENTENCED.

The Freehold, N. J., Desperadoes Get 10 Years Each.

FREEHOLD, N. J., Dec. 2.—Frederick Smith and James R. Morris, the two young bandits who robbed the Farmers' National bank at Allentown, pleaded guilty before Judge Conover, of this place.

Both prisoners pleaded for mercy, and said it was their first offense.

The court sentenced each of them to 10 years in the State prison at Trenton.

DIRECT ENTRY TO NEW YORK.

Purpose of the New England's Danbury Short Line.

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—New York & New England people admit that the proposed new line from Danbury, Conn., southwest to the State line is for a direct entrance to New York both for the New England and Boston & Maine roads.

Vote in Illinois.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 2.—The official vote of Illinois has been received and canvassed and the results can now be stated with absolute accuracy. The vote for President is as follows: Cleveland, 426,281; Harrison, 399,288; Bidwell, 25,870; Weaver, 22,207; Cleveland's plurality, 26,993. For Governor, Altgeld's plurality over Fifer is 22,838.

"Uncle Tom's" Cabin Off for Chicago.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 2.—A special train on the Texas & Pacific railroad yesterday removed from Chopin station the residence of "Uncle Tom," the hero of Harriet Beecher Stowe's novel, "Uncle Tom's Cabin." It will be taken to Chicago and put on exhibition.

She Put Three Burglars to Flight.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Mena Berger, while cleaning her husband's saloon, was suddenly confronted by three masked burglars. The gritty woman quickly pulled a revolver and commenced shooting. One of the trio was wounded, but all escaped.

Lasker's Magnificent Play.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 2. — Lasker played six games simultaneously against 14 of the best men the local club muster. These 14 were divided at the six boards, each having a leader. Lasker administered defeat to the lot in magnificent style.

Gov. Jones Inaugurated.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 2.—The inauguration of Thomas G. Jones to his second term as Governor of this State took place yesterday afternoon. Neither Kolb nor any of his supporters attempted in any way to disturb the proceedings.

THE PITTSBURG CRUSADE

Ministers Besieged by the Outcast Women.

TURNED OUT INTO THE STREETS

The Mayor, When Besought by the Unfortunates, Expresses His Sympathy—He Refers Them to the Churches—Good Advice All They Can Get.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 2.—Never before in the history of Pittsburg has there been such a sensation created as the present one, resulting from the order of the Mayor to the police officials to close all disorderly houses. More than one hundred women were in the City Hall yesterday afternoon endeavoring to get to the Mayor's office. They gave as the purpose of their visit a desire to learn from him what they shall do. He addressed them, saying:

"I am very sorry for you women. I sympathize with you from the bottom of my heart. I did not close you up for 32 months of my term for the reason that I did not think it would help this evil. When the ministers of the city, wives, mothers, sisters and brothers came to me to insist on the law being enforced, I had to issue the order.

"I take all the responsibility and I do not know what you can do. I have nothing to offer you. I think that Mr. Brown's order was too hasty. I do not believe in hurrying you out into the streets like dogs. Some consideration should be given and ten days would not be too long a time."

GOOD ADVICE ALL THEY CAN GET.

Good advice, the women claim, is all they can get. There are more than thirteen hundred of them thrown on the street.

Of all the charitable institutions in Allegheny county, with its half million inhabitants, only two could be found with their doors open to the outcasts of society. These are the House of the Good Shepherd, a Catholic Magdalene Protectory and the Bethesda Home for Fallen Women. The latter has accommodations for less than a dozen persons.

The women who have money enough to get away from town are losing no time in doing so. Scores are going East to Altoona, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Washington, Baltimore and New York. Dozens are penniless and cannot get away.

Many of the latter applied to the police Department to be sent to prison if necessary in order to get a shelter. The police refuse to take them.

STORMING THE MINISTERS.

They were sent to the ministers who are responsible for the new condition of affairs.

They stormed the house of Rev. McCrary, the leader of the movement. They begged, pleaded, fumed, and swore to the minister to do something toward finding them a place to lay their heads. He ordered them away, and applied to the police for protection against the applications of the women.

The crowd of crestfallen women retraced their steps down town, and put in their time wandering about the principal business thoroughfares, gazing wistfully at the goods displayed in the shop windows.

The time given to close up their houses and be out of them expires at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Nine-tenths of the proprietors have already moved out. They turned out their girls to shift for themselves.

Proposed Consolidation of Glass Dealers.

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—The union of the largest houses in Boston dealing in glass is proposed, the concerns interested being Hills, Turner & Co., Lambert Bros., and K. S. Herbert. The plan is said to contemplate the formation of a corporation under Massachusetts laws, with a capital of $600,000.

Fairchild and the Treasurership.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—In reference to the report that he had been offered the Secretaryship of the Treasury by Mr. Cleveland, Mr. Fairchild said that he had not now and never had the slightest reason to suppose that Mr. Cleveland wished him to take any position under his administration.

The South Dakota Grain Blockade.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. 2.—Reports from all points in the State indicate that the grain blockade is growing worse. There are at least 2,500,000 bushels of grain in elevators and in many places warehouses, vacant stores and even residences are filled.

Noted Rifle Shot Dead.

ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 2.—The information reaches here that Claude Daily, a noted rifle shot, who has been starring in Europe, after a four years' engagement with the Buffalo Bill company, has fallen a victim to cholera at Brussels.

To be Launched To-morrow.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—The giant whaleback steamship Christopher Columbus, which will be the largest vessel carrying passengers brtween this city and the World's Fair grounds, will be launched at Superior, Wis., to-morrow.

Held for Forging a Check.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 2.—Frank C. Anderson, of Fairhaven, arrested in Ansonia, charged with cashing a forged check for $50 at the clothing store of Meigs & Co., has been held to answer.

Senator Gibson Mightily Better.

HOT SPRINGS, Dec. 2.—Senator Gibson passed a bad night, but the watchers at his bedside report his condition as slightly better to-day. Fears for the worst, however still prevail.

Shot One Husband to Get Another.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 2.—Mrs. Fannie Adams has confessed that she murdered her husband on Nov. 22. She wanted to marry George Williams, who furnished the revolver.

Chicago University Gets $250,000.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Joseph Reynolds, widow of "Diamond" Reynolds, in carrying out a well-known wish of her husband, has presented Chicago University $250,000.

There Is Cholera in Brittany.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The Secretary of State has received a cable message from the United States Consul at Nantes, saying, "Cholera, Brittany."

A pure cream of tartar powder.

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Makes delicious hot breads for breakfast.

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THE BORDEN CASE.

Grand Jury Completes Work of Taking Testimony—A Vote Possible To-Day.

TAUNTON, Mass., Dec. 2.—The grand jury adjourned last evening until 9:30 a. m. this morning, and the general public knows no more about the Borden case than it did before.

It is learned, however, that no vote was taken on the matter in hand yesterday and will not be until the evidence becomes fully digested.

The whole afternoon was occupied in going fully over the evidence and the District-Attorney was called before the jury twice to clear up matters which seemed doubtful.

The grand jury called for the blood-spattered pillow shams and linen taken from the room where Mrs. Borden was slain, and these with the skulls of the two victims were once more submitted to inspection in the jury room.

Cooley Boys' Parents Arrested.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Dec. 2.—Old Lute Cooley and his wife, parents of the Cooley boys, have been arrested and are under bail on charges of receiving stolen goods. The members of the Cooley gang now in jail will be placed on trial next Monday. There are fifty-three separate informations against the gang.

Telegraphers Threaten to Strike.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Unless the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific and Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroads grant the demands of the telegraphers there will be a general strike on both roads. The indications are that neither road will comply.

Pennsylvania Swindlers in Jail.

VANDALIA, Ills., Dec. 2.—Joseph Ross and Joseph Craft, claiming to come from Armstrong, Pa., are in jail here for attempted swindling, with bogus checks drawn on a bank in Brookville, Pa.

Weight of the Souvenir Coin.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The Columbian half-dollar souvenir coin weighs 385 8-10 grains, of which 347 22-100 grains are silver and 38 58-100 grains are copper.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Anthracite coal has been discovered in Hamilton County, Ind.

—Congressman Dockery wants all the unnecessary Department employes dropped.

—Carpenters and woodworkers of Easton, Pa., have asked for a 9-hour day, after March 1.

—Mary Palmer has been appointed postmistress of Lonyes, N. Y., a fourth-class office.

—N. Hannan & Co., wholesale cheese and produce merchants, Montreal, have assigned. Liabilities $115,000.

—Gov. Pattison now has two Court Judge vacancies to fill, one in Blair county and the other in Lackawanna county.

—The Eleventh Ward Democratic Club of Reading, Pa., recommend the appointment of Mr. Harrity to a Cabinet portfolio.

—The lumber and grist mill owned by Frank and George Martin, in West Winterport, Me., was burned last evening. Loss $5,000.

—A company is incorporated at Baltimore, Md., with $100,000 capital, for the purpose of protecting its subscribers from losses by theft.

—A. C. Harding will be brought to Philadelphia from Wilmington, Del., to answer a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

—The gentlemen's furnishing goods jobbing house of Liebmann & Schloss, of Cincinnati, has assigned. Liabilities, $30,000; assets, $40,000.

—The wagon works of the Rossow Brothers manufacturing company, Chicago, were destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, $85,000; insurance, $65,000.

—While interfering in a quarrel between her father and mother, at Lomasville, Tenn., Nellie Manus, eleven years old, was shot and killed by her father.

—General Newton denies that he has been asked to resign either his position on the retired list of the army or as director of the Panama Railroad Company.

—Quarterly report of the Troy and Lansingburgh railroad shows a net income of $55,273. For the corresponding quarter in 1891 the income was $50,993.

—The funeral of the late Rev. Dr. J. W. Scott, father-in-law of President Harrison, is being held at Washington, Pa., to-day.

—The American Express company has taken charge of the express business over the New York & New England railroad. The business has been done for years by the Adams company.

Dynamite Smugglers Arrested.

VIENNA, Dec. 2.—A whole family has been arrested at Graslitz, Bohemia, for trying to smuggle dynamite cartridges into Austria.

German Military Bill.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Despatches from Berlin indicate that Chancellor Caprivi will secure a majority for the Military Bill.

Pugilist Hall Sails for New York.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—"Jim" Hall, the pugilist, sailed on the steamer Majestic for New York.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—"Our Goblins" at Music Hall to-night.

—There will be a special sale of nut brittle candy at Tier's to-morrow.

—Preparatory services in the Trinity Reformed church this evening at 8.

—The trial of the Schorbs for illegal liquor selling was to-day adjourned for two weeks.

—See Mrs. George Knight, Annie Southerland and Clara Lavine in "Our Goblins" this evening.

—The married men of the Park club will bowl the single men a match on the evening of the 17th inst.

—"Bargains" is the heading of the advertisement of the United Tea & Coffee Growers' association to-day.

—A huge revolving broom-roller on wheels, to sweep snow from the street-car tracks, has arrived in town.

—A fractious hay-carter's horse ran into a pole on Front street this morning, tearing off one-fourth of the load.

—The Union County Country club will bowl a regular match with the Park club on the latter's alleys, Monday evening next.

—The social meeting of the Epworth league of the M. E. church, to be held this evening, has been postponed for one week.

—"Treasures of the Rockies" is the title of the Ragan lecture to-morrow evening—the last but not the least of the course.

—"Fairy Life as Related to the Religious Life of the Nation" will be the theme of Dr. Lewis at the Seventh-day Baptist church to-morrow at 10:30.

—The Central New Jersey Land Improvement company has declared a dividend of $3 a share, payable at the Liberty National bank on December 9.

—A horse owned by Bird & Pope ran away with a wagon on Front street this morning. A man was knocked down, but not severely injured. Mr. Emmons's horse also indulged in a slight runaway.

—The 36th annual meeting of the Union County Bible society—of whose executive committee Dr. Richards and the Rev. Mr. Schenck of this city are members—will be held in St. John's Protestant Episcopal church, Elizabeth, Thursday evening of next week, at 7.

—The cultured audience present at Music Hall, last evening, intensely enjoyed, as usual, Ovide Musin and his company of concertists. He was repeatedly encored, as were also Mrs. Annie Louise Tanner, Pier Delasco and Eduard Scharf. The concert was a great success.

—In regard to a statement which recently appeared in this paper to the effect that the heirs of the estate of Job Male, deceased, were trying to locate a mortgage on some portion of the estate, THE PRESS is informed by one of the heirs that it is not so, as no attempt of the kind has been made or even thought of.

—The new cornet band known as "Our Citizens" will give their first annual ball at Saengerbund Hall Thursday evening, December 15. The music will be conducted by O'Reiley. The committee on arrangements will be E. F. Uren, W. Force, M. C. Sorenson, D. Uren, C. Hillman and C. Wallender. Frank Hand will be floor manager.

—"Our Goblins" at Music Hall, this evening, will be presented by Mrs. George S. Knight, who everybody knows, Richard F. Carroll, late of the New York Casino, William Blaisdell, late principal comedian of the Pauline Opera company, Miss Annie Southerland, Miss Clara Lavine and Oscar Girard. It is the oldest and best of all the extravaganzas. In the years that have past, many of the most prominent stars of the present day have been seen in the play, among them being Francis Wilson, Henry E Dixey and Digby Bell. The organization embraces 18 people and carries its own scenery and paraphernalia used in the production.

WILL THEY NEVER LEARN!

Another Victim to the Pernicious Mania of Jumping on Coal Cars.

Victims to the habit of stealing rides on moving trains, multiply. Michael Barry is the latest one. He attempted to catch on a train near the Church street flagman's station, at noon, and fell with his legs across the rail. Both legs were crushed a short distance below the knees. The lad did not lose consciousness, but when picked up by railroad men was able to talk to them. He was taken to Muhlenberg hospital, where amputation will have to be undergone.

Barry was a pin boy at the Crescent League bowling alleys. His parents live on West Third street.

Young Michael is 17 years of age. His father is James Barry.

Amputation of both legs just below the knee was performed at 3:15 this afternoon.

It is feared that Barry cannot survive the necessary operation. His pulse is very weak.

Selling off Job Male,s Property.

The personal property of the late Job Male will be sold at auction at Crescent avenue and First place, Dec. 7, at 2 p. m. The Schoonmaker cloisonne collection, owned by Mr. Male, will be sold at West Front and Grove street Dec. 8

Every voter is personally interested in the selection of City Judge. The people's candidate deserves the election. He is not a politician, but an upright citizen of probity and wisdom. His name is William A. Coddington. Vote for him. 4t

MORE OF THE CITY CLERK

THAT OFFICIAL STAYS OUT TOO LATE.

Candidate Noel's Messenger Waited Till Midnight on His Front Stoop for Him to Come Home—"He Cometh Not", He Said, So He Shoved the Message Under the Door—Even Then Noel Was Shut Off His Own Ticket by the Clerk—An Appeal to the Supreme Court.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I did not know until Sunday morning that the secretary or chairman of the primary had not seen to the proper disposition of the proceedings of the meeting. Then being ignorant as to the proper steps to be taken in the matter, I went to the city clerk's house and upon inquiry he told me to get *the chairman or one* of the officers to make a statement as to the nomination, etc., and make affidavit to the same. This on Monday morning I did, but upon investigation I found it necessary to have a regular form and affidavit of both chairman and secretary. The latter named being at business in New York, it was impossible for me to see him before night, and then he did not come in time to get any commissioner or justice of the peace to take his acknowledgment. Consequently, as it was pretty late, I sent a messenger boy at 10:30 to deliver the certificate to the city clerk or remain at his house until he come should he not be in, or if he did not come to serve the same by placing underneath the door before 12 o'clock. This he did at 11:30. But the city clerk refuses to print my name on the ticket. I went to Trenton to the Supreme Court Judge, who gave me a very favorable opinion, but as I have to go through considerable red tape, taking much time and expense, to obtain an order compelling my name to be printed, I concluded that I might not be able to have the same issued in time, consequently must let things take their natural course. C. J. NOEL.

SUIT AGAINST MASON TYLER.

His Carriage Knocked Down a Woman, and the Coachman Never Stopped to Help or Console the Victim.

Mrs. R. Dunham of Madison avenue and Fifth street, was knocked down on Park avenue, a night or two ago, by what she claims was careless fast driving. The carriage, she alleges, was that of Mason W. Tyler, with the coachman driving. The pole between the two horses struck her as she was crossing the street and hurled her violently to the ground. Only the stiffness and steel of her corsets, it is said, prevented her being impaled on the pole and horribly injured. As it was, she was seriously bruised and cut, and her clothes were ruined by mud. She had to be carried home. Mrs. Boice, who lives at the scene of the accident, picked her up.

Mrs. Dunham's husband is especially indignant because, he says, the driver never even stopped to look after his victim, but drove straight on as fast as ever. He says he will bring suit for damages.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bushnell will go to New York for the winter on Monday as is their usual custom.

Joseph W. Yates was one of the guests at the State Democratic society's banquet in Jersey City, last evening.

Miss Jennie E. Bradley, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Hopewell, returned home this week after a visit of three months in Connecticut.

"O ye everlasting hills! Buildings of God, not made with hands"; are what you'll travel through in company with Mr. Ragan, at Music Hall, to-morrow evening.

Charles B. Stephens of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, was yesterday notified by Adjutant General Grey of the G. A. R., of his appointment as aid upon Commander-in-chief Weissert's staff.

Miss Mamie Brown, daughter of ex-collector John B. Brown, gave a progressive euchre party at her home, 78 Park avenue, yesterday afternoon from 3 till 6. A supper was served to thirty-six.

Mrs. Sidney Whittemore, of "The Door of Hope", New York city, will deliver an address on "City Missions", in the Congregational church, West Seventh street, to-morrow afternoon at 1:45. All are welcome.

Halstead Compton, accompanied by his favorite setter dog and his breech-loading gun, sailed on the steamer *Wyandotte*, of the Old Dominion line, yesterday afternoon, for a month's hunting in Virginia and North Carolina.

Twelve of Plainfield's best known citizens enjoyed a bounteous supper served by that good host, Taylor, at his Dunellen hotel, last evening, in settlement of a bet lost on Harrison by a Front street merchant. The menu was complete, and speeches, songs and recitations helped swell out the evening until midnight.

Samuel D. Frazee was yesterday called upon to visit his sister, Mrs. Julia Morgan, who resides at Morris Heights, N.Y., and who is not expected to recover from the removal of a cancer from her side. This is the second operation she has endured from the same cause. Mrs Morgan has many friends and acquaintances in this city who will learn with regret of her misfortune. Her husband is the famous artist, William Morgan.

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KING'S DAUGHTERS ENTERTAIN.

A Charming Programme of Tableaux at Holy Cross Chapel.

An exceedingly pretty entertainment chiefly consisting of tableaux was given in Holy Cross chapel last evening by the King's Daughters of the church under the misleading caption of "Tableaux representing back numbers of 'The Century'." Instead of having to do exclusively with "The Century" the groups were living reproductions of familiar advertisements which have appeared in all the magazines, papers and New York "L" stations, and the men who designed the originals would have turned every shade of envious green if they could have seen the counterfeits of their vain conceits. A real, live, pretty girl is ever so much nicer than a picture girl, and an actual, out-and-out dirty boy is infinitely more picturesque than his portrait. The tableaux were without exception clever, artistic and well done.

To Master Austin Davett belongs the credit of the most striking reproduction of the evening—that of the old monk of the Liebig Meat Extract card; and Mrs. W. L. Saunders disguised herself remarkably and looked the elderly lady who scrubs "the dirty boy" in one of the Pears' Soap efforts perfectly.

Miss Kate Miller, who was in turn a bride, an angel and a rustic maiden, was a great deal prettier than the originals of her poses albeit her numbers were the daintiest of all on the programme. Miss Annie Murphy, Miss Blanche Miller, Miss Sarah Long, Miss Clara Woltman, Miss Lydia Colton, little Rosie Woltman and littler Louise Saunders all lent beauty and grace to the pictures, while A. E. Faber, jr., George Taggart, Carl Brown, and Masters Murphy and Jeffrey filled the less delicate roles of the tableaux.

Toward the end of the entertainment George Taggart introduced one of his characteristic unique sketches in which he appeared as "a back number" with the most grotesque make-up he has ever put on.

He had several new jokes which were all appreciated and made a political speech and described a scene at a wedding in a way that brought down the house. The few sentences which he spoke in negro dialect were excellent and it is to be regretted that there were not more of this sort. Mr. Taggart was forced to respond twice to the continued applause which he received, and the second time recited a very amusing bit of his own verse.

Miss Helen A. Hasbrouck was the pianist of the evening, and the grouping of the people on the stage was directed by Mrs. Saunders. A large audience was present and applauded everything heartily.

A Good President Re-elected.

The annual election of Reform club officers took place in the parlors of the hall last evening. C. W. Spencer occupied the chair. The meeting was opened by singing of hymns by the choir, followed by prayer by J. D. Spicer. In the absence of the recording secretary, Mr. Bauerschs was chosen secretary pro tem. On motion the regular routine business was dispensed with, and the club proceeded to elect the following:

President—H. N. Spencer.
First Vice-president—John S. King.
Second Vice-president—Judge T. B. Crosley.
Third Vice-president—Thos. Rutledge.
Recording Secretary—Wm. B. Ayers.
Financial Secretary—J. W. A. Bauerschs.
Treasurer—J. D. Spicer.
First Marshal—Capt. Wm. Hand.
Second Marshal—Mark Lees.
Sergeant-at-Arms—Wm. C. Smith, jr.

On motion of vice-president King the club will hold meetings in the parlors of the hall every Thursday evening.

Stirring speeches were made by president Spencer, treasurer Spicer, and ex-committeemen Vanderbeek, Voehl, and others. The meeting was well attended, and renewed interest was manifested.

A Presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Lunger.

A very pleasant reception was given to H. B. Munger and family, in Hope chapel, by the members of his Bible class and their wives. Two large tables were loaded with the delicacies of the season, and an extensive programme had been arranged comprising singing, recitations and piano solos.

At the close of part first D. McGinness on behalf of the class presented to Mr. Munger a handsome gold-headed cane and to Mrs. Munger an elegant silver fruit dish. Mr. Munger in response thanked the class for their friendship shown toward him and his wife, and urged that they be as earnest in the future for the good of the class as they had been in the past.

At the conclusion of part second, the hymn "Blest be the tie that binds" was sung.

Trinity Church Officers Re-elected.

At the annual election of Trinity Reformed church officers, held last evening, the following were re-elected:

Superintendent—E. E. Anthony.
Assistant Superintendent—Fred. E. Smith.
Treasurer—W. F. Oliver.
Secretary—E. H. Bird.
Librarian—W. A. Woodruff.
Assistant Librarian—H. C. VanEmburgh.

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I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years; Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. W. Willard, druggist, Joliet, Ill.

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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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11 28 tf

Music Hall, TO-NIGHT.

Brinkley Brothers Spectacular Production

Of William Gill's Musical Extravaganza,

Our Goblins,

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DEATHS.

NEWTON—In this city Nov. 30, 1892 Mary, wife of George H. Newton, aged 81 years, 1 month. Funeral services Sunday, December 4, at 1:30 p. m., in the First Presbyterian church, New Brunswick.

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CANDIDATE CODDINGTON.

SKETCH OF THE CAREER OF THE CITY JUDGE NOMINEE.

THE PRESS Repeats and Emphasizes Its Utterance of Three Years Ago, When It Called Him a Self-Made Man and a Credit to His Creator, a Good Son, a True Christian, an Able Lawyer.

On the 4th of November, 1889, there was published in these columns a biographical sketch of William Archibald Coddington, the nominee for Assembly from the Third district of Union county. That district was hopelessly Republican, and it was not expected that even so good a man as Mr. Coddington could win on the opposition ticket. He made a clean and honorable run, however, and materially cut down the usual Republican majority. Such a defeat was one not to be ashamed of, and Mr. Coddington then and since has shown himself so popular that the people have again nominated him for honorable and responsible position—the office of city judge.

Mr. Coddington's career has ever since so closely followed the same lines told of in that sketch of three years ago that THE PRESS's estimate of his qualifications at that time is just as faithful, the statements are just as accurate and appropriate. THE PRESS to-day repeats and emphasizes its faith in his manhood, its appreciation of his high and manly character.

William A. Coddington is a native of Bound Brook, and for years has been a resident and stalwart citizen of Plainfield. He comes of sterling stock, his father having been the well-known Israel A. Coddington, for many years the faithful assessor of Warren township, Somerset county.

The early education of the coming city judge was received at the public schools of Bound Brook. This training completed, he took the preparatory course at the Hasbrouck Commercial and Collegiate institute and completed special courses in the State Normal and Model schools at Trenton. Left in his boyhood at great disadvantage by the death of his father, William Archibald struggled manfully onward and upward with a pluck, a determination, and a perseverance, closely approximating heroism. On the strength of his own good qualities and manly purpose, he has achieved commendable successes, and has steadily fought his own way towards the top of the ladder, gaining considerable distance in the ascent. The generosity of his heart was early manifested in his devotion to his widowed mother and his sister, whom he maintained in comfort at many a self-sacrifice of things dear to the heart of every young man.

Preeminently a self-made man, he possesses that independence of spirit deemed so valuable in one holding public office, and holds himself subservient to no considerations save those of justice, truth and righteousness.

Many future and some present new citizens can attest to Mr. Coddington's thoroughness and worth as a public educator. For four years he taught school in Somerset county, and during that time was an active member and prominent worker in the Somerset County Teachers' association, thus aiding in no small degree in building up the cause of knowledge. When he resigned his position as teacher he held next to the highest office in the association, that of vice-president. Although no longer a member of the society, he is still one of its most valued friends, and as a lecturer before the meetings of that body is held in high regard.

It was while teaching school that he first took up the study of law, and when he parted from his pupils it was to take the final steps towards becoming a member of the bar. For the past five years he has had a large and notable clientage At the start he was identified with the firm of Suydam & Stillman, but has for three years occupied offices of his own which are the handsomest and most convenient in town. He is held in the highest esteem and regard by the entire profession.

Mr. Coddington's legal experience has found him concerned in many prominent court cases. His legal acumen and rare good judgment have won him many triumphs. He has always evidenced just the traits to recommend him for the office for which the people have named him.

He has become prominent in social life, and all his fellow-members in the Crescent League, in which he is highly popular, are striving for his election.

As a member of the Congregational church at Bound Brook he for some time held the office of deacon, and was also superintendent of the Chimney Rock Sunday-school, which under his management enjoyed the utmost prosperity. It was through his instrumentality that the school which hitherto had to meet in groves in summer and private houses in winter was enabled to erect a handsome chapel of its own.

Not the least among his public services have been those rendered as secretary of the Plainfield Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, an institution of which he was one of the active founders, and in whose work of humanity he has taken most ardent part.

He is blessed with a good wife, who has been of material help to him in his later career. A man who knows how to appreciate the merits of womanly advice can be trusted to give good and honest counsel and judgment of his own.

Mr. Coddington's traits and training give him peculiar fitness for the responsible office of city judge. He comes from the people; he seeks to do justice to all the people. Never so happy or so natural as when he can uphold and uplift the cause of humanity and justice, he stands ready to become a zealous administrator of the law which he has as an attorney defended with such signal ability and rare good judgment. If elected to the office for which he has been nominated and for which he is receiving such enthusiastic support, he will become a shining light of impartial justice personified. His high character, his nobility of purpose, his unimpeachable qualities of head and heart, are considered unanswerable arguments why he should be chosen to administer justice among the people to whose best wishes he is devoted.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The New Superintendent Declares His Policy.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Since the "Superintendent of Schools" has several times been alluded to in the recent school communications in your columns, it may be of interest to your readers for me to state briefly the foundation principle of my administration.

As the professional adviser of the school board it is my business to study our system with two aims in mind: first, to remove any evils of administration or method that exist; second, to add any improvements that we do not now possess. No school system has ever been created in which there was not room for earnest work in both the directions indicated, and while the conditions are most excellent in Plainfield, it takes but a short study of affairs to show that here too there is still room for advance in both the particulars mentioned.

As an honest seeker for that which is better, I am not at all particular where I find it, whether it originates in my own brain or is revealed to me by a parent. It is all one to me if it enables my pupils to do more work in a shorter time or a pleasanter way

The school exists for the children, and while the school must be the controlling factor of the child's daily life, it must, to a certain extent, be moulded to accord with the life of the community in which the child lives, therefore my office door is always open to the parent, and whether he come for friendly counsel, to complain, or to upbraid, he is cordially welcomed and patiently listened to, and while I cannot always meet the parents' wishes there is often a satisfaction in talking the matter over face to face. I am sure, had either of the writers of the recent articles called on me he would have enjoyed his visit.

I shall not ordinarily take part in a newspaper discussion over school matters, because it is my observation that they do more harm than good, and if a parent has a real grievance I am easily accessible and can give him more satisfaction in a personal interview.

As to the crowding of the classical course, Miss Bulkley realized it and relieved it somewhat by beginning Greek a term earlier last year. Before the matter was mentioned in your columns I had decided that still further relief should be given, and this year's class will take up Greek after the holidays, while the next class will begin in the fall, thus affording three years in place of two to meet the college requirements. The course will be still further modified as circumstances may permit, by distributing the work more evenly over the four years and eliminating whatever is not really necessary for a college preparation.

It should, however, be borne in mind that we are not "free moral agents" in this matter, for the colleges make certain demands upon us which we must meet in order to have our pupils accepted, while custom demands that we should do all the work in four years. In schools having a small force of teachers, this is sometimes very difficult to do and still preserve the evenness of the course and afford each teacher the necessary length of time for all the recitations.

As to one session it may be said that the board has had the matter under consideration for some time previous to the newspaper consideration of the question, and when it has fully weighed the matter will come to some decision that will be in accordance with the best light they can obtain on the subject. It is a matter on which the best educators are divided. In my opinion it is largely a choice between two evils. Whichever plan is in use, one session or two sessions, has connected with it certain evils that offset the advantages that system gives. These evils vary in different communities, and it is for the board to decide which system in this community would give the most benefits with the least number of evils.

H. M. MAXSON,
Supt. of Schools.

A PLAINFIELD COACHMAN ROBBED.

Held up by a Woman While Her Pals Go Through Him.

William McElroy, a coachman from Plainfield, N. J., was passing the alleyway at No. 131 West Third street, New York, about 4 o'clock yesterday morning, when he was assaulted by two Italian men and an Italian woman. One of the men seized McElroy and held him, while the other man robbed him of his overcoat and $64. McElroy fought with his assailants until the woman struck him on the head with a shovel. Then he shouted for the police; and detectives Dourigan and Sloane, who were in the neighborhood, went to his assistance. They arrested Antonio Pelegrino, forty years old, of 131 West Third street, and Mary Libetto, fifty-two years old, of the same place. The second man escaped.

Pelegrino and the woman were arraigned in Jefferson Market court yesterday, charged with highway robbery. They denied the charge and were held for trial in default of $1,000 bail each.

McElroy was sent to the House of Detention as a witness in default of $300 bail.

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JAY GOULD.

HIS DEATH AT 9:15 THIS MORNING.

His Physician and Family at the Death-bed—No Effect on the Stock Market—The News Discounted.

Since the dispatches printed on the first page of THE PRESS were in type, Jay Gould died at 9:15 o'clock this morning at his residence, No, 579 Fifth avenue, New York. His physician, Dr. Munn, was in attendance, and at the bedside were all the members of the Gould family, his four sons, George J., Edwin, Howard, and Harold, and his daughters, Misses Helen and Anne, together with Mrs. George J. Gould and Mrs. Edwin Gould.

The house was immediately closed after the announcement of death, and no one was permitted to enter it, although there were several callers. The news of the end was sent out by Dr. Munn by means of a messenger, whose errand was to send the intelligence to Mrs. Munn.

It was ascertained that Mr. Gould spent a very restless night, but that Dr. Munn had hopes that he might recover. Early this morning a report came from the house that death was not imminent, the statement being attributed to Dr. Munn.

The impression this morning, pending a statement from Dr. Munn, was that Gould was a victim of pulmonary consumption, complicated with some disease of the bowels. He was greatly wasted away.

His estate, it is understood, is in the hands of trustees for the benefit of his children during their lifetime.

News of the death had been discounted and consequently had no effect in Wall street.

PASTORAL RECEPTION.

Pleasant Greeting to the New Baptist Clergyman and His Wife.

Surely the Rev. and Mrs. J.W. Richardson have had a most pleasant experience thus far in coming to Plainfield, and last evening's reception in the Park Avenue Baptist church, which was tendered to the pastor and his wife, seemed a crowning point. A very large audience turned out to welcome the newcomers, and the event was a most gratifying success.

The Sunday-school room was tastefully decorated with flowers and flags. Tables and chairs were arranged in groups in different parts of the room, which formed a very pretty picture, while on the floor were handsome rugs which added still more to the pleasant scene. In one part of the room was Guttman's orchestra, which rendered enlivening music. Mrs. J. W. Johnson and Mr. Haynes assisted Mr. and Mrs. Richardson in receiving. During the evening everyone had the pleasure of making the acquaintance of the genial couple.

A very pretty little song and recitation, arranged by the ladies, was enacted by the following girls: Elsie Giles, Emily Runyon, Florence Cumming, Anna Conant, Mabel Fernald, Lela Howard, Alberti Livezey. Mrs. Nelson Runyon was the accompanist.

Most all of the pastors of the city were present and joined heartily in welcoming the pastor and his wife. Later in the evening the Ladies' Aid society, assisted by the young ladies of the church, furnished refreshments, which were excellent and thoroughly enjoyed. A most successful pastorate is assured the new pastor, if last evening's event is any criterion.

INOFFENSIVE AND LOST.

The Policeman's Mistake Cost the Prisoner His Job.

That strange man whom Mrs. Duffy thought had designs on her purse, and who was arrested in consequence, turns out to have been an innocent farm hand employed at John Taylor Johnston's Netherwood farm. He was a German, newly arrived, got lost in the boulevard, and was only inquiring his way. Mrs. Duffy did n't understand, that was all. As judge Codington was tired with his day's hunt in the mountains, Mayor Gilbert heard the case, and released the misjudged fellow, who found he had lost his job by the arrest.

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Experience of an Ex-Champion.

Athletes and men who take ordinary outdoor exercise such as walking, running bicycle riding, jumping, swimming, tennis, etc., are often the subjects of acute troubles. The experience of an ex-champion walker will be of interest to all who are afflicted. Harry Brooks writes:

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CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several wards and districts of the city of Plainfield, on

TUESDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF DECEMBER

next at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following city offices at large: Mayor, City Judge, City Assessor, City Collector, City Treasurer, three Commissioners of Appeal, and a member of the Board of Education. And from each of the wards a member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

At No. 63 North avenue, nearly opposite the depot.

SECOND WARD.

At No. 53 Park avenue, near the Central railroad.

THIRD WARD.

At Stelle's Livery Stable, No. 6 West Sixth street, near Park avenue.

FOURTH WARD.

First Election District at No. 8 West Second street, Elkwood building.

Second Election District at No. 17 Grant avenue.

Polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. with adjournment from 1 to 2 p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, November 29th instant from 1 to 9 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled an Act to Regulate Elections, approved April 18, 1876, and amendments thereto.

FRANK W. RUNYON, City Clerk.

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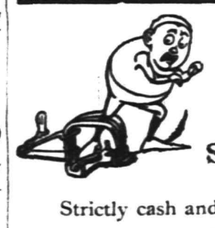

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(Durango (Mex.) Correspondence.)

An account of the incidents attendant upon the reopening, by a northern company, of certain silver mines here, and the establishment of modern methods of operation in the place of the ancient native methods, will give a clearer idea of the more secluded phases of Mexican life and of the nature of obstacles which modern enterprise has had to overcome in order to open up the rich natural treasures of

MEXICAN PLAN OF HOISTING ORE AND WATER.

the ancient empire than I can give in any other way.

The young superintendent to whom this difficult and responsible undertaking had been intrusted was a native of Aurora, Ill., and had prepared for an engineering career by the best scientific instruction obtainable in the states and in Germany.

They left El Paso, Tex., with an imposing wagon or pack train, bound for the mountains of Durango, Old Mexico. All went well with the train for the first twenty miles. It then entered the sand hills, formed by the wasting away of the outcroppings of cretaceous sand stone. Here all of the outfit was packed on the backs of burros, preparatory to taking the "short cut" trail through the thick of the sand hills, some of which were over two hundred feet in height. This company had a very severe lesson in store for them upon the fickle nature of those smooth, innocent-appearing drifts of sand.

Although the trail was somewhat difficult to follow, the leaders had no notion of losing it and were greatly surprised when finally its faintest traces disappeared and they were forced to admit to their followers that they were hopelessly out of their reckonings. Hour after hour the train coiled its serpentine course around the sphynx-like piles of gray, drifted sands, searching for the lost trail. Finally the superintendent ordered the packs to be taken from the backs of

MEXICAN METHOD OF SUPPLYING AIR TO FURNACE.

the burros and carefully placed beside one of the tallest hills, in a manner least likely to attract the attention of any stray train that might chance to pass. With the unburdened animals they could make much more rapid progress, and after several days of weary searching they finally succeeded in striking the trail outside the range of sand hills.

Fixing it clearly in mind, by means of certain features of the surrounding landscape, so that they could readily return to it, they retraced their steps among the sandhills to where they supposed they had deposited their baggage. But no baggage was to be found. Stranger yet, no hill of the peculiar features of the one near which they had left their baggage was to be discovered. Affairs had reached a serious stage. The superintendent did not share the conclusion that their packs had been picked up by some passing train. He was convinced that they had been buried beneath the sands, which he believed to have shifted in such quantities as to have altered the appearance of the hill for which they were searching, if not to have completely removed it. Three or four days of diligent exploration resulted in the vindication of his opinion, for the baggage was found at a depth of five to eight feet below the surface of the sands. The shifting of these sands was one of the most serious problems with which the constructors of the Mexican Central railroad had to cope. At first the roadbed was raised from the bottom of a considerable cut. The sands quickly filled into the cut and covered the track. Next they tried elevating the roadbed on a grade above the level of the plain. The sands were as quickly blown from under the track. There was but one other method to try. They laid the track on a level with the surrounding plain. It was a success. The sands shifted over it and left a clear roadbed.

During this journey, as they broke camp at two o'clock in the morning, they frequently passed camps of Mexican pilgrims who were not as early risers. The young superintendent noticed that there were always several unoccupied blankets spread out, full size, near each camp. Accordingly, he asked his major domo for an explanation of this phenomenon. The *domo* replied that he did not wish to tell, but that the superintendent might observe for himself. He did so, and found that the blankets were always spread near the hills of the great black ants, for the purpose of allowing them to sweep over the blanket and cleanse it from the vermin that it had collected during the day.

Certain portions of these large ants are a favorite "greaser" delicacy, said to possess a somewhat bitter flavor.

After a journey of nearly three months the train landed safely at its final destination, and preparations were immediately begun to transform the old "workings" into a modern mine.

The eighty-horse power engine that was erected here was the only steam plant within a radius of one hundred and fifty miles and the whole native populace, for miles around, swarmed to witness its erection and operation. The flywheel was an immense affair and had been shipped in four sections. Two of these sections had been bolted together and carried, by nearly forty Mexicans, on poles, alongside the tripod which suspended a differential pulley, capable of hoisting twenty-five tons. The superintendent and his assistant, also from the states, grappled the fastenings of the pulley onto the half section of the immense flywheel and began easily to hoist it into place. The natives, ignorant of the principle of the lever, looked a moment at the two men and the machine lifting what had required the best efforts of nearly forty of themselves to carry. Then they set up a shout: "*Los Americanos son diablos!*" ("those Americans are devils")

Cohen, the engineer, was ready for operation, and the gauge indicated a pressure of forty pounds. Those "*Americanos diablos*" could not resist the temptation to administer a little wholesome fright to the company of natives that had crowded into the boiler room. So they first made fast the doors and then opened the "exhaust," which filled the room with a

MEXICAN WAY OF GRINDING ORE.

terrific and deafening roar and threw the inquisitive company into a state of hysterical fright, which found expression in wild cries to the Virgin and protecting saints. The large belt which operated the interior shafting of the mine ran from the flywheel through a long, low passageway. It was so charged with electricity that as soon as it began to get dark in the passage a line of electric sparks could be seen to shoot toward the belt from the head of any person who happened to pass near. This so frightened the natives that they would not enter the passage after evening—for which the superintendent was duly grateful.

The two methods by which the Mexicans extract the silver from the ore are the "patio" and the adobe furnace methods. The former was discovered by Bartolomi de Medina in 1557. After the ore has been pounded to the size of peas it is placed with water in the "arrastre," a circular sink one foot deep and five feet in diameter, having paved bottom and sides. From a heavy beam, turning upon a central post, are hung by rawhide ropes two immense stones, weighing nearly a thousand pounds each. A burro draws these stones around their central pivot and grinds the ore into a thick slime. It takes from two to four days to properly grind a ton of ore. This mud is next placed in pits and left to dry out to suitable thickness, when it is spread in circular heaps a foot deep and twenty to forty feet in diameter. Then a quantity of common salt is kneaded into it by the treading of men and mules. Next day, for an hour, the treaders mix about one per cent of "magistral" (sulphate of copper and iron) into the "patio." If the mass gets too hot it is cooled by introducing lime. The treaders next cover the mass with mercury filtered through canvas bags, and tread that in.

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For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7.59 A. M.; 3.04 and 5.18 P. M.

For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1.39 P. M.

For Flemington—7.59 A. M.; 3.04 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden, via Trenton—7.59, 11.07 A. M. 1.39, 3.04, 7.49 P. M. Sundays at 10.41 A. M. and 7.47 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 2.14, 3.27, 5.38, 6.05, 6.39, 6.59, 7.26, 7.30, 7.58, 8, 8.15, 8.27, 8.31, 8.48, 9.23, 10.04, 10.27, 11.09, A. M., 12 noon, 12.53, 1.02, 2.30, 3.12, 4.01, 5.15, 5.42, 5.57, 6.54, 7.08, 9.02, 10.12, 11.28 P. M. Sunday—2.14, 6.05, 8.01, 8.53, 11.16, 11.42 A. M., 12.33, 1.42, 3.30, 5.16, 7.01, 7.10, 8.23, 8.53, 10.17 P. M.

Leave Newark 3.15, 7.15, 7.50, 8.55, 10.05, 11.35 A. M., 1.05, 1.35, 2.50, 3.35, 4.05, 4.33, 5.05, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 7.15, 7.35, 8.40, 10.05, 11.25 P. M. Sunday—7.30, 8.45, 9.30, 10.35, 11.45, A. M., 1.10, 2.50, 4.10, 5.40, 6.07, 7.20, 8.15, 10.05 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.15, 7.15, 8.17, 9.42, 11 a.m. 12.27, 1.50, 3.22, 5.45, 6.36, 8.05, 9.20, 11.08, 11.45 p.m. Sunday—9.42, 11.45 A.M., 2.05, 5.28, 6.14, 6.38, 10.15, 11.14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6.30, 7.08, 7.25, 7.35, 7.45, 8.50, 9.05, 9.47, 11.36 A. M., 12.34, 12.38, 2.05, 3.25, 4.50, 5.32, 6.31, 6.45, 11.06, P. M. Sunday 8.26, 11.16 A. M., 12.08, 1.15, 4.50, 6.40, 8.02, 8.36, 9.45 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5.15, 8.17, 9.42, a. m., 1.50, 3.20, 6.36, 8.20 P. M. Sunday—5.45, 8.28 A. M., 2.05, 6.36, P. M.

Leave Easton 6.05, 8.39, 11.18 A. M., 4.09, 7.35 P. M. Sundays—7.15, 10.52, A. M., 6.40, 7.30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7.10, 12.27, 5.20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5.15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7.10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on high bridge branch.

9.17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12.27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1.40 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5.05 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5.20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6.20 P. M. for Flemington.

6.36 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

6.20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8.28 a.m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 2.05 p. m. Sundays to Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3.37 a. m. 1.02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.37, 8, 11.09, a. m. 1.02, 4.01, 5.57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 9.12, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3.37, 5.38, 8, 11.09 a. m. 1.02, 4.01, 5.57, 7.03 p. m. Sunday—8.52, a. m. 3.30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3.37, 8, 11.09 a. m., 1.02, 4.01, 5.16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5.15, 8.29, 9.06, 10.45, a. m., 1.02, 3.04, 5.24*, 6.29*, 9.23*, 9.27 p. m. Sundays—9.06, 11.15 a. m., 2.05*, 5.14*, 6.55 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Trenton 5.15, 8.29, 9.42, 10.45, a. m., 12.27, 1.02, 3.04, 5.24, 6.29, 9.23*, 9.27 p. m., 1.17 night. Sundays—9.06, 11.15 a. m., 2.05*, 5.14*, 6.55 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9.45, a. m., 2.16, 4.12, 6.36* (6.36* Baltimore only) p. m., 1.17, night. Sundays—9.06 a. m., 2.16, 4.12, 5.14* (5.56 Baltimore only) p. m., 1.17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 8.30, 9.30, 11.05, a. m., 1.30, 3.15*, 4, 5.15, 6.15, 8.05, 8.45, p. m., 12.01, night.

Sundays—10.00, 10.50 a. m., 3.15*, 5.15, 6.10, 8*, p. m., 12.01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3.55, 8.20, 9.20, 11.15, a. m., 2.12*, 4.20, 5.18, 11.45, p. m. Sunday—3.55, 9.40, 9.15 a. m., 4.12*, 6.20, 8.18*, 11.45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1.00, 1.55, 7.00, 9.05, 10.13, 11.59, a. m., 2.50, 4.08*, 4.40, 5.54, 6.59, 9.00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1.00, 4.55, 10.27, 11.56 a. m., 4.08*, 6.13, 7.07, 9.00* p. m.

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The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.

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THE PASSING OF GOULD

Last Moments of the "Wall Street Wizzard."

MOST REMARKABLE MAN OF HIS TIME

Marvelous Rise of a Poor Boy to Power and Fame—His Wealth Estimated in the Neighborhood of One Hundred Million—His Children—His Death as Yet Produces Little Effect on Wall Street—Incidents of His Career.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Arrangements for the funeral of Jay Gould, the millionaire, who died yesterday, have now been completed. It will be held from the house Monday at 10 a. m.

Rev. Dr. Paxton, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in which Mr. Gould worshipped, will conduct the services. He will be assisted by Rev. Chancellor McCracken and Rev. Roderick Terry.

The choir from Dr. Paxton's Church will take part in the services. The interment will be at Woodlawn.

The utmost secrecy was observed at the health office regarding the certificate of death of Mr. Gould, which was filed in the Bureau of Vital Statistics in the afternoon. An undertaker, and even his name will not be told, called upon Secretary Clark and requested that the representatives of the press should not have access to the certificate.

This is all that is known of the certificate, that it was signed by Dr. Munn and that it gave the cause of Mr. Gould's death as phthisis pulmonarius.

The end came at 9:15 o'clock. Just before he died, Mr. Gould, realizing that he had but a little while longer to live, expressed a desire that all the members of his family be called, that he might look upon them for the last time.

He was perfectly conscious and entirely composed, meeting the end with calmness.

His mind was clear to the last, as was demonstrated by the fact that he missed the face of a member of the family who had left the room for a moment.

Mr. Gould's last words were in the form of a request that he might, at the closing moments of his life, be surrounded by the beloved members of his family.

"WIZARD" GOULD.

Wall Street Operations—His Domesticity—Habits and Character.

Of Mr. Gould's career since he began to operate in Wall Street, columns might be written, were the story not pretty well known to the public. The speculations in Erie, the "Black Friday" and other episodes are familiar to most New Yorkers and have been often retold. Suffice it to say that from the time he went into Wall Street Gould forged straight ahead; there was no going back, and but little standing still.

Line after line of railroad fell under the control of this man, whom other financiers called the "Wizard" of Wall Street, until thousands upon thousands of miles of road were to all intents and purposes his own. With a single move in the stock market he could affect financial matters not only in every city in this country, but in London, Paris and Vienna as well.

He turned his attention to the telegraphic system of the country, and did not rest until he had a monopoly of that, and controlled the Atlantic cable as well. Was this enough? Not at all. There were elevated railroads in New York city representing millions in money. Here was more work to the hand of this remarkable man, and in the end this system, too, passed under his direction.

Talk of Aladdin's lamp. It was but a dull, rusty affair placed alongside the brilliant light of this man's genius. There is nothing in fact or fiction since Adam delved for a living that can rival the plain, straightforward story of this man's life. It is simply unparalleled. There has never been anything like it, and good figurers say that there is never likely to be again.

Cared Naught for Society.

Mr. Gould married when he was a young man, and was always domestic in his habits. He loved his family and home more than most men do to-day. Society he cared nothing for and paid little attention to it. Though he paid for a box in the Metropolitan Opera House he was seen there but rarely.

He attended the theaters at times, but not with any regularity. He never, so far as known, expressed any high appreciation of high arts, of music, the drama, or literature, although he did write a history of Delaware county that is regarded with favor by collectors of rare and curious books.

The financier has always had a liking for fine flowers. He spent a large amount of money on beautiful flowers and rare plants for his hothouses and gardens at Tarrytown, and some very fine specimens of orchids have been developed there.

But in the main Mr. Gould lived more plainly than many men whose income is less than $10,000.

He had his hands full of business at all times. But he was never niggardly. Like most other business men, he could not be his own almoner. As he said, while his wife was alive she distributed his money for him and did it with a free hand, as many know. Then Mr. Gould gave in addition to those societies that are organized for the purpose of relieving the needy.

Nor was Mr. Gould what some persons call a religious man. But he was as religious as most of his neighbors. For years he kept a pew in a local Episcopal Church.

Such are the main points in a character the most remarkable, in some respects, of his time. He was born somewhat sickly, and was never robust, except as to will and brains.

Alone and unaided he accumulated a vast fortune, which passes intact to his children.

His Simple Habits.

No man was more simple in life or habits.

He often said that he could never dissipate, even if he wanted to, for he was so constituted physically that he could not use tobacco or take any intoxicating liquors.

He was moderate in all things that he ate or drank.

Mr. Gould would never reply to a newspaper attack upon himself. Yet he has no particular prejudice against the press, although he has sometimes said he had long been the most abused man in the country. For that matter, he has from time to time had an interest in various newspapers.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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JAY GOULD'S FORTUNE.

Estimated by His Business Friends at Not Less Than $100,000,000.

Just what Jay Gould's wealth amounted to has always been a matter of interesting speculation. Those nearest to him in business transactions have always been in doubt as to his holdings and investments, apart from railroad stocks and bonds, but the dead multi-millionaire's friends agree that his fortune will foot up about $100,000,000.

He holds 32 millions, par value, of Western Union Telegraph, which at today's prices would fetch about $18,700,000; $10,000,000, par value, of Missouri Pacific, which is now worth in the market $5,500,000.

He is supposed to hold in the neighborhood of $8,000,000, probably more of Manhattan Railway stock, worth $10,400,000.

His holding of all these stocks have been larger than this, but he sold them to either invest the money in new issues of bonds of the Missouri Pacific and Manhattan companies or to finance those companies until bonds could be issued.

Excellent information is that he holds about one-third of the bonds issued on the Missouri Pacific system, which would be about $30,000,000.

His estate holds over $12,000,000 of Wabash Railway stock which shows a loss of between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000.

As long ago as 1884 Mr. Gould was known to hold about $3,000,000 of first-class railway mortgage bonds upon roads other than those controlled or managed by him.

Besides these items he had large investments in a great number of properties concerning which the general public knows little or nothing.

His holdings of Union Pacific and Kansas Pacific bonds, which have never been stated, must be large but it is not believed that he owned of late years much if any Union Pacific stock.

HIS EARLY DAYS.

Incidents at Roxbury, Where the Financier Was Born.

ROXBURY, N. Y., Dec. 3.—In the little village of Roxbury, Delaware county, where Jay Gould was born in 1836, the news of his death caused much sorrow, as the great financier had many boyhood friends there, some of whom are now living. He came of Puritan stock, his grandfather coming to Delaware county from Connecticut in 1779.

The eldest son of this famous Captain Gould was the first male child born in that wilderness. Jay's father was a strict Methodist, and Jay, his brothers and sisters always attended meeting in the Taller meeting house.

When the lad was 10 years old the anti-rent war broke up the school he attended when not working on the farm. In this war a band of masked men attacked his father's house, and Jay showed his pluck by standing in the door with his father, both of whom had guns.

Jay afterward attended a private school, leaving when 16 to study surveying. He helped make a road map of Ulster county, and later drew maps of Delaware, Albany and Otsego counties. Soon after this he was manager of a hardware store at Roxbury and slept under the counter.

While here he wrote a history of Delaware county, and sent the copies which were made back to the publisher in disgust, as his name was spelled "Gold" all through it.

Throughout his early life Jay was considered very shrewd. In 1857 he undertook the management of a hemlock forest in Pennsylvania, the property of Zadock Pratt, a rich tanner. There he laid the foundation of his fortune, and later went to New York.

Of Mr. Gould's friends in this city, Judge Parker and Samuel G. Dimmick, vice-president of the Ulster & Delaware railroad, are well known. Mr. Dimmick has two letters which Mr. Gould sent him from Roxbury when both were young men.

EFFECT ON WALL STREET.

Considerable Offerings of Gould Stock, But No Break Occurred.

There was an interval of nearly an hour between the time that the first news of his death reached the "Street" and the opening of the Stock Exchange, and nothing else but the death of the sage financier and the probable effect of his death on the properties with which he was prominently identified was discussed.

It was the consensus of opinion among brokers that there would be some selling of those properties, but none would admit that there was any fear of an extensive selling.

Some brokers were of the opinion that the properties were well protected and nothing in the shape of a very decided break would occur.

When the market did open there was a large crowd in the board room, and for a time there were considerable offerings of the Goulders, notably Missouri Pacific. Western Union, Manhattan and Atchison stocks were also sold to a considerable extent, but they only broke fractionally. Missouri Pacific made the greatest decline 1 3-4 per cent. to 54, but recovered in the first fifteen minutes to 55. The market then steadied somewhat.

There was very little excitement at the opening of the market.

HIS CHILDREN.

Miss Helen Gould Will be the Richest Unmarried Woman in America.

George J. Gould and Edwin Gould were in business with their father. They are both wealthy in their own right. Georgo Gould married Edith Kingdon, of Augustin Daly's company. They have four children. Shortly before election George Gould purchased the mansion at the corner of Fifth avenue and 69th street from Jacob H. Schiff, and, it is said, gave his check for $365,000 for it. He has a summer home and a yacht. He is worth $10,000,000.

Edwin Gould married Miss Shrady about a month ago. "Eddie," as he is called, is said to be worth $2,000,000 in his own right.

Helen Gould, the oldest daughter, is unmarried. She will probably be the richest unmarried woman in America.

Howard, who is 21 years old, is still in college.

Annie and Frank are in school.

WILL NOT CONTEST.

"Dot, the Charmer," is Not After Crouse's Millions.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The handsome and mysterious woman who has all along figured in the D. Edward Crouse matter since the Syracuse millionaire died, will not contest his will on the grounds that she is his wife.

All she wants is an assurance that the $30,000 which Crouse set apart for her use when she should become 21 years of age be given her. She will be 20 next August.

The young woman, who is just as pretty as she has been described, met Crouse six years ago in Syracuse. She was then a singer in a theatrical company.

From that time until his death Crouse maintained her. He spent between $20,000 and $30,000 on her every year. Her slightest wish was law with him. She denies, however, that she was ever a drunkard, as has been said.

She admitted having been fond of a glass of champagne once in awhile, but that was all.

"The only way in which the police ever knew me," she said, "was when a young man who became infatuated with me, stole money, which he spent on me. I didn't know the money was stolen, though his folks always blamed me for his downfall.

"That was a year ago last summer.

"I never claimed," she continued, "that I was the wife of Crouse, and don't propose to make any such claim. All I want is the $30,000 which Crouse said he had provided for me."

When she first met Crouse she was only 14 years old, well developed for her age, and was known as "Dashing Buck Whalen, the Queen of Troy."

After Crouse had set her up in this city she became known as the "Queen of Sixth Avenue," while Crouse referred to her always as "Dot, the Charmer."

Crouse, who died only a few days ago in Syracuse, left an estate valued at $10,000,000.

His relatives, mainly cousins, have been worrying about the prospective contest ever since.

By the terms of an old will, they, after certain bequests were made, came in for about $500,000 apiece.

The woman, who they feared would make a contest, was seen in a lawyer's office last night. The lawyer wished his name withheld.

FEARS A HEAVIER SENTENCE.

Pugilist Mitchell's Unsuccessful Efforts to Get Into Jail.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The public are getting a good deal of grim amusement out of Charley Mitchell's unsuccessful efforts to get into jail. After being rebuffed by the magistrate at Bow street, when he went to surrender himself to serve the sentence of two months at hard labor from which he had appealed, Mitchell proceeded to Pentonville prison and wanted to be taken in.

The Governor of the prison said that he could not receive Mitchell without the order of committal, and the prize-fighter was compelled to go away disappointed.

As the time for his hearing in the County Sessions, the court to which he appealed, approaches, Mitchell is becoming more and more terrified at the prospect of a severe sentence from Sir Peter H. Edlin, Chairman of the Sessions, who is noted for his unmerciful treatment of bullies and bruisers.

It is said that Mitchell pleaded almost pathetically with the Governor of Pentonville prison to be taken into jail, saying he was willing for his part to go on the treadmill, or to picking oakum, or to anything else the Governor wanted to put him, and would waive any formality about the warrant of committal.

The Governor replied that it would give him great pleasure to accommodate Mr. Mitchell, and he might be able to do so at later date, but that the prison rules were inflexible, and it would be a violation of those rules to accept anyone not duly committed. He was pleased to see, he remarked, from his visitor's appearance, that, when he did come, he would probably be in a condition to stand the strain.

Mitchell rather winced at this and turned away disheartened as well as disappointed, and more disgusted than ever at the prospect of a longer sentence than the two months he is anxious to serve.

Convicted of Assaulting a Reporter.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 3.—John P. Carney, a member of the Democratic State Central Committee and general registrar of the town of New Haven, was convicted in the City Court of assault and breach of the peace against an Evening Leader reporter. Carney tried to intimidate the reporter because he thought he had written up a brawl in which he figured as one of the principals. Carney took an appeal to the Court of Common Pleas.

Return of the Presidential Party.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—President Harrison and the members of his family who attended the funeral of Rev. Dr. Scott at Washington, Pa., returned to the city last night, reaching here at 11:45, and the party immediately took carriages in waiting and drove to the White House.

A Freak Arrested for Robbery.

BUFFALO, Dec. 3.—August Hasse, a professional stonebreaker, heavyweight, wrestler, and dime museum freak, wanted in Newark, N. J., for robbing and almost murdering Paul Schlegel, has been arrested here.

FEARS FOR THE SPREE

No Doubt That an Accident Has Befallen Her.

APPREHENSIONS OF THE AGENTS.

Believed That the Engines of the Steamship Have Broken Down—Not Sighted by the Britannic—Probably Drifted Out of the Track of Westward Travel—Eight Hundred Persons on Board.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The North German Lloyd steamship Spree is more than two days overdue. There is no doubt that an accident has befallen her. Whether she has been in collision with another vessel or a submerged wreck, disabled by a storm or sustained injury to her engines, is a matter of conjecture.

Even her agents confess that "something" has happened to the steamship. The fears of the agents were known late yesterday, when they sent a messenger to interview the captain of the Britannic, which had just arrived, hoping to learn something of the overdue steamship.

Although the Britannic usually sights the Spree on one of the three last days of the voyage west, no sign of the Spree was seen.

The Britannic's officers, always accustomed to seeing the Spree, kept a lookout for her, and say they were surprised at not seeing her.

One fact known in connection with the Spree is that whatever has happened to her occurred on or before Sunday last. This is proved in this way: The Inman liner City of New York always passes the Spree on either the second or third day of the voyage to this port, both vessels traveling in the same direction.

The Spree, in turn, overhauls the slower vessel, the Britannic, a few hours later, and signals are exchanged.

These three vessels have never before failed to sight each other.

On the voyage, however, the fact that the Spree was not sighted tends to prove that she met with a mishap on or before Sunday, that day being the earliest period at which the Spree could have been spoken.

Agents give it as their opinion that her engines have broken down, and she is necessarily delayed while repairs are being made by the corps of engineers. The prevailing winds would compel her to drift to the southwest, out of the track of westward steamship travel. If that is so, she will be sighted by an eastbound steamship (as the eastern track is more to the southward) and reported in time on the other side.

The Spree has fifteen compartments, any five of which intact would keep her afloat. She is a 19-knot vessel built of steel, and has a crew of 250 all told. Including the crew, there are 800 persons aboard.

ABANDONED THE STEAMER.

Captain and Crew of a Lost Steamer Safe in New York.

QUARANTINE, S. I., Dec. 3.—The steamship Cynthiana, Capt. McKenzie, which arrived from Hamburg last night, brought the captain and crew of the British steamer Lunedale, which was abandoned Nov. 21 in lat. 52.37 N., long. 26.20 W., on a voyage from Philadelphia to Copenhagen.

Capt. Lorimer, of the lost steamer, says that he had a succession of gales from the date of departure from Philadelphia, Oct. 31, to the time the ship was abandoned.

On Nov. 15 the machinery became disabled, and the ship listed heavily. From that time until Nov. 21 the ship drifted about at the mercy of the seas, when the Cynthiana was sighted.

Distress signals were hoisted, and the crew, 24 men in all, were saved, but nothing else. A heavy gale was blowing at the time of the rescue.

KILLED BY THE CARS.

Two Boys Struck by a Train at Elizabethport, N. J.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Dec. 3.—A deplorable accident occurred near "Dick Switches" at Elizabethport, on the Central railroad last evening. Two boys named Burhouse and Frederick Kranich, aged 7 and 10 years respectively, while walking on the tracks, were struck by a Blue Line passenger train, bound West. Kranich, after being struck, fell in front of the locomotive and was instantly killed. Burhouse was thrown back on the pilot of the engine and bounded off, receiving terrible bruises and concussion of the brain. He will die.

The Austrian Premier Defeated.

VIENNA, Dec. 3.—Count Taaffe, Austrian Premier, was defeated in Parliament yesterday on the vote on the Secret Service fund. Although intended by the German Liberals as a vote of no confidence, Count Taaffe refuses to accept the result as such.

Will Have to Sign a Scale.

HOMESTEAD, Dec. 3.—It is reported that the steel works will be shut down on the 27th inst., for two weeks for repairs, and that all the employes will be discharged. A scale will then be arranged which every man will be obliged to sign in order to secure employment at the works.

Respite for a Condemned Murderer.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—William Douglass Cross, a colored man, who was to have been hanged in the District Jail this morning for the murder of his wife three years ago, was granted another stay of proceedings for thirty days.

Found Frozen to Death.

NEWBURYPORT, Mass., Dec. 3.—Dennis Martin, a laborer, aged 31, was found frozen to death by the side of the railroad track and nearly covered with snow. It is believed he was intoxicated and fell by the wayside.

Killed by an Engine.

NEWARK, Dec. 3.—Ethan Stiles, a varnish manufacturer 87 years old, was struck by a drill engine at the Elm street crossing of the Pennsylvania road last evening and instantly killed.

Steamers Aground in the Elbe.

HAMBURG, Dec. 3.—The Elbe is lower than at any time in the previous 41 years. Between Madgeburg and Lauenburg 83 grain steamers are aground.

A pure cream of tartar powder.

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THE BORDEN INDICTMENT.

But Few Believed That the Grand Jury Would Do Otherwise.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 3.—The news of the verdict of the grand jury in bringing in a true bill against Lizzie Borden has relieved the people of this city from a great strain. All along the majority have been of the opinion that an indictment would be found against her, although there was a large contingent who could not be induced to believe that such a result could be accomplished. These same people are the ones who even now believe in Miss Borden's innocence and think her to be the victim of a conspiracy.

As soon as the jury's action had been bulletined here the anxious and interested ones crowded about the boards and engaged in animated conversations which smacked strongly of the "I told-you-so."

Lawyer Jennings' office was overrun with visitors seeking further information than what they had already received, but were disappointed, as he was unable to satisfy their morbid curiosity to a greater extent.

All he had to say was: "I am not surprised. I would not be surprised at anything in this case. I had hopes after the adjournment of the jury that they might not return a bill against my client. Still, I was quite certain and expected that they would under the circumstances."

The first count of the indictment charges Miss Borden with killing Abby Durfee Borden with a hatchet, inflicting 20 mortal wounds; the second count is the same as the first, substituting Andrew Jackson Borden for Abby Durfee Borden.

There is another indictment which was kept a secret, as the party indicted is not in custody.

The jury made no public report in court. It filed in, handed its paper to the court, was dismissed, and went to the treasurer's office for payment.

None of the jury was disposed to be communicative.

Perrier to Form a Cabinet.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—M. Perrier will endeavor to form a Cabinet. M. Ribot will accept the portfolio of Foreign Affairs, but will decline any other office. Bourgeois holds fast to his refusal. This is thought to mean that Burdeau and Freycinet will not be invited to take portfolios.

Murderer Loth Sentenced.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Dec. 3.—Justice Landon has sentenced Kornel Loth, who brutally murdered Mrs. Etta Demacsek in this city on June 14 last, to be executed by electricity within the week commencing Monday, Jan. 16, at Dannemora prison.

Bold Chicago Burglars.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Six safes belonging to as many different firms in the big office building corner of Washington and Dearborn streets were blown open during the night and rifled by burglars. The loss is heavy.

Gov. Flower Denies the Rumor.

ALBANY, Dec. 3.—Gov. Flower says that the gossip which is in circulation regarding his demand for the resignations of the heads of several State departments is not well founded.

Earthquake Shock in Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 3.—An earthquake shock was felt here at 3:40 a. m. It lasted about three seconds. While it was very slight here, Southern Tennessee was violently shaken.

Hanlan to Issue a Challenge.

TORONTO, Dec. 3.—Edward Hanlan announces that he will shortly issue a challenge to row any man in America for the championship title held by the late William O'Connor.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—The Pope has refused to let the Jesuits transfer their headquarters from Fiesole to Rome.

—Cardinal Gibbons is in favor of the repeal of the law which declares that the World's Fair should be closed on Sundays.

—Frank R. Warner, a tramp, has confessed that he wrecked the Santa Fe overland train near Monrovia, Cal., a few days ago out of revenge for having been put off a freight train.

—It is announced that Prof. E. J. Phelps of Yale and ex-Minister to Great Britain has been appointed by President Harrison to continue his work in connection with the Behring Sea arbitration.

Josephine Mallison Found Guilty.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.—"Guilty of murder in the second degree" was the verdict reached in the trial of Josephine Mallison for the murder of John Hobbs, her paramour, yesterday.

The Jury Disagreed.

BOSTON, Dec. 3.—The jury in the case of Maria Halloran, of Woburn, charged with an attempt to kill her husband by mixing poison with his food and drink, has disagreed.

Suggested for the Senate.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 3.—Nelson J. Bennett, a millionaire and a member of the National Republican Committee, is mentioned for Senatorial honors.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Sunday: For New Jersey, Local Rains To-Night; Warmer Sunday Morning.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Barry & Fay, at Music Hall, next Monday evening.

—The borough bills ordered paid last night amounted to $352.73.

—A praise service will be held at 8 to-night in the W.C.T.U. rooms.

—A brakeman had a hand crushed while coupling cars at the freight-house last evening.

—Councilman Hegeman was the only absentee from the borough council session last evening.

—Even the ring organ speaks approvingly of candidate Coddington's uprightness of character.

—At the Music Hall box office, to-night, may be obtained the few seats left for the last of the Ragan lectures.

—Gambling will be the subject of the remarks of the Rev. Dr. Lewis at the Trinity Reformed church to-morrow evening.

—At the next regular meeting of Easter lodge, K. of H., of this city, Monday evening, will be held the annual election of officers.

—The annual election for officers and trustees of the Warren Union mission will take place in the chapel next Monday evening at 8.

—Mayor Saunders says that it is the duty of the people to complain of street and sidewalk defects, and then the council will remedy faults.

—Work of macadamizing the driveway around the Monroe avenue M. E. chapel is going on, which is for the benefit of attendants coming from a distance.

—Walter Winans will conduct the Epworth League prayer meeting in Vincent chapel to-morrow. The topic will be "The Temperance Law of Christ".

—U. B. Crane is showing some very fine goods for the holidays, and young women looking for nice gifts for their masculine friends should give him a call.

—A large quantity of fine grapes has been received at Lusardi & Co's, 12 North avenue. Theirs is a most complete stock of choice fruits. They take pains to serve the public.

—The M. E. church prayer-meeting topics for December will be as follows: Dec. 7, "How not to Worry"; Dec. 14, "God's Promises"; Dec. 21, "The Peace of God"; Dec. 28, "The Blessings of a Year".

—The Ladies' Aid society of the German Reformed church will meet next Thursday evening at 8. A report from the committee of the fair will be given. All members are cordially invited to be present.

—This is to be a cold winter; already parlor heaters, horse blankets and skates are in demand. Not only these, but fine holiday specialties, are displayed in great assortment at J. P. Laire & Co's, 3 West Front street.

—The roll call at meetings of the North Plainfield borough council will be dispensed with hereafter. Mayor Saunders thinks it unnecessary and undignified, and the clerk will merely count noses and announce whether a quorum is present.

—The passengers on the 7:58 train from this city for New York, yesterday morning, narrowly escaped a smash-up. The brakes would n't work at Elizabeth and instead of stopping the train skated across the Pennsylvania track just as a Philadelphia express got out of the way by a few inches.

—The last discourse of Dr. Hurlbut's series on "Reasons why we believe the Bible" will be given to-morrow evening, in the M. E. church, on the subject: "A cloud of witnesses". At the close of the service a pamphlet containing the outline of all the four sermons will be distributed at the door to all present.

—The Sunday morning class which has been held of late in the Monroe Avenue M. E. chapel, will be discontinued for the present, as it is now intended to hold morning service for worship at 11 o'clock a. m. The first of these services will be held to-morrow, and will be continued thereafter if sufficient interest is manifested.

—Now that the cause of the cold in Music Hall on the nights of the Ragan lectures, is discovered, particular means have been adopted to thoroughly overcome the discomfort this evening. Although the lights must all be turned off and the air will in consequence be drawn in from the large stage space, yet it is to be completely warmed by extra steam radiators.

—For the farewell tour, which Barry and Fay are making this season with "McKenna's Flirtation", a company of superior merit has been engaged. It contains a quartette of sweet singers, who will be heard in a tuneful selection of melodious numbers, and a sextette of graceful dancers, who will be seen in three artistic terpsichorean efforts. A new set of scenery has been painted for the first act, the dialogue has been rewritten up to date, and in every way the comedy has been refreshed and re-arranged. The comedians will be seen at Music Hall, Monday night.

Every voter is personally interested in the selection of City Judge. The people's candidate deserves the election. He is not a politician, but an upright citizen of probity and wisdom. His name is William A. Coddington. Vote for him. 4t

SHOCKING FATALITY.

A YOUNG SERVANT GIRL FATALLY BURNED.

She Was Singeing a Chicken, and Her Garments Caught Fire—Died at Muhlenberg Hospital After a Night of Agony.

A pitiful accident occurred yesterday afternoon at 4:30 at the home of Mrs. Brower, 57 East Fifth street, in the fatal burning of a woman.

Miss Minnie Carroll, 21 years of age, a servant in Mrs. Brower's employ, was in the kitchen, singeing a chicken, when her apron caught fire. She screamed, and tried to beat out the flames with her hands, but they spread rapidly through her garments. There were three women in the house; and two of them, hearing her screams, ran down stairs, to learn the trouble. In the meantime Miss Carroll had rushed up stairs from the basement, and made a circuit of the rooms and hall. By her rushing about, the flames were fanned, and she was enveloped in a furious blaze. The matting in the hall was ignited, and some of the wood-work. The girl was frantic with suffering, not knowing what to do, and finally ran out doors. The heat of the flames was so intense that the front porch was burned to some extent. The women secured blankets and threw them around the sufferer. Two men passing heard her cries, and came in to assist. Dr. Paul also was present and did all in his power to alleviate the girl's agony.

The horribly burned woman was taken to Muhlenberg hospital, where she died at noon to-day, after 18 hours of suffering from her frightful injuries. She was a mass of burns all over her body, and also inhaled the flames.

Mrs. Brower has a son who has for a month been and still is ill with typhoid fever. The shock of the sad accident made him delirious, but this morning he is better, and in a fair way to recovery. A trained nurse has been taking care of him, and she was called into service in taking care of the unfortunate girl.

Miss Carroll had been employed for one year by Mrs. Brower, and was a most faithful employe.

Mrs. Brower is very grateful to her neighbors and all others who assisted her.

JOB MALE'S REAL ESTATE.

The Heirs Will Divide His Property Without Sale.

Only the personal property of the late Job Male will be sold at auction, the real estate is to be partitioned without sale. The heirs have agreed to this as the best thing for them and for the city.

If all the real estate owned by Job Male were put on the market it would greatly depreciate values and paralyze real estate in Plainfield for years.

All property-owners will therefore be glad to learn that the heirs have agreed not to sell. The real estate will be apportioned among them in a legal way.

The sale of the personal property and of the Chinese cloisonne collection will take place as announced in the advertising columns.

BARRY IS DEAD.

He Was Too Weak to Undergo Surgical Operation.

Michael Barry died at 7 last night of the frightful injuries received yesterday on the Jersey Central railroad.

He was conscious to the last, but was considered by the surgeons too weak to undergo amputation of his crushed legs.

The sorrowing parents have the sympathy of the community in their affliction.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

The net proceeds of the recent "Cradle Songs" were $150.

Miss Saidee Currie of Arlington avenue is visiting her friend Miss Nelly Suydam of Parkville, L. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Doane, of East Fourth street, have a little girl born at 2 this morning.

The funeral of Michael Barry, who died yesterday at 12:45, will be held Sunday at 2:30, from St. Mary's church, with interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

E. W. Pepper, Plainfield superintendent for the Prudential Insurance company, was a guest at the company's big housewarming in Newark Thursday night.

T. W. Burger has removed from 62 East Sixth street to 1226 Garden street, Hoboken. He is proprietor of a large manufacturing concern in that city.

Thomas R. Trewin died at 10 Orchard place yesterday, in his sixth-eighth year. Funeral service will be held Monday noon at 12:30, with interment at Flemington.

Mrs. John Faxon of Fitchburg, Mass., formerly Miss Alice Holmes, is spending a month with her parents, Captain and Mrs. A. D. Holmes, 40 East Fifth street.

The Rahway *Democrat* speaks of Elmore D. Moffett of Plainfield as "the accommodating deputy", and rejoices that he is retained under county clerk Gerber.

S. R. Proud, Chas. L. Zender, and other Foresters from Plainfield and Dunellen, enjoyed the festivities of a union initiation banquet at Elizabeth, Wednesday night.

Harry L. Spencer, son of the borough collector, was a pall-bearer at the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Frances Gibby, widow of the late judge Gibby, at Rahway, Monday.

Jennie, wife of the Rev. Albert Vail, died Wednesday evening in her fifty-fifth year, at 8 Central avenue. Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p. m., with interment in Hillside cemetery.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

ANOTHER CRAZY JANITOR.

Somerville Officials Have a Terrific Struggle With a Madman.

Robert Chambers, who was returned cured from the insane asylum at Trenton, some two months ago, and who until the last week had given evidence of being all right, has had a return of his malady. He became very violent, and was overpowered after a hard struggle in the county clerk's office at Somerville yesterday morning by constable Dorland and officer Crow, and lodged in a cell in the county jail. Previously an attempt was made to capture him at his home upon complaint of his wife, but he eluded his captors and ran to the second story of his home, where he repelled the officers by hurling water pitchers and other heavy articles at their heads. Chambers is the man who some seven months ago as related in THE PRESS, raised a rumpus by opening and lighting up the West End club-house on the main street, at 4 in the morning. He was the first of the West End club's janitors to go crazy. The other one, Mitchell, is now in the Morris Plains asylum. Chambers seems to be "off" on the subject of earning the mighty dollar, and because he has not become immensely rich he has gone daft. For the past two weeks he has shown bad symptoms of insanity and has daily searched his home for bright and shining money, tearing up the carpets and hauling the beds to pieces in a vain search for his wife's pocket-book. Thursday he threatened Mrs. Chambers with bodily injury, and she became much frightened, calling the officers to take care of him and protect her. Yesterday morning "Bob" was enticed with the promise of work to the county clerk's office, and was there captured as related. When told that he must go with them, Chambers became crazed, and, seizing his mop, the only weapon of defence handy, prepared to defend himself. He was disarmed, but a fearful struggle followed. The madman seemed possessed with the strength of ten ordinary men, and fought viciously against going with the officers. He was dragged out of the office and lodged in a cell fifty feet away. Constable Dorland's clothes were torn to shreds. Mrs. Chambers told a PRESS reporter that she felt very bad, but that she feared for her life to have him in the house. She was willing to provide for him and give him the needs of life if he would only stay indoors, but he would not and only wanted money. She said in conclusion as she dried her eyes. "Oh, if God would only take him to himself!" Chambers will probably be returned to Trenton early next week.

A NON-PARTISAN JUDICIARY.

Another Strong Reason For Mr. Coddington's Election.

In no State does the judiciary stand higher than in New Jersey. Since the foundation of the Government its Supreme court and higher judiciary has been non-partisan; Republican governors appointing Democratic judges and *vice versa*; and the high standard maintained and esteem felt towards it and its decisions is due in no small degree to this fact. Something that upon trial has proved itself so valuable a feature of the higher State judiciary seems to many voters to be worthy of trial in our city court and impelled by this sentiment many Republicans have expressed an intention of voting for William A. Coddington for city judge because he has been nominated for the office not because he is a politician but solely upon his merits as a lawyer and a man. We think he is a step in the direction of true municipal reform and that good to the city will result from it and would like to see this sentiment increase.

NON PARTISAN.

ULRICH SAYS HE DOES N'T WANT IT.

The Colored Vote for City Judge Going to W. A. Coddington.

A delegation of colored men, headed by Thomas Martin, visited the PRESS office this morning and expressed their grievances against the ring organ, which heaped insult on them and candidate Coddington, and lied about them. They utterly repudiated, with honest resentment, the allegations of the *Courier*. Mr. Martin as spokesman said: "My house is open to a gentleman always. Such a gentleman is Mr. Coddington. We have not been treated right by these misrepresentations, and we shall show our independence by working and voting for Mr. Coddington's election."

In this connection, it is reported that Mr. Ulrich, the opposing candidate, said "Oh, I can get along without the colored vote!" Who said sour grapes!

A Poor Man Robbed of His All.

The tailor shop of Peter Hurlick at Dunellen was broken into last night and robbed of $250 worth of goods. One of the missing articles is a $60 cloak which was being repaired. The owner called for it this morning, and the unfortunate tailor burst into tears as he told of the loss, which is only one of several which he will have to make good.

She Comes from the Cannibal Islands.

The pulpit of the Congregational church will be occupied by a woman to-morrow, one who has proved her right to stand in a Christian pulpit by years of service in the Cannibal Islands.

Taken away—sick headache, bilious headache, dizziness, constipation, indigestion, bilious attacks, and all derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. It's a large contract, but the smallest things in the world do the business—Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They're the smallest, but the most effective. They go to work in the right way. They cleanse and renovate the system thoroughly—but they do it mildly and gently. You feel the good they do—but you don't feel them doing it. As a Liver Pill, they're unequaled. Sugar-coated, easy to take, and put up in vials, and hermetically sealed, and thus always fresh and reliable.

A perfect vest-pocket remedy, in small vials, and only one necessary for a laxative or three for a cathartic.

They're the cheapest pill you can buy, because they're *guaranteed* to give satisfaction, or your money is returned.

You only pay for the good you get.

Can you ask more?

That's the peculiar plan all Dr. Pierce's medicines are sold on, through druggists.

Nik Naks For Christmas Presents.

AT REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY,

From ten cents up into the dollars. Fine Handkerchief Essences and Colognes in plain vials or in elegant cut-glass bottles, single or by the pair; Sachet Powders in fancy packets or by weight; Toilet and Manicure Sets; Combs and Brushes; also a choice selection of Japanese Trinkets, for every use, for every age; "trifles light as air." Prices are lower than Vantines.

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J. A. DEMAREST, - SOLE LESSEE AND MANAGER.

Monday, December 5.

THE ADMIRABLE ARTISTS,

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DEATHS.

NEWTON—In this city Nov. 30, 1892, Mary, wife of George H. Newton, aged 31 years, 1 month. Funeral services Sunday, December 4, at 1.30 p. m. in the First Presbyterian church, New Brunswick.

BARRY—In this city Dec. 2, 1892, Michael Barry, aged 17 years, 1 month and 12 days. Funeral from his parent's residence, 73 West 3d street, Sunday afternoon, Dec. 4, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

TREWIN—In this city Thursday, Dec. 2, 1892, Thomas R Trewin, in his 68th year. Funeral services at his late residence, No. 10 Orchard place, Monday, Dec. 5, at 12.30 p. m. Interment at Flemington, N. J.

VAIL—In this city Wednesday evening, Dec. 1, 1892, Jennie, wife of Rev. Albert Vail, in her 55 th year. Funeral services at the residence of Mrs Elizabeth Blackwell, No. 8 Central avenue, Monday, Dec. 5, at 2 p. m. Interment in Hillside.

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Henry H Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 96, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bagg, W. M. D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

Sons of St. George—No Surrender Lodge, No. 349.—Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month, at Sons of Temperance Hall cor. Front street and Park avenue. Englishmen and sons and grandsons of Englishmen are cordially invited to join. Chas. Burnes, President, Samuel Smith, Secretary. 8 31 y

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Secy 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke Regent.
E. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Easter Lodge, No. 8,543, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
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REHEARSAL NOTES.

The Ladies of the Cast in "Young Mrs. Winthrop".

A complete rehearsal of "Young Mrs. Winthrop", was held at the Casino last evening. The result was highly satisfactory to the management, and argued well for the artistic success of the Union County Country club's annual dramatic soiree on next Saturday evening, December 10.

The main interest of Bronson Howard's powerful play centers upon the impending legal separation of *Douglas Winthrop*, a typical New York club-man, and *Constance*, his wife, a type of the fashionable society woman of the day. Last night's rehearsal demonstrated that the leading female part, *Constance Winthrop*, as interpreted by Mrs. J. Parker Mason, will be somewhat in the nature of a surprise to the audience, on the 10th.

Mrs. Mason has hitherto been seen here only in light comedy parts, while the title-role in "Young Mrs. Winthrop" is one requiring alternately the exhibition of deep emotional feeling, of the tenderest pathos, and of strong dramatic power. The rehearsal last evening showed that in none of these will this talented amateur actress fall short.

In the female comedy-role, Mrs. Charles E. Brooks is called upon to impersonate a somewhat frivolous young married woman, *Mrs. "Dick" Chetwynd*. This amusing young personage moves blithely, and with undimmed brightness and vivacity, through rapidly, succeeding experiences of widowhood, divorce, and re-marriage to a former husband. Mrs. Brooks' conception of the character is such as to furnish an amusing contrast to the more serious scenes of the play, through the persuasive humor with which she invests the part.

Mrs. William L. Saunders, whose admirable representation of the character of *Esmeralda*, in the play of that name, last year, is most favorably remembered, has a charming part—though a difficult one—in "Young Mrs. Winthrop". It is that of a blind girl, *Edith*, whose cheery, sunny disposition enables her almost to forget her misfortune. Mrs. Saunders has by assiduous practice succeeded in properly reproducing the characteristic actions of a blind person, and will make a strong feature of the impersonation.

As *Aunt Ruth Winthrop*, an old lady "whose heart is still young", Mrs. Medina pervades the scenes in which she figures with that gentle ease of manner and dignity of carriage which come from ripe experience, and at rehearsals has shown also evidence of the talent inherited from her father, the late comedian, William E. Burton. Mrs. Medina's niece, Miss Massett, completes the feminine portion of the cast, contributing a part too small for her abilities, that of a maid, *Jeannette*.

WANT THE WORK PUSHED.

Street Railway Extension Demanded for Somerset Street Immediately.

Dr. J. T. Fritts of the Plainfield Street Railway company says that the reason the work of construction has not been begun on the Somerset street extension is because of opposition of inhabitants against tearing up the roadway at this season. The material has all been ordered, and the contract with the borough is being executed by the company.

The North Plainfield councilmen believe that the majority of the people want the road immediately, so last night they accepted the plans and specifications of the company, and by resolution urged them to proceed with the work of construction and operation without unnecessary delay The resolution was adopted unanimously.

The Red Cross Bazar.

The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First Baptist church will give a Red Cross bazar at the Roome homestead, Washington avenue, Dec. 5 and 6. The patronesses will be: Mrs. D. J. Yerkes, Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen, Mrs. Morgan S. Taylor, Mrs. Alexander Gilbert, Mrs. John French, Mrs George A. Chapman, Mrs. Walter M. McGee, Mrs. Harold Serrell, Mrs. S. St. John McCutchen, Mrs. Oliver B. Leonard, and Mrs. Martin I Cooley.

The society's officers in charge of the affair are as follows: President—Mrs. L. H. Biglow, jr.; first vice-president—Mrs L. H. Pike; second vice-president—Mrs. Judson B. Bonnell; recording-secretary—Miss Grace Yerkes; treasurer—Miss Edith K. Harold; corresponding-secretary—Miss Ida Yerkes.

Dr. Hurlbut to Picture Bethlehem.

The Rev. Dr. J. L. Hurlbut, acting pastor of the M. E. church, proposes to give on one evening in each month a sermon illustrated by the stereopticon. The first will be delivered Sunday evening, Dec. 25, Christmas night, on the subject, "Memories of Bethlehem". A number of large pictures will be thrown upon the screen, showing the city of Bethlehem in Judea, as it now is, and illustrating scenes of Bible history that transpired in its vicinity.

Wise Are the Salons of Plainfield and Borough.

[Bound Brook Chronicle.]

Our Plainfield contemporaries are printing a large number of articles nowadays on the opening of new streets connecting that city with North Plainfield. The people of the twin Plainfields are wise in their day and generation for they know that whatever tends to increase the facilities of access between the two towns adds to the material wealth of both places.

Sure Cures.

The surest cure for rheumatism, the Irishman says, is to prevent it, and it is equally true that the surest way to avoid disappointment in your holiday purchases is to go where you will find reliable goods. These you are sure to find at Collier's in countless varieties and at the very lowest rates.

I have been troubled with catarrh for 10 years and have tried a number of remedies, but got no relief until I purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. I consider it the most reliable preparation for catarrh and cold in the head.—George R. Crandall, P. M., Quonochawntaug, Rhode Island.

FIRE IMPROVEMENTS.

A Salaried Chief, and Other Essential Betterments, Recommended.

Mayor Saunders is wide-awake to the public interests of the borough. He has been investigating, both personally and through the fire committee of the council, the condition of the fire department. In a speech to the council last night he praised the personality of the sturdy volunteers composing the company, but deplored the incomplete shape the apparatus was in. He dwelt on the need of a hose tower, stating that the hose was mildewing and rotting for lack of a drying tower. He held that the authorities had not been giving proper support to the company. It was the duty of the council to provide proper support. The recent improvements, such as new alarm and division into districts, had added much to the efficiency of the fire protection, and the company ought not to have paid for them. He recommended that they be reimbursed, provided on investigation it was found that the work had been done in a proper manner and with reasonable economy. Such public-spirited generosity as theirs was extraordinary. The improvements should become the property of the borough if they were thoroughly reliable.

The fire committee, in answer to mayor Saunders's request, reported that in general equipment the department was lacking. The company consisted of 33 sober, active men. They worked at a disadvantage. A new suction was needed, so that either fire hydrants or wells and brooks could be used without delay. A new set of harness was wanted; also a hose tower, lanterns, and other necessaries. The expense of the proposed improvements would be about $350. The committee further recommended the appointment of a chief at a small salary.

The matter will be further considered by the council.

COMPETITION IN LIGHT.

The North Plainfield Electric Company Asked to Extend Its Circuit into Plainfield.

The gross defects in the house lighting service of the Plainfield electric company have led patrons to ask the North Plainfield company to substitute the Edison service for the Westinghouse in their houses.

The Plainfield company is carrying more lamps on its circuits than it can maintain properly with the present capacity. The result has of late been continued variation in the brilliancy of the light. The carbons would fade out to a dull red glow, and then momentarily flash up a little brighter. Once in awhile they have gone out altogether, for minutes at a time.

Such inefficiency is very annoying, and such variation hurtful to the eyes.

The North Plainfield company is seriously considering the petitions to establish competition here, and will hold a meeting to decide on the question of extension.

The borough service is at present far superior to that in Plainfield.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Jane Boome, relict of Judge William J. Boome, mother of A. P. M. Boome of New York, and Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, sr., and Miss Eleanor Boome of North Plainfield, and grandmother of William J. Boome and B. A. Hegeman, jr., died at her home, 33 Sycamore avenue, at 10 this morning. She was down to breakfast but was attacked shortly afterwards with neuralgia of the heart and died before a doctor could be summoned. Next month she would have been 89 years of age. She was widely known and revered as a thoroughly righteous woman. Her charity was bounteous but unostentatious. She was a member of the Crescent Avenue church and for years past has stood ready to donate a valuable site amidst her wide possessions in North Plainfield for the location of a chapel in connection with that church. Unless such provision has been made in her will, the church will probably lose the chance now as the gift has never been accepted.

More Runaways.

A horse owned by Gavett & Co. ran away on Front street this morning, starting in front of MacDonald's grocery. The senior Mr. Gavett was thrown out and severely cut and bruised. The driver, Frank Pope, was similarly injured. After the mischief was done, the horse stopped of its own accord.

Dr. Tucker, veterinarian, has a swollen wrist from a strain received in a runaway accident on Front street yesterday.

—An opportunity is still offered to young men to join a class in light gymnastics at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The class meets Saturday evening and is taught by E. L. Walz, jr.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

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[SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT.]

The training classes of the Y. M. C. A. will meet to-morrow at 9:15 a. m.

Services will be held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest to-morrow at 11 a. m.

Meetings will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms to-morrow at 9:15 a. m. and 4 p. m.

A meeting will be held as usual at the Mt. Pleasant school-house to-morrow evening.

Robert Clarke will lead the praise service in the Washingtonville chapel to-morrow evening.

A meeting will be held as usual at the Memorial chapel at Washingtonville, to-morrow evening.

At Bethel chapel, to-morrow, there will be morning service at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8.

Mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph's church to-morrow at 8:30 a. m., and High Mass at 10:30. Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m. and vespers at 8.

Seely Edsall will lead, a quartette will sing, and many young men will give short talks, at the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow at 4:15 p. m.

In the Warren Union mission chapel to-morrow there will be Sunday-school at 2:30, song service at 7:45, and devotional service at 8, conducted by Frederick Moon.

The services in Hope chapel to-morrow will be: Preaching by G. Kennedy Newell, pastor, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; song service and preaching, 7:45 p. m.

Services will be held in the German church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m., with sermons by the Rev. F. Koechli. Sunday-school will be held at 9:15 a. m.

At St. Mary's church to-morrow masses will be celebrated at 7:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 a. m. Vespers will be held at 3 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the First Baptist church to-morrow there will be: 9:30 a. m., prayer meeting; 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., preaching by the Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school and class for men.

In the Third Street mission to-morrow there will be Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m., young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m., and evening service with special service of song at 7:45. G. H. Batchelor, leader.

Frederick Moon will conduct the meeting for boys at the Warren Mission chapel to-morrow afternoon at 4:15. The subject "God's Word" will be treated in a manner particularly interesting to boys.

In the Congregational church to-morrow morning service will be held at 10:30, when Miss E. Theodora Crosby of Micronesia, will speak. Sunday-school will be held at 2:45 p.m., and Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:30 p. m.

In the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow, the Rev. J. W. Richardson's themes will be: 10:30 a. m., "The 'Not I' religion"; 7:45 p. m., "Why and How the Bible is different from other books". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30.

In Grace church to-morrow, the Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, will officiate. There will be early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a.m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11; Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 7:45.

Services in the First Presbyterian church to-morrow will include morning service at 10:30, and evening service at 7:30, at which the pastor, the Rev. C. E. Herring will preach; Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.; young people's society, 7 p. m.

In the Trinity Reformed church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Sabbath-school will meet at 2:30 p. m. In the evening at 7:30 the Rev. Dr. Lewis will repeat by request his sermon on "Gambling".

In the Church of the Holy Cross to-morrow the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector, will officiate. There will be morning prayer litany, sermon and administration of the Holy Communion at 11 a. m., Sundayschool at 3 p. m., and afternoon service at 4:30.

In the First Church of Christ to-morrow there will be preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m., on the theme "The Last Grand Commissions." Lord's Supper will be held at 11:45, and Sunday-school willl meet at 3 p. m. At 7:30 p. m., the children will have a Thanksgiving entertainment.

In All Souls' church to-morrow services will be held at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The Rev. Russell N. Bellows of New York will preach in the morning; and the Rev. Stephen H. Camp of Brooklyn in the evening will speak on Sunday-school work. The Sunday-school will meet at 11:45 a. m.

In the Church of Our Saviour, to-morrow, the Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector, will officiate. There will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., litany, Holy Communion and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday-school at 3:30 p. m., and evening prayer at 4:15. Two free stages will leave the railway station on North avenue in the morning, for the church, at 10:30, and return at the conclusion of the services.

Bowling.

Last night's game on the Crescent League alleys resulted as follows:

Barnes	160	VanEmburgh	137
VanWinkle	170	Wood	153
Vail	180	Mundy	152
Verrier	135	Tobin	134
VanAistyne	187	Petrie	126
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On the premises, on the easterly corner of Crescent avenue and First place, Plainfield, New Jersey all the household furniture and personal effects late of Job Male, deceased (except articles included in the Schoonmaker collection, which last named will be sold at Carey's auction rooms on Thursday afternoon and evening, December 8th instant,) consisting of parlor, dining room, bed room and library furniture, all beds and bedding, kitchen utensils, all carpets, matting, rugs, table cloths, towels, napkins and other linen, pictures, engravings, library of printed books, maps, charts, crockery, glassware, cutlery, silver-plated ware, some rare old china and one pier glass, and other personal property contained in the former homestead property of Job Male, deceased. Terms cash.

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Kind Lady—Come in. What'll you have?—Detroit Free Press.

His Promise.

Husband—When we were married you were very thin, and weighed just a little over one hundred. Since then you have gained in flesh and weigh nearly two hundred. I'm positively ashamed of you.

Wife—You shouldn't be. You promised to love me through thick and thin.—Brooklyn Life.

They Will Not Share.

Totling—I suppose Hilow will get all his father's property, as he has no brothers or sisters.

Dimling—He has, though. I know of at least five girls who have promised to be sisters to him.—Detroit Free Press.

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Mrs. Noorich—I want the pink-stone front of the house all torn down.

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CHARLES T. YERKES.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 38, 6 05, 6 29, 6 59, 7 20, 7 30, 7 45, 8 15, 8 37, 9 41, 9 48, 9 55, 10 04, 10 37, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 43, 5 57, 6 54, 7 09, 9 02, 9 23, 10 12, 11 28, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 5 05, 8 01, 8 52, 11 16, 11 43 A. M., 12 53, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 20, 9 23, 10 17 P. M.
Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9 10, 11 30, A. M., 1, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.
PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.
Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 43, 5 57, 6 54, 7 09, 9 02, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—6 01, 8 52, 11 43, A. M., 12 38, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 8 23, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.
Leave Newark 6 15, 7 18, 7 50, 8 55, 10 05, 11 35 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 30, 3 35, 4 05, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 6 00, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 9 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 50, 9 45, 9 50, 10 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 30, 4 10, 5 40, 8 05, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.
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Leave Plainfield 6 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m., 12 27, 1 50, 3 22, 5 45, 6 26, 6 54, 8 04, 8 30, 9 26, 7 14, 8 20, 9 27, 11 13, 12 45 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 8 28, 9 36, 11 19 A. M., 2 05, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.
Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 08, 7 38, 7 48, 8 23, 9 05, 9 47, 11 25 A. M., 12 34, 1 23, 3 05, 3 38, 4 50, 5 24, 6 35, 8 41, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—6 26, 11 15 A. M., 12 05, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 45 P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND EASTON
Leave Plainfield 5 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 8 28 A. M. 2 04, 6 38, P. M.
Leave Easton 6 05, 8 39, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield 7 10, 12 27, 9 20 p. m.
WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge Branch, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
9 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Manch Chunk, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
1 39 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.
5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.
6 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.
8 20 P. M. for Flemington.
8 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.
9 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
9 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin Williamsport, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.
Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.
Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 11 09, a. m. 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.
For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 5 38, 8, 11 09 a. m. 1 02, 4 01, 5 57, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.
For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.
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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 6 15, 8 20, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 1 39*, 3 04, 4 36*, 6 32*, 8 20, *9 37 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48, 11 15 a. m., 2 09*, 5 14*, 6 56 p. m., 1 17, night.
For Trenton, 6 15, 8 20, 9 42, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 39, 3 04, 5 54, 6 32, 9 37 p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday—9 34, 11 18, a. m., 2 09, 5 14, 6 56 p. m., 1 17 night.
For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 34* (5 38* Baltimore only) p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48 a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 14* (5 56 Baltimore only) p. m., 1 17, night.
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Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 9* p. m., 12 01 night.
From 24th and Chestnut 3 55, 8 20, 9 20, 11 15, a. m. 2 37*, 3 20, 5 18, 11 45, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 3 33*, 6 20, 8 15*, 11 45 p. m.
Leave Trenton, Warren and Market sts. 1 00, 1 55, 7 00, 9 02, 10 12, 11 39, a. m. 2 50, 4 08*, 4 40, 5 45, 6 59, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m. 4 08*, 6 13, 7 07, 8 00 p. m.
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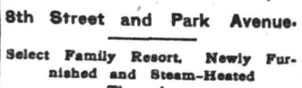
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NATIONAL LEGISLATURE

Both Houses of Congress in Session To-day.

THE PRESIDENT'S FINAL MESSAGE

It Will be Read To-morrow Afternoon—Nothing of Special Importance on the House Calendar—Senator Washburn and the Anti-Option Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The two houses of the 52d Congress meet at noon to-day in second session. After ascertaining that a quorum is present in each branch resolutions will be passed authorizing the appointment of committees to call on the President and inform him that the Congress is organized and ready to proceed to business.

The committees will be informed, and so report, that the President will shortly communicate with Congress in writing.

The message is expected to reach the Congress about 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

While the committees are executing the commission entrusted to them, the Senate and House will probably take a recess unless the associates of those Congressmen who have died since the adjournment of the first session announce their decease to the survivors. When the committees report adjournment will be in order.

It is the general impression that the coming session will add but little to the legislative records of the country, except in the matter of appropriation bills. The first order of business on the calendar of the Senate is the anti-Option bill, and it is the purpose of its friends to maintain it in its favored position until disposed of by a vote.

Senator Washburn, who has charge of the campaign in favor of the bill says the recent rise in cotton has not tended to alienate support from the measure, although he admits he was afraid it might do so.

Senator Washburn estimates the number of the friends of the bill at two to one to its opponents and says no other bill can be taken up in its place. But a lively contest on this point may be expected should Mr. Sherman undertake to antagonize the measure with a bill to repeal the silver law of 1890, which he has intimated he will introduce. The proposition covered by this bill is of such general interest, it is believed by some, that its consideration could be secured even against the anti-Option bill.

None of the appropriation bills are expected in the Senate before the holidays.

There is nothing of special importance on the House calendar and no appropriation bills are expected to make their appearance the first week of the session. Efforts will be made to push several bills that attracted attention last session relating to the revenue.

SENATOR GIBSON DYING.

His Relatives No Longer Attempt to Conceal the Truth.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 5.—It is apparent that only a few hours of life now remain to Senator Gibson, of New Orleans. He has been gradually sinking.

His relatives and friends, who have been so reticent about his condition, now no longer attempt to conceal the truth, but announce to their friends that there is no hope.

He grows weaker every hour. He does not appear to suffer any, but his vitality is gradually wasting away the small spark of life which now exists.

Cleveland Expected to Visit Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 5.—President-elect Cleveland will, no doubt, visit this city in a week or ten days. Charles Jefferson has written a letter to J. Henry Putnam of Vermillion, asking for the use of his steam yacht to entertain the President-elect. The letter stated that Mr. Cleveland would probably arrive in a week or ten days. The programme is to take a trip from Raceland to Vermillionville, through excellent shooting grounds.

The Suicide Once a Society Leader.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Dec. 5.—Mrs. Belle Washburne, who committed suicide at the insane asylum Saturday, was at one time a society leader here. She was abused and deserted by her husband until at last her mind became affected.

Lynching Cases Must be Tried.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 5.—It has been decided by the United States Circuit Court that the suits for damages against the city government growing out of the famous lynching of the Italian prisoners must now be tried on their merits.

Big Coal Docks Burning.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Dec. 5.—The Northwestern coal dock fire is growing worse. The fire is in the centre of a 75,000 ton pile, and is difficult to get at. The loss is already $25,000, and may reach four times that amount.

Cleveland to Move Back to Lakewood.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., Dec. 5.—President-elect Cleveland has again rented from the Lakewood Hotel the cottage he occupied last winter, and which is now known as the Cleveland cottage. He is expected to move in very soon.

Reception to Successful Football Team.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 5.—At a meeting of representative alumni and undergraduates of the University of Pennsylvania it was decided to give an evening reception to this year's successful football team, on Dec. 16.

Mayor Gleason Receives a Setback.

LONG ISLAND CITY, Dec. 5.—Judge Bartlett has ordered the clerk of the city to revise the official returns which the clerk, who is an appointee of Mayor Gleason, certified as giving Gleason a majority for re-election.

Indebtedness Over Half a Million.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 5.—Receiver King of the Ainslie lumber company has filed his first statement showing the company's indebtedness to be $550,000, with assets $300,000.

To Prosecute "Sweaters."

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—State Factory Inspector Connolly is preparing to begin criminal proceedings against several "sweater" clothing manufacturers.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.
Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

JAY GOULD'S FUNERAL.

The General Public Will Not be Admitted to the House To-day.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The public will not be admitted to the funeral services over the body of Jay Gould this afternoon. The change in the arrangements was decided upon late last evening.

Many persons had expressed a wish to have a look at the face of the dead man. When the arrangements were first made on Saturday morning it was thought that it would be possible to gratify this desire and the announcement was made in accordance. So many persons, however, declared their intentions of taking advantage of the invitation that the friends who had charge of the arrangements saw that they could not handle the crowd.

There will be no pallbearers. The body will not be removed to the mausoleum at Woodlawn Cemetery until Saturday, when the Episcopal committment services will be read by Chancellor McCracken.

At the residence of the dead magnate at Fifth avenue and Forty-seventh street, there was hardly a sign of life apparent this morning. The knotted streamers of black and white crepe hung dispiritedly from the door bell. All curtains were closely drawn, and the only caller during the early morning hours was the undertaker.

The first official notice taken by the Western Union Telegraph Company of the death was by passing resolutions of condolence, which were at once forwarded to the family.

The Board of Officers will attend the funeral in a body.

TWO FATALLY WOUNDED.

A Philadelphia Cable Car Smashed by a Switching Engine.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 5.—Despite safety gates and the presence of two watchmen at the crossing, car No. 370, of the Traction company's Jefferson and Master street line was crushed by a shifting engine at American street and Columbia avenue at 8:15 last night. Two passengers were fatally and seven seriously injured. They are:

William Cunningham, a conductor, left leg broken, severe scalp wound, and otherwise injured; will probably die.

Lizzie Carnough, 12, right leg broken, cut about face and internally injured; will probably die.

Emma Carnough, 18, cut about head and face.

Jane Delaney, 48, injuries about body, severe contusion of the left hip.

Rose Deaney, 19, severe injuries of left leg.

Bridget McErlane, 19, injured about body and cut with glass.

Samuel Bellerjean, 38, severe injuries about body and legs.

John Ward, 19, right leg terribly lacerated.

Elsline McAdoo, 12, badly bruised about body.

Mary Richards, 40, terribly bruised about the body.

FATHER CORRIGAN'S LATEST.

The Hoboken Priest Reiterates His Statement Concerning Bishop Wigger.

HOBOKEN, N. J., Dec. 5.—Rev. Father Corrigan makes a statement in regard to the letter published by Bishop Wigger yesterday. He said:

"I did not mean to say that Bishop Wigger presided at all the German Catholic congresses or that he acted as moderator. What I mean is that he has been present at all the congresses and was the leading spirit of the organization. What I stated in my letter published on Friday about Bishop Wigger's treatment of Monsignor Doane is absolutely true and the Bishop cannot truthfully deny it."

Father Corrigan says he has received a flood of letters from all parts of the country complimenting him upon the stand he has taken in the matter at issue. He says they are private, but one is from a distinguished naval officer who won renown in the rebellion, and another from one of the most prominent journalists in the country. Both are Protestants.

A DIVORCE DENIED.

Thomas W. Pearsall Says the Reports from Sioux Falls Are False.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 5.—The story that Pauline Spofford Pearsall had secured a divorce from Thomas W. Pearsall, the wealthy banker of Black Rock, and so well known in club life and business circles in New York city, is most emphatically denied by Thomas W. Pearsall, jr., and E. Robbins Walker of New York, a son-in-law. Mr. Pearsall, jr., said:

"The reports are false in every particular. Mrs. Pearsall has been traveling in the West for months with her brother, Clarence Spofford, and she will return home next week.

"Every Christmas at our home there is a grand celebration. Flour, clothing and other presents are distributed to the poor of Black Rock, and a large number of well known New Yorkers attend the festivities. Mother has never missed one of these gatherings and she will be home on Christmas.

Expect Their Demands to be Granted.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 5.—Representatives of the striking miners report that the men expect their demand for an advance to three and a half cents per bushel to be granted early this week.

Big Blaze at Zanesville, O.

ZANESVILLE, O., Dec. 5.—A fire which started at midnight destroyed Beaumont company's mill and Blankenbuhler's warehouse and mill and threatened the lower end of the city.

A Hill Democrat Wins.

ALBANY, Dec. 5.—Barnard Doyle, a Hill Democrat, has been appointed Chief Clerk in the office of State Engineer and Surveyor, in the place of John P. Masterson.

OSBORNE STILL HOLDS THE FORT.

No New Developments in the Wyoming Gubernatorial Fight.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 5.—Governor elect Osborne spent another night in the Executive chamber. The place is guarded on the outside by the sheriff of the county, who had been called into service by the capitol commissioner on the report that the Democrats would raid the building to get possession of the seal of the State.

T. M. Patterson of Denver arrived yesterday and Osborne left the Capitol building to meet him, leaving the room in charge of a strong guard with instructions to hold.

The members of the State Board of Canvassers now say they will canvass the vote for Governor and issue Osborne a certificate of election.

Acting Governor Barber's private secretary still holds the inner and private office of the executive suit. In his room down town Mr. Barber gets the mail addressed to the Governor and is transacting business. The fact that he is really Secretary of State facilitates his operations.

Acting Governor Barber has issued a proclamation denouncing Governor Osborne as an usurper, and stating that as soon as the returns are in from all the counties of the State a canvass of the votes will be made.

FOR A SHIP CANAL.

Mr. Hill and Mr. Tracey Preparing a Bill for One Through New York.

ALBANY, Dec. 5.—United States Senator Hill and Congressman Charles Tracy are both making active preparations to try to force through Congress a bill to at once build a ship canal through this State.

The proposed route is up the Hudson river to the Erie canal and thence through the Erie canal.

The argument to be used to hasten the measure is that the completion of the Canadian canal will injure our commerce. Should this Canadian watercourse detract from the transportation of the Erie canal as far as the Western freight is concerned, there can be no doubt but that New York will fall from the position it holds in Western transportation business.

The new ship canal will provide for a waterway 200 feet wide, with an average depth of 20 feet. The cost of such a waterway will be $150,000,000, but the benefit to be derived is incalculable, resulting in keeping New York the commercial emporium.

The question of military supremacy on the Great Lakes is also concerned, and the question whether Canada will be allowed to control the West.

SAID HE WAS NAPOLEON'S SON.

Death in a Poorhouse of a Queer Old Man Who Had Told a Remarkable Yarn.

FINDLAY, O., Dec. 5.—Paul Jordan, who said he was a son of Napoleon Bonaparte, is dead at the county infirmary. He was born in Paris in 1786, according to his own statement. If true, this would make him at the time of his death 106 years old.

Jordan's story was to the effect that he went to Egyt in 1796 with Napoleon upon his famous expedition to the Pyramids, and was captured by the Turks; that he lived a nomadic life with them for several years, afterward being stolen by the Jews, and that he lived in Jerusalem until a short time after his reputed father was banished to the Island of St. Helena.

Jordan has lived as an inmate of the Hancock county infirmary for 10 years, having been found in a bewildered condition, and unable to give any account of himself.

EXIT THE CASE OF IAMS.

The Final Disposition is that the Defendants Shall Not Pay Costs.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 5.—The final disposition of the celebrated Iams case has been made.

The Court decides that the defendants shall not pay the costs, thereby setting aside that part of the verdict directing that the costs of the aggravated assault and battery costs shall be equally divided between Col. Streator and Col. Hawkins.

Immediately after the verdict was rendered Attorney Braddock moved that that part of it referring to the costs should be set aside. The Court granted a rule on the prosecutors to appear and show cause why this should not be granted.

The case was argued several days ago.

London's Latest Dance.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—A novelty at the Tivoli Music Hall is the new dance of Marie Leyton, which can only be described as a kind of serpentine dance with a startling effect produced by the bursting into a blaze of many colored electric lights, which shine through the blue gauze covering the breast, arms and legs of the dancer. The dance has proved a great attraction and the place is filled nightly with fin de siecle youths.

Suicide of a Lieutenant.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 5.—Lucien Alces, lieutenant of Co. I, 2d regiment, N. G. S. N. J., of Bobokak, shot himself at his house yesterday. He was 27 years old and wealthy. His relatives know of no reason for the deed.

Senator Kenna Out of Danger.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Senator Kenna has improved so much in the last few days that his friends now regard him as out of danger.

Storm Damage in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5.—Reports are being received here of great damage caused in different parts of the State by the recent storm.

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

Secretary Noble's Annual Report to the President.

REVIEW OF LAND OFFICE WORK.

The Eleventh Census—Operations of the Patent Office—Enormous Business of the Pension Bureau—Nicaragua Canal Project Warmly Endorsed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The annual report of Secretary Noble to the President is an interesting document and covers fully and in detail the operations of this Department.

The volume of work accomplished during the present administration is shown to greatly exceed that of any like preceding period.

In the General Land Office on June 30, 1888, there were pending 350,953 final entries, and the accumulation steadily increasing. These have all been disposed of. During the present administration 398,128 agricultural patents have been issued against 162,754 in the preceding four years, representing an excess in acreage of 37,659,940 acres. Nearly four times greater area of public lands has been surveyed than during the previous four years, and there has been a great increase in mineral and coal patents issued. The selections of public lands by the States for educational and internal improvements have greatly exceeded the work of any previous years.

The policy of making forest reserves in the Western States and Territories has been greatly advanced during the past year. Six such reserves have been created by Presidential proclamation, making an area of 8,252,260 acres.

The system of irrigating the arid lands of the Western country has been greatly advanced by the selection of sites for reservoirs, and by extending these irrigating systems in conjunction with forest preserves.

Educational work among the Indians has been greatly increased and improved in efficiency. There has been an increase of over 13 per cent. in attendance of children in the schools, the total being 19,798 scholars for 1892. New Indian reservation boarding schools have been established during the present administration.

Strict discipline has been enforced and better education fostered, a uniform system of text books and course of study has been adopted, and the compilation of the rules for the conduct of the schools has been prescribed, thus establishing a thorough and uniform system.

Under the policy of Indian allotments, negotiations with 14 tribes during the present administration has resulted in the opening up for public settlement of nearly 26,000,000 acres of land. Other negotiations which are pending will when ratified add 10,000,000 acres more. Allotments of lands in severalty to the Indians have been made in very large numbers, and 5,900 to whom patents have been issued have by operation of law become citizens of the United States.

The Census publications have been received with favorable indorsement throughout the civilized nations. With the exception of a small amount of work on vital statistics and population and the statistics of manufactories and agriculture all the regular work of the Eleventh Census is about completed.

The number of patents granted was 23,628, the total receipts were $1,268,724.35, and the expenditures $1,114,134,28. The amount in the Treasury to the credit of the Patent Office is now $4,103,341.09.

The volume of business handled and disposed of by the Pension Office during the past year is shown to have been enormous. There were on June 30, 1892, 876,068 pensioners borne upon the rolls, being 199,908 more than were on the rolls at the close of the last fiscal year. The estimates for the deficiency for this year is $10,508,631, and the estimate for fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, is $165,000,000.

The Secretary's report enters into quite an interesting review of the facts shown by the annual reports of the governors of the various Territories.

Regarding the Nicaragua canal, the Secretary expresses the opinion that this enterprise is of the utmost importance to the welfare of our country in either peace or war, and should have most favorable recognition by Congress.

The report is replete with information as to the great bureaus mentioned, and can be fully appreciated only by a careful perusal.

Rival Organizations Combine.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The representatives of the hitherto conflicting organizations, the Order of Commercial Telegraphers of the United States and the Order of Commercial Telegraphers of North America met in New York yesterday, and, as a result, it was agreed that the interests of both associations should be merged, and that the Order of Commercial Telegraphers of North America should be recognized as the only organization of commercial telegraphers on the continent of North America.

Great Wheat Blockades.

WEBSTER, S. D., Dec 5.—There has been for the past 30 days a shortage of cars here. Farmers come from 25 miles and are not able to sell. They have to leave their wheat in barns, blacksmith shops and anywhere they can get it in. This condition of affairs buyers take advantage of and knock down on grades. The same condition exists in Bristol, Butler, Bradley, Pierpont and Longford.

Premier of Quebec Resigns.

MONTREAL, Dec. 5.—Premier De Boucherville, head of the Quebec government, has sent in his resignation to the Lieut.-Gov. Mr. Taillen, the former leader of the Conservative party, has been summoned from Montreal, and asked to form a Ministry.

The International Yacht Race.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Lord Dunraven's challenge for an international yacht race has been received and it can be safely assumed that a race for the American cup is a certainty.

The Brooklyn Minister Still Missing.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 5.—Rev. Samuel McCleary, who mysteriously disappeared from this city several days ago, has not been found. He is said to be insane.

The Rhine Vintage Falls Short.

MAYENCE, Dec. 5.—Vintage on the Rhine this year, in the matter of quality, will be excellent, but very disappointing in quantity.

Everything used in making Cleveland's baking powder is named on the label. Cleveland's is simply a pure cream of tartar powder. No alum, no ammonia.

Food raised with Cleveland's Baking Powder does not dry out quickly, but keeps moist and fresh.

RABBIS AT WASHINGTON.

Extra Session of the Central Conference to Consider Important Matters.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—A number of Jewish rabbis have already arrived in this city in obedience to an official call for an extra session of the Central Conference of American Rabbis to be held in this city, beginning to-day.

The call was issued by Rabbi Charles Levy, the recording secretary of the conference, who is a leader of reformed Judaism in the United States. The sessions will probably extend through the week.

Rabbi Levi gave notice to all the members of the conference that their presence in this city on this occasion must be regarded as an "imperative obligation." The importance of the conference is increased by the fact that the delegates of the Union of American-Hebrew Congregations will participate in the proceedings this week.

There will be about 100 rabbis at this conference. Several questions of importance to the American rabbinnate will be considered.

CAPTAIN SMITH CONFESSES.

Threw the Boy Neal Overboard and Then Shot at Him.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 5.—Captain John Smith of the schooner Lou, engaged in guano trade along the Mexican coast, who is under arrest on a charge of having thrown George Neale, a sixteen-year-old boy, overboard from the vessel November 25th, afterward shooting at him, causing the boy's death, has confessed that he did throw the boy overboard. His only cause was that the boy "wanted to run the schooner." Captain Smith said this made him "mad."

Mrs. Neale, the mother of the boy, is prostrated with grief. There is great indignation in the city against Captain Smith.

The latter is 64 years of age and unmarried. His relatives live in Pittsburg, where his father is a Presbyterian minister. An uncle, Joshua Copley, is well-known as the author of "The Gathering in Beulah."

Balance of Power in Kansas.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 5.—John Richardson, editor of the Wichita "Beacon," says that the result of the official count gives the Democrats a balance of power which is absolute. He claims that figures, showing to return to the Senate of O'Brien and Dillard would stand, while there will be two Democrats to the Lower House. This makes the complexion of the Legislature on joint ballot as follows: Republicans, 79; Populists, 82; Democrats, 4.

First Florida Oranges in England.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—The British steamer Ethelwold which sailed from Fernandina, Fla., Nov. 15, with a cargo of oranges has arrived at Liverpool. The cargo consists of 9,665 boxes of prime Florida oranges and is the first cargo ever exported direct to England. The oranges have not yet been landed, but they appear in fair condition.

A Married Man's Victim.

DETROIT, Dec. 5.—"Mrs. Lottie Anderson Bernard," who committed suicide at San Diego, Cal., last Tuesday, it is believed, is the daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Wylie of this city, who left home several weeks ago with a married man, who, it is thought, after tiring of her had deserted her.

They Want No Pipe Line.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 5.—Serious trouble is apprehended on the border of Lake county, where the Lake Shore railroad company has an armed posse prepared to resist the laying of pipe by the Natural Gas company, which is seeking an entrance to Chicago.

Probable Successors of Mr. Gould.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—It is rumored that Col. F. K. Hain will be elevated to the presidency of the Manhattan Elevated Railroad Company, and that possibly W. G. Humstone will fill the Western Union directorship made vacant by the death of Mr. Gould.

Prepared to Receive Mr. Cleveland.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., Dec. 5.—Extensive preparations are being made at the Freeman Cottage for the reception of President-elect Cleveland, who is expected here early this week. Saturday night Mrs. Cleveland was the guest of honor at "Welsh Rarebit," served by Wilson De Meze, at his studio here.

Rev. Peter Warnon Under Arrest.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 5.—Rev. Peter Warnon, the healing evangelist, who has created more or less of a sensation over his alleged faith cures, is under arrest charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. He claimed that he did not charge anything for performing cures but the police say differently.

Wants $150,000 Damages.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 5.—Dr. M. S. Sale, owner of the sensational stallion Temple Bar, who, with his horse, was ruled off at Cleveland last year for alleged fraud in a race there, has brought suit against the National Trotting association for $150,000 damages.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Tuesday: For New Jersey, Fair, Variable Winds, Slightly Colder Tuesday Morning.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Mr. Ford will entertain at the M. E. church to-morrow evening.

—The board of education has not yet fully decided the one-session question.

—The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held in the public library to-morrow morning at 11.

—A Christian Endeavor prayer meeting will be held to-night at 8, in the lecture room of the Trinity Reformed church.

—There are a lot of pretty girls and clever comedians with Barry & Fay. Do n't miss them to-night at Music Hall.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the "Y's" will be held Wednesday, Dec. 7, at 4. A large attendance is requested.

—William D. Murray will give an illustrated on Japan at the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Thursday evening. The admission to all of these popular talks is free to young men.

—Singular, is n't it, that every one of the *Courier's* "communications" should end in just the same way "Vote for John Ulrich for city judge"! Of course 'twas a different pen each time!

—A careful report of Dr. Lewis's free and fearless sermon on "Gambling", as preached in the Trinity Reformed church last evening, will appear in these columns to-morrow, in response to the request of many.

—The editor of the *Courier* gives evidence of his sort of Christianity by speaking in flippant terms of the Creator and jesting about mortals being on "speaking terms" with God. Oh, "the *Courier* is a clean paper"! So it says.

—An event of this season at Music Hall occurs next Thursday evening when the Mapleson English Opera company will appear in "Fadette". Mrs. Loura Schirmer-Mapleson is the prima-donna, and a great company give her artistic support.

—Anyone accustomed to read between the lines can see in the *Courier's* long string of "communications" about candidate Coddington the same hand, and it is tolerably evident that the inventor of the alleged "citizens" is the imaginative *Courier* editor himself.

—Manager Demarest has been agreeably surprised by the extent of the advance demand for seats from which to view the farewell performance of "McKenna's Flirtation", which will be given at Music Hall to-night by Barry and Fay. The indications all point to a large house.

—The situation of the Union county jail warden matter seems just now to be very favorable for Charles Dodd the present Republican incumbent. He has 7 Republican votes and 1 Democratic to start with, with another Democrat wavering toward him. All that are necessary for a choice are 9.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Freddy Jones, late of the Crescent League, is now employed by Miller Bros., at that popular hostelry, Hotel Grenada

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Flaherty have removed to Milltown, where Mr. Flaherty has secured a situation as private coachman.

Harry G. Runkle, president of the Union County Country club, will give a dinner Saturday evening after the play, to the performers.

The names of the plays to be given by the amateurs at the Casino, on the evening of the 29th inst., are "The Veneered Savage" and "The Duchess of Dublin".

Phillip Walcott, foreman in A. J. Leader's *Hotel Mail* printing establishment, Nassau street, New York, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Leader, corner of Duer street and Mercer avenue.

Mrs. Alice Stoddard-Hollister of New York, and Mrs. Alice Holmes-Faxon, recently of this city, will sing the incidental soli of the Cantata at the Melopoia opening concert, to-morrow evening.

Mrs. L. A. Dunn, and son, Master Harry Lewis, arrived in Plainfield early yesterday morning from Fairhaven, Washington. They are now visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wilbur, of East Third street.

Mr. Streull and daughter of Netherwood were passengers on the ill-fated steamship *Spree*. They were about to return home after a year abroad. The enforced return of the *Spree* delays them considerably.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. David P. Hall, at Scotch Plains. The novelist, Marion Crawford (who is a cousin of Mrs. Hall) dined with Mr. and Mrs. Hall at Scotch Plains Sunday.

A very interesting service was held at the Third street mission last evening. A quartette consisting of Mrs. George Wein, Mrs. Hobart Ryder, Will Runyon and Edward Ryder, with Miss Lou Northup as accompanist, rendered beautiful music. A cornet solo was played by Whitfield Frazee. The attendance was unusually large. George H. Batchelor conducted the service, and his remarks were excellent.

Every voter is personally interested in the selection of City Judge. The people's candidate deserves the election. He is not a politician, but an upright citizen of probity and wisdom. His name is William A. Coddington. Vote for him. 4t

CRANFORD'S HEAVY FIRE LOSS

Destruction of the Business District —Loss, $80,000—Plainfield's Assistance Asked for.

The explosion of a lamp was the cause of the disastrous fire at Cranford, last night and early this morning. The explosion occurred at 10:30 in Freeman's drug store on North avenue opposite the station. It set fire to the two-story building next to the new row of brick buildings known as opera-house block. In a short time the building was ablaze and the flames rapidly extended through a row of buildings occupied by B. Ile's billiard-room, Redfern's plumbing store, Bayard's stove store, Long's shoe store, and Lint's architectural office. Valuable specifications and plans were destroyed with the buildings and the contents of the stores. One hundred and twenty thousand dollars in mortgages and bonds of the Cranford Building and Loan association, which were in a safe in Long's store, are supposed to have been destroyed.

Within twenty minutes the fire leaped across the street on Eastman avenue and destroyed five more buildings occupied by Hammer's grocery, the post-office, of which John L. Derby is postmaster; J. H. Hart's drug-store, Cranford hall, Mrs. E. Seward's fancy and dry-goods store, Philips Johnson's paint-store, and one or two stables in the rear. About fifteen families, the members of which were all in bed, were turned out in the cold and lost all their effects. None of the shopkeepers saved their stock. The fire burned with much fury fanned by a strong northwest wind.

Appeals were made to Plainfield, Westfield and Elizabeth for help. The chemical engine and entire department of Westfield, and Rolla Engine company of Elizabeth responded, driving five miles to reach the scene.

Eight buildings in all were levelled to the ground. There were several narrow escapes from death. Rolla Engine company did good work in checking the conflagration. Cars on the Jersey Central railroad were saved by pulling them away. All the telephone and telegraph-wires were burned down.

The loss will be fully $80,000, partially covered by insurance.

J. M. Luster of Cranford announced today that he will give Rolla Engine Company $500 for its services. That amount was promised to Plainfield. Chief Doane and Gazelle engine company responded to the frantic telegraphic appeal, but beyond the loan of hose their services were not needed. The Plainfield firemen were only 40 minutes covering the 8 miles on the county road.

Cranford has no fire apparatus, but will now organize a fire department. Property-owners, while standing in glare of the fire, pledged themselves to contribute for this purpose.

One of the blocks burned to ashes was partly destroyed by fire a year ago, and was only recently rebuilt.

All Will Work for Charity's Cause.

The following is a list of the earnest workers who have charge of the departments at the Red Cross bazar at the Roome homestead to-day and to-night:

FLOWER BOWER—Miss Edith Harold, assisted by Miss Clara Thompson, Miss Emma Case and Mrs. G. E. Williams.

CANDY TABLE—Miss Lizzie Smalley, assisted by Mrs. Budd Vail, Mrs. Frank Jones, Mrs. Harry Brokaw, Miss Helen Spear, Miss Grace Bonney, Miss Margaret Miles, Miss Susie Woodland and Miss Bertha Needham.

FANCY TABLE—Mrs. M. H. Pike, assisted by Mrs. G. A. Batchelor, Miss Laura Runyon, Mrs. Fred Slater, Miss Belle Butler, Miss Carrie Runyon, Miss Marie Classen, Miss Gussie Runyon and Miss Louise Runyon.

LEMONADE—Lena Smalley, Belle Lewis, Mary McLaughlin, Hattie Lewis, Minnie Smalley, and Adrienne Allison.

DOLL TABLE—Miss Grace Yerkes, assisted by Mrs. S. St. J. McCutchen, Miss Elizabeth Thompson, Miss Mary Shreve and Miss Lulu French.

ART TABLE—Miss Dora Grant and Miss Dollie Clawson.

PERFUMERY TABLE—Mrs. L. W. Randolph.

DAME DURDEN ROOM—Miss Alice Needham and Miss Laura Emmons.

BAG TABLE—Miss M. Stelle, assisted by Miss Anna Boice, Miss Alma Weber, Miss Ida Lewis, Miss Retta Hetfield and Miss Margaret Coriell.

APRON TABLE—Mrs. Caleb Dickinson, Miss Lillie Simpson, Mrs. B. J. Shreve, Miss Lizzie Manning, Miss Minnie Lewis and Miss Mary White.

RESTAURANT—Mrs. L. H. Biglow, jr., assisted by Mrs. John French, Mrs. J. A. Powlison, Mrs. L. E. Hart, Mrs. Oliver Leonard, Mrs. Laura VanName, Miss Rafferty, Miss Ella Allen, Miss Mary E. Thorn.

COUNTRY STORE—Mrs. David Dunn, assisted by Miss Margaret Love, Mrs. Harold Serrell, Miss Alice Woodland, Miss Florence Randolph, Miss Margaret Case.

DECORATION COMMITTEE—Miss Ida Yerkes, Mrs. Walter McGee, Mrs. Morgan Taylor, Miss Florence Marsh.

BY THE WAY.

—There will be a jolly invitation supper at the Crescent League club-house to-morrow evening.

—A session of routine business was transacted by the board of education Saturday evening.

—How to get free lessons in type-writing and short-hand is told in the advertising columns to-day.

—The councilmanic committee received plans for the fine new engine-house Saturday evening, and will consider their respective merits.

—One of the busiest places of business in the State is VanEmburgh & Son's new store. It is a veritable "Little Bee-Hive", and is a favorite resort for holiday shoppers.

—The exact manner in which the lamentable accident to Minnie Carroll occurred was this: She took a lighted piece of paper in one hand, and the fowl in the other. Having singed the chicken, she dropped the piece of paper. It continued to burn at her feet, and set fire to the hem of her garments.

A neglected cold often terminates in consumption. Take Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in time, and forestall the dreadful disease.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad could hardly breathe, some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

NO "HOLY TERROR" WANTED.

Conscience and Mercy Desired in the New City Judge—The Partisan and the People's Candidates Calmly Compared.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The candidacy of William A. Coddington for the office of city judge, in opposition to John Ulrich, the Republican nominee, has given the juvenile organ of ultra-Republicanism another opportunity for the display of small-boy politics. I allude, of course, to the Front street weanling. Literally possessed by that odious trait which would rather detect a fault than commend a virtue, the editorial and local columns of the penny-twinkler "go for" Coddington in its own small way. Not content with its perfunctory support of its own party candidates, it seeks, through hypercritical assumptions, to belittle not only the man but the methods of the opposition, in the puerile belief that the votes its candidate so sorely needs can be won that way. It even goes so far as to become the mouth-piece of imaginary persons who boast, in the mind of the *Courier* editor, of a purpose to defeat the gentleman at whose expense they had been entertained, as is evidenced by the prominence given to a "Colored Voter's" shameless proclamation in Friday's issue. However, this is enough of the little ways of a little thing; my purpose in intruding upon your crowded space is prompted by more serious matter.

Against judge Ulrich, as a gentleman, so far as this writer knows, there is nothing to be urged. But the office for which he has been put forward is one in which the common people of this city have a greater interest than any other. Its functions touch every strata of social life; and in its administration the element of mercy is a prime essential. The ends of justice are never better served than when its decrees are tempered with a merciful sympathy—sympathy that is above weakness or sentimentalism; resolute, but not arbitrary. To be a "terror to evil-doers" is not, in itself, a recommendation for the position to which judge Ulrich and Mr. Coddington aspire. The law, which the city judge is sworn to enforce, is presumed to supply all the elements of terror requisite as a deterrent to crime. It is not to be expected nor desired that the personality of the judge shall add to or take from its abstract power to punish. It follows, therefore, that judge Ulrich's record, during a former incumbency, as a "terror to evil-doers" should not be urged to favor his present candidacy. To the very plain and simple folks, who are potent only at the ballot-box, a conscientious, discriminating, thoroughly fearless but kindly and generous-souled gentleman is much to be preferred; and in every one of these traits William A. Coddington is a recognized examplar. Moreover, the division of municipal offices between the two ranking parties is in every way desirable. The wholesome restraints put upon officials placed in power by the votes of the people, irrespective of party lines, has a tendency to restrict abuses and to promote fair dealing and efficiency. The small representation the Democratic and independent voters of Plainfield ask in the next municipal government must be conceded as fair; and, when the quality of that representation is considered, the equity of the claim, it would seem, must appeal very strongly to the suffrage of even the most uncompromising Republican partisan. In William A. Coddington the people present a young, capable, clean and eminently worthy candidate for an office second only to the mayoralty in dignity and responsibility. His campaign has been quiet, but determined and aggressive. He appeals not to the passions or partisan prejudices of the voters; but to their cool, sober judgment. With an immaculate, though comparatively short record, as a practitioner at the bar; ambitious and scrupulous, energetic, clear-headed and zealous for the right in all that pertains to the best interests of his fellows and the community in which he lives, William A. Coddington is preeminently the fitter man of the opposing candidates for city judge. And, unless all signs fail, by his own intrinsic merit and energy, and through the confidence and esteem in which the voters of Plainfield generally regard him, he will, on Tuesday next, be triumphantly chosen for the important office for which he has been named. This is, at all events, the very sincere conviction of a

FOURTH WARD VOTER.

RAIDED BY THE POLICE.

A Netherwood Auctioneer Roughly Handled at Elizabeth.

William H. Moffett, a New York land speculator who is well known in this city as a seller of Netherwood building lots, was arrested near Elizabeth, yesterday, while conducting an auction sale of building lots in connection with a free barbecue and sacred concert. Mayor Rankin ordered the police to raid the crowd. Moffett, his clerks and fifteen musicians were netted and fined $5 each. The appearance of the police caused a stampede among the five hundred people present. The collation was upset and scattered over the ground by the raiders, and the half-roasted beeve was dumped in the mud.

ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY.

When It Calls Coddington Upright, It Does n't Mean the Present Judge.

The ring organ seems to think it necessary to explain under the big scare head "Take Warning!" that in speaking of candidate Coddington as no politician and an upright man, it does n't mean judge William R. Codington. What sort of an underhand thrust at the rabbit-hunting judge is veiled in this strange distinction!

Union County Endeavor Union.

The Union County Christian Endeavor Union will hold its annual conference Friday night, Dec. 16, in the Presbyterian church at Springfield. Delegates are expected from every branch in the county. The principal address will be delivered by the Rev. George H. Payson, of Rahway. William B. Hamilton, of Elizabeth, will read a paper on evangelistic work, and Miss Alice B. Spangenberg, of Netherwood, will conduct the consecration service.

FINE, DELICATE, NATURAL!

Such are the FLORAL POWDERS (or sachet powders) prepared at REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY. Even those persons who don't care for Handkerchief Essences strongly approve our Floral Powders, because of their truth to nature and their richness. Especially worth mention is **Reynolds's Jacqueminot Rose**, the best in all the world. It may sound boastful, but it is a fact, nevertheless. Then come our **Heliotrope, Jockey-Club, Violet**, all very fine. These powders are sold by the ounce, and are much in demand for Holiday Fixings. By the way, we are showing the completest stock of Perfumery ever offered in Plainfield—fine quality, elegant styles, low prices.

Reynolds's Pharmacy, Corner Park and North Avenues.

Music Hall To-Night.

J. A. DEMAREST, - SOLE LESSEE AND MANAGER.

THE ADMIRABLE ARTISTS,

BARRY AND FAY REUNITED,

In the farewell performance here of

McKenna's Flirtation

Which was played 238 times in New York.

PRICES 35c., 50c., and 75c. ON SALE AT CENTRAL PHARMACY.

Christmas Souvenirs.

The largest assortment of new and beautiful Souvenirs, suitable for the Holidays that has ever been shown in Plainfield is now displayed at Edsall's.

Our advertising space is inadequate to give a list of articles, and therefore we invite everybody to call and see for themselves. Many who have seen them say that the prices are lower than in New York. Every department is brimfull of elegant new goods, and prices were never lower than now. Don't go to New York to shop for you can do just as well at

EDSALL'S.

Shoes. Shoes.

Comfort and health can both be secured by wearing the

Alfred Dolge All-wool Felt Slippers

We consider them by far the best on the market, being sewed by hand they are easy to the foot. The newest and neatest foot covering for the house is the Romeo. Agents for Plainfield and vicinity.

DOANE & EDSALL.

The largest stock of Rubbers in the city.

CANDIES. Kinyler's CANDIES.

ALWAYS FRESH AT CENTRAL PHARMACY, Front Street and Park Ave. 11 2 tf J. H. LEGGETT, Manager.

How He Mended His Tire.

The Plainfield cyclist who used chewing gum to mend a puncture in his tire until he could get home was outdone the other day by a South Jerseyman, reports the Newark *Sunday Call*. The wheelman ran over a small screw in the road and his hose-pipe tire suddenly collapsed. Although the puncture was very small it would be the means of his walking home unless he could remedy it, and after a few minutes spent in "cussing" the screw he picked it up and was about to hurl it from him when he was struck by a happy idea. In his toolbag he had a file, and with this he cut it in half, screwed it into the aperture in the tire so that the head was even with the tread, wound tire tape around it, pumped his tire and rode home rejoicing. It is said that he has since ridden the wheel many miles without removing the plug and thinks it the best plan yet discovered.

CRESCENT RINK,

COMMENCING

TUESDAY NIGHT, DEC. 6.

SKATING BICYCLING

The National Skate and Bicycle Syndicate will open the skating season on the above date and hold "Parties" every

Tuesday and Saturday,

During the winter excepting the week before Christmas, which is engaged for the Plainfield Band Fair.

Also bicycle assemblies and a school for riding will be opened on Thursdays, soon as the roads become unfit for good riding outside. Grand Xmas and New Year's skating festival Dec. 26, and January 2.

Prepare for the great spectacular carnival, the date of which will be announced later.

11 28 tf

Walter Arnold Hudson,

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Voice Culture, (Italian method). Instruction in Breathing, Tone Production and Artistic Singing.

Address, Hulett's Music Store, or Schirmer's, 35 Union Square, New York. 10 19 tf

Red Cross Bazaar,

Under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, at

The Roome Homestead,

Washington avenue, North Plainfield,

Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 5 and 6,

Afternoon and evening.

ADMISSION, - 10 CENTS.

Tea served from 4 to 6.

Supper served from 6 to 9.

An excellent menu. 1223

DEATHS.

ROOME—Suddenly in this city, Saturday, Dec. 3, 1892, Mrs. Jane Roome, widow of the late William J. Roome, in the 89th year of her age. Funeral services at her late residence, 33 Sycamore avenue, on Wednesday, 7th inst., at 3 o'clock p. m. Interment at convenience of family. 2

PROF. FORD

Will give Readings and Recitations at the M. E. CHURCH, TUESDAY, DEC. 6. Price 50c

"Prof. Ford is gifted with a fine presence, graceful manner and a splendid voice."—*New York Times.* 12 5 2

MANICURING

At 109 East Front Street.

Mrs. A. DeBaud. 11 25 1m

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS and decorative plants at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 11 27 7

TOILET—At reduced rate, old Council chamber, Nos. 40 and 42 West Front street. Apply to James Clark or J. C. Pope & Co. 12 5 3

PRIVATE family will let two large connecting rooms on second floor, with board for family of three or four; 10 minutes walk from depot. Address X. Y., care Press.

FOR SALE—A bay mare, 7 years old, 15 hands high; extra roadster; safe for lady to drive. Address C. Wright, care Press. 12 5 5

FREE—One month lessons in shorthand and typewriting if you begin this week; afterwards one dollar weekly. Apply room 30, Stillman block, West Front street. 12 5 2

FOR SALE—Paff's hotel, Scotch Plains; would exchange for Plainfield business property Paff, Scotch Plains. 12 5 10

PHOTO view cameras and lenses for sale. Molck, 15 East Front street.

GOOD rooms and board. 26 Central avenue. 12 3 27

WANTED—Sale ladies at White & Van Arsdale's. 12 3 2

TWO car loads of fresh Western cows for sale by S. Meyer, Riverside stock farm, Finderne, N. J. 12 3 6

BAY horse, sound and kind; worth $100; will sell for $50. Apply 19 Muhlenburgh place. 12 1 6

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS. pe 11 14tf.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

TO LET—The large room vacated by the First Church of Christ; also one office in Vanderbeek's building, cor. Park and North aves. Apply on premises. 10 3 tf

Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 96, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bagg, W. M.
D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

Sons of St. George—No Surrender Lodge, No. 349—Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month, at Sons of Temperance Hall cor. Front street and Park avenue. Englishmen and sons and grandsons of Englishmen are cordially invited to join. Chas. Burnes, President. Samuel Smith, Secretary. 8 31 y

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 138, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 23 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 62 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Easter Lodge, No. 3,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
Samuel J. Moss, Chief Ranger.
Samuel H. Lunger, Fin. Sec. 5-12-y

The Dairy

Delicatessen and Lunch.

Foreign and Domestic Cheese, Preserves, Fruit Butters, &c.

M. C. LANING,

10-31eod2m 44 West Front street.

Best Elgin Creamery Butter

28 Cents Per Pound

Fine Table Butter 24c. pound at

V. L. Frazee's, 25 West Front St.

EDWIN B. MAYNARD,

Hair Cutting and Shampooing.

Tonsorial Parlor, 28 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J. Ladies hair dressing and childrens hair cutting a specialty. 10 18 tf

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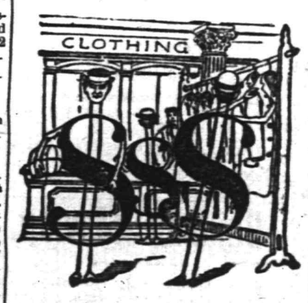
Cesspools and sinks thoroughly cleaned. Attention given to sanitary condition. Buildings, cellars, etc, disinfected. All work done under experienced manager. Telephone 29. JONES & CO. Cesspools built. 9 15 y



Saving is Earning.

A few dollars' saving on each purchase of Clothing amounts to a good deal in the course of a year. We not only give you low prices; we also give you high quality.

Our Fall and Winter stock is just fresh from the looms, and made up in the best styles of suits, finely trimmed, and at prices from the lowest up.

Also complete lines of Men's, Boys' and Children's trousers. And overcoats.

C. SCHEPFLIN & CO.,

70 West Front Street.

Peck's Corset Store.

74 Styles

P. M. DEMAREST,

Choice Groceries, Fruits & Vegetables

Headquarters for Butter. 5-5-tf

HOTEL GRENADA,

North Avenue.

Now open for the reception of guests, under the management of George and Wallace V. Miller. House has been thoroughly renovated and re-furnished throughout, and contains all improvements. First-class accommodations for families and the traveling public. 5-12-tf

White China for Decoration.

NEW LINES IN ALL OUR GOODS.

LAMPS, CHINA AND GLASSWARE.

AT GAVETT'S. 10-25-t

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BUY FURNITURE

Hastily and repent it when they have more time.

DO YOU?

Buy your Furniture of

POWLISON & JONES.

34 West Front St., Plainfield.

Upholstering, Repairing, Mattress Making.

Blankets, Quilts and Underwear

For Fall and Winter use, Oil Cloths and Carpets. Window Shades made and put up.

HOWARD A. POPE,

Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS. 5-16-y

MANUFACTURING AND REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

FURNITURE

Upholstering and Mattress Making a Specialty.

Garret Q. Packer,

23, 25 AND 27 PARK AVE., Plainfield, N. J. 5-4-y

NOW'S YOUR TIME TO SECURE BARGAINS IN

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All First-Class Instruments Represented.

F. M. HULETT,

74 West Front Street.

A Cold Snap

Is liable to appear any day. Are you prepared for it? Fix yourself up with Shoes and Rubbers at our place.

Sherwin's, 23 W. Front St.

Strictly cash and low prices for good wearing goods.

OYSTERS R GOOD NOW.

And the place to buy them is at

Rogers' Sea Food Market

42 WEST SECOND STREET. 3 16

Sebring's Large Stock of

Fall Overcoats.

$8, $10, $12, $15 and $20.

No. 27 PARK AVENUE.

ONE MOMENT PLEASE,

Thanks, I knew it would interest you. Imperial Flour only $5.00 per bbl. And while you are interested I would call your attention to Canned and Dried Fruits of all kinds are in *now*, and the prices are low at

J. F. MacDONALD.

THE UP-TOWN GROCER.

46 and 48 EAST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE No. 185. 1 15 tf

DOWN WITH THE RING!

Only the Independent and Righteous Should Sit in the Judgment Seat.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—"Straws show which way the wind blows", and it is the duty of Plainfield citizens of every political belief to take notice of several "pointers" in politics which have come to light in the campaign for city offices within the last few days.

The chief contest in to-morrow's election centres on the city judgeship fight. John Ulrich, occasionally prefixed "Honorable", received the Republican nomination for that office because he was out of a job, and could n't well do without it, while William B. Codington, the present very efficient judge, was deposed because the office was not necessary to his maintenance; at least that was the chief argument said to have been advanced by the Ulrich delegates in the city convention. Another argument used in advancing Ulrich's nomination and election was that which reported him as against the "ring" of Slope, Hurry & Co. Although Mayor Gilbert has given, perhaps unintentionally, an air of respectability to the "ring" rule government, many hundreds of Plainfield citizens, Republicans and Democrats alike, have not been hoodwinked nor deceived into believing that the despotic gang is not in full possession of the city at the present time.

The attitude of Mayor Gilbert and the common council toward the water company, the electric light company, the street railway company, or in fact any project that would turn an honest penny, or any penny at all, into the pockets of the financially interested boss or his allies, has proved to every thinking man that ring rule holds full sway in Plainfield at the present day, even as it did years ago, before L. V. F. Randolph as mayor made the rivals of the Tweed gang disgorge their ill-gotten gains.

Local historians say that John W. Murray paid Mr. Ulrich back in like coin for an old offense when he cheated him out of the Congressional nomination last October. Ulrich did Murray an ill turn, and Murray retaliated in his own unapproachable and finished way. Accounts were thereby squared.

Ulrich, however, reported on every hand that he was ill-treated, and as balm for his wounded feelings and blighted Congressional hopes demanded the city judgeship. Murray and his men are said to have refused him support at first, and not until the candidate for the nomination threatened hostility to Mr. Gilbert did the "ring" henchmen come into Ulrich's fold. They turned in to nominate their new master, and did nominate him, aided by delegates who traded their votes for Ulrich in exchange for votes for John Johnson, the candidate for collector. J. F. MacDonald, who opposed Johnson, could testify how badly Ulrich's men treated him, if he was not too much of a gentleman to "squeal".

It can be seen by the above that Ulrich's pretensions of opposition to the "ring" are all "poppy-cock", to use a very fitting, although somewhat inelegant word.

The *Courier's* attitude in Ulrich's campaign discloses another tell-tale straw. When it was reported that Ulrich was against Pope, the *Courier* naturally kept its hands off him. Not until a night or two ago did it come forth in its famous New York *Sun* office-boy English and urge the election of Ulrich. It is to be presumed that things were "fixed up" between the candidate and the boss, in which "fixing up" process the boss generally asks and gets large promises for aid in future deals.

Plainfield citizens, therefore, have to consider, when they vote, if they want to support a man presumably hide-bound to the "ring", or one independent in every way. William A. Coddington has brains enough to make a living without the office of city judge at his back. To a young man, however, honors are attractive, no doubt, and having decided to enter the contest he can not be criticized reasonably for taking every fair means to win the prize.

As a city judge he would undoubtedly be fearless and righteous, not bound by any ties whatever to the present rulers of the city. No Republican need be ashamed to vote for him, for he is a man worthy of an honest man's vote. I know of dozens of Republican votes which he will receive to-morrow, ballots of men who are eager to avail themselves of an opportunity to turn down a "ring" favorite.

AN OLD-TIME REPUBLICAN.

HOW'S YOUR MEMORY, JOHN?

If You Haven't Time to Reflect Now, Wait Till Wednesday Morning.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Although I am a Republican, I predict defeat for Mr. Ulrich in to-morrow's election for city judge. Mr. Ulrich did not keep faith with Plainfield Republicans when he last ran for office. He may remember the good-sized check, which William Walter Phelps sent to him to aid him in his last campaign in this Assembly district. The Republican party workers do not recall that Mr. Ulrich turned this check into the campaign fund. Mr. Ulrich may remember where this check went to.

Mr. Ulrich may remember that before his election to the assembly he was professedly a strong anti-Sewell man, and he may recollect that about the first thing he did (and perhaps while Mr. Phelps's check was still warm in his pocket) was to vote to elect Mr. Sewell to one of the highest offices in the United States. Mr. Ulrich may not remember some of these things. If not, he may have called to his mind the fact that the memory of the average Republican voter in this city is far better than his. Mr. Ulrich may have time Wednesday morning to stir his memory a little.

MEMORIALIST.

How Many Wheels in Town?

W. H. Rogers, the bicycle man, with the assistance of Frank Dunham is making a house-to-house canvass of Plainfield city and North Plainfield borough, to ascertain how many own wheels, how many can ride, and how many contemplate buying in 1893.

TAKES HIS OATH TO IT.

Here's a Manly Fellow Who Repudiates by Affidavit the Courier's Falsehoods.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The article published in the *Courier* (judge Ulrich's mouth organ) Friday last regarding Mr. Coddington's visiting my house and giving beer and whisky to the members of my club, is a base and deliberate lie. Mr. Coddington is a perfect gentleman and a good friend of mine and of every poor man, and I invited Mr. Coddington to stop and see my new club room some time and the gentleman did so. There was not a sign of any intoxicating liquor of any kind in my club room when Mr. Coddington was there; nor did he give anyone in the club any money to buy it with. We boys know Mr. Coddington to be a friend to the poor workingman, and we are going to support him. Mr. Ulrich can't apologize with us, nor patch up what he said last week about his not wanting the colored vote, that he could get along without them. We believe in voting for a good honest man like William A. Coddington. He is honest enough to say right out to our face that he would be pleased to have our votes and will thank us for them, so he is our man.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, UNION COUNTY, } S. S.

The above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THOMAS MARTIN.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 5th day of December, 1892.

W. A. WOODRUFF, Notary Public.

ELEPHANT ULRICH.

What He's Had, He Got Paid for—Yet He Cries for More.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In the *Courier* of last week an article appeared whose tone indicated a censure or ridicule of the Democratic party because it made no nominations for mayor or members of the common council and other offices in the coming city election. We think the conduct of the Democratic party leaders in the respect indicated is rather worthy of approval. The gentlemen nominated by the Republican party for the offices mentioned were all of them well qualified to fill their respective offices with the exception of the candidate for city judge, who is a professional politician, and most of them had given evidence of their efficiency by a faithful and perfectly satisfactory performance of the duties thereof during a previous term or terms. Such being the case we think it shows a sincere consideration of the good of the city prevailed above partisanship, and the Republican party instead of finding fault with the Democrats should feel under obligations to them for putting no one in nomination in opposition. This relieves the great majority of them of the inconvenience of registering or voting—or of electioneering as one vote cast for the Republican candidates ensures their election—and much expense, trouble and anxiety is avoided by the wise and considerate course taken by the Democracy.

When seeking his nomination for city judge the present nominee of the Republican party for that office laid much stress upon the sacrifices he had made on behalf of the party and pleaded that he needed the office to make up for pecuniary losses by him sustained.

We do not consider the plea a good one or one which a conscientious man having the welfare of the city and its inhabitants at heart should regard with favor.

In the first place it is not true in fact. He voluntarily abandoned his law practice to receive pay for nine months at the rate of fifteen dollars per day, it is reported, and expenses, to engage in the so-called work of organizing the Republican party throughout the State.

If he received such recompense he was well paid for his services as a professional politician—especially in view of the disastrous defeat of his party following upon the heels of his efforts.

And in the next place a man who would voluntarily give up the noble profession of the law for that of the professional politician does not seem to us to have that appreciation of his profession as a lawyer which should be found in one worthy of filling the office of judge.

There are many workingmen who would not consider themselves as especially entitled to their party's pity because their party paid them $15 a day and expenses. Yet this seems to be judge Ulrich's position.

By the way, has any outsider ever seen a list of the State organizer's expenses? It would prove very interesting reading matter to many voters.

Many people think judge Ulrich has already had a pretty good feed at the party crib.

"He eats all night,
He eats all day,
And yet this elephant
Wants more hay."

Slander and calumination is the last barrier that stands upon the verge of defeat. And a frail and inadequate one it is almost invariably found to be. Yet such are the straits to which the advocates of judge Ulrich are put that they have resorted to it in a most shameful way by making a charge against Mr. Coddington. There is not a particle of truth in the allegation, and those making the charge had ample proof of its falsity before publishing

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Kindly allow me space in your paper to return thanks to all who aided me in making the "Cradle Songs of Many Nations" a success. The names of the ladies who represented the mothers, and who did it so willingly and acceptably, have already been published; also the names of the lady and gentlemen who gave us such good music. I am also indebted to those who helped behind the scenes; to those who secured the loan of the American colors displayed, the trees and plants, stage properties; and to the young gentlemen who gave their services as ushers, and ticket-seller and taker.

I would not forget the allowance in advertising given by our three daily papers.

On October 24, when preparations were well under way for this entertainment, and when the balance in the treasury of the Day Nursery was nineteen cents, I received from a friend in England, Mrs. Charles Murdock, her cheque for $500. On Saturday, November 19, two energetic little girls, the Misses Eleanor VanDeventer and Grace Overton, brought me $20, the proceeds of a fair, held at the house of the latter, on Rockview avenue, last summer.

The net profits of the Cradle Songs were $150. In the words of the letter which accompanied Mrs. Murdock's cheque, "your heart will be lightened when you see what I am sending you", my note of Thanksgiving is tuned high.

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ANOTHER REPUBLICAN'S STIRRING PLEA.

Ulrich's Nomination Was Like a Wet Blanket to His Own Party.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Many Republicans who, like myself, read the *Courier*, have been disgusted by the character of the warfare it has been waging, both by editorials and under the disguise of alleged communications, upon the Democratic candidate for the office of City Judge.

Such methods cannot fail to arouse the indignation of all decent people who think for themselves, and will undoubtedly result in giving Mr. Coddington many a Republican vote to-morrow.

While I am a strong Republican I shall be pleased if Mr. Coddington is elected, and I can give my reasons. In the first place the office is in no sense a political one, and Mr. Coddington, a successful lawyer, would unquestionably make a far better judge than Mr. Ulrich, who is a professional politician, and chronic office-seeker, whose legal experience has been, to say the least, very limited.

In the second place the Republican party has done enough for John Ulrich and it is time he did something for himself. For about ten years he has made a living out of politics in one way and another. During the campaign just ended he held one of the fattest offices in the State, that of "organizer", at a salary of about fifteen dollars a day, and having swallowed that plum he utilized his knowledge of political manœuvering to foist himself upon the Republican ticket as candidate for city judge. That was a cruel insult to judge Wm. R. Codington, who was a far better officer than ever Ulrich can hope to be, and was entitled by all the usages of the party to a renomination. Ulrich's nomination fell like a wet blanket upon the party. It was a complete surprise, and was accomplished by political trickery before unheard of in city politics.

Such methods should not be countenanced. Chronic office seekers should be snowed under. Persons who force themselves upon a ticket against the wishes of the party should be turned down at the polls. Fortunately that can be done in this case without jeopardizing any party measure, for the office in question is strictly a non-partisan one, and to-morrow night will show whether or not the voters wanted Ulrich nominated.

REPUBLICAN.

Wrenched His Nose Out of Joint.

The police are looking for a tramp with his face smashed in. The fellow gave Close's coachman on Seventh street a hard beating and kicking for refusing to let him sleep in the barn. The final indignity was to drag the coachman under the pump and souse him with water. Then the coachman had an innings, and crushed the tramp's nose with a wrench, disfiguring him for life. Now he wants the tramp arrested.

Their Gay Time Ended in Arrest.

Mrs. Carlisle, formerly Mrs. Sullivan, had her son John arrested Saturday for alleged theft of her horse and carriage. He and a companion had a good time with the rig, and are said to have offered it for sale at Newark, where they were held on suspicion. Capt. Grant sent constable Mattox to bring them to Plainfield. Both of the young fellows were held under bail to await trial.

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THE SUNDAY LAW.

Violators of the Sabbath Brought to Justice.

The New Jersey Game and Fish Protective society is an old and honored organization in the interest of game and fish protection, its headquarters being in Plainfield. Its organization dates from May, 1879, and its officers and members include many of the best citizens of this and other States, who have been zealous in their efforts to enforce the laws of New Jersey regarding shooting and fishing. Recently a case came before their observation regarding the law prohibiting shooting on Sunday. A member of the society, Fred Hubbell, of Metuchen, made a complaint before justice Wood of that village, against some ten persons for violating the law by hunting and carrying a gun, accompanied with dog, on Sunday. By the advice and instruction of the counsel of the society, Hon. John Ulrich, warrants were issued for the arrest of the parties. The trial of the accused was set down for Saturday, Dec. 3, before justice Wood, at Metuchen. Percy C. Ohl, president of the society, and W. L. Force, secretary, were on hand at the time, but in consequence of the inability of judge Ulrich to be present, the case was adjourned over to Saturday, Dec. 10. This case is an important one regarding the Sunday law, and should interest all lovers of game and fish laws. The fact that all the parties arrested are poor persons may, however, mitigate in their favor on trial, although they should not be ignorant of the law. At all events, whatever punishment is meted out to them, they are not likely to repeat the offence. The New Jersey Game and Fish Protective society has done good work in the past by arresting and punishing violators of the game and fish laws, and in stocking portions of the State with game birds and fish. Their efforts are commendable.

Good Work by the Sunshiners.

The Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue church held a fair in the church parlors, Saturday afternoon, in aid of the foreign mission fund. The children of the band were very tastefully dressed in Kate Greenaway costume, and the groups of young people made a very pretty sight. The affair was an eminent success, as nearly $200 will go the foreign missions as the result. Much credit is due to Miss Gertrude Walz, president of the Mission band, and to the other young ladies who assisted in arranging the fair.

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WOMAN OF FASHION.

A Rival of the Empire Makes Its Appearance.

What Will Perhaps Supersede the Empire Altogether—Bodices and Some Very Pretty Ones Described—The Diversity in Sleeves.

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Did you say that empire was the style? Did you say that everything which comes from Paris or from the great London modistes has an empire touch, either of the First, under Josephine, with low-cut, short-waisted bodice, or of the Second, under Eugenie, a la crinoline.

But what would you say if you heard that the empire revival was to be only very short-lived; that it was soon to be superseded by the mode of 1830; that even now Paris has declared herself in

favor of it because she thinks it a graceful "go-between," a style that has all the beauties of both and the extravagancies of neither. It's a little tantalizing—don't you think so—to discover that your newest gown, cut in the very latest fashion, as you supposed, is about to be followed by another which will usurp its place?

But take heart; don't cast off your pretty new gown. It will take a long while for the empire to become old-fashioned and there isn't such a difference between the old and the new to make it worth while getting the latter, and perhaps those of us who are on this side of the water will still cling to our first love. For there's a good deal of independence even in the matter of dress about the American woman, and a favorite style will often linger long after it has been declared old-fashioned.

This was never more strikingly exemplified than in the matter of the bell skirt. Long after Worth and Felix had practically abandoned it it reigned supreme, and one could find scarcely a single costume worn by an American that had not a bell skirt. At present the bell, when it is used, is drawn just

as tightly over the hips, but flares much wider at the feet.

The trimming of skirts grows daily. You can watch it creeping farther and farther up. Just at present it reaches the knees, and should stop there.

There is still, however, much more attention paid to the corsage than to the skirt of a gown. I saw a remarkably pretty one to-day on a young girl. It was quite elaborate for the almost plain skirt, that had simply a deep band of beaver at the edge. The bodice had a white crepe front, with a full white velvet belt hooking in the back under a knot of ribbon. Over the front came short jacket fronts, beaver color, closely embroidered in narrow black braid, and edged with beaver. There was also a band of embroidery at the neck, and one of fur above. The sleeves were quite short—first, puffs to the elbow of the cloth, then wide hanging ruffles, embroidered and edged with fur.

A pretty directoire bodice that I saw for home wear was made of black cloth, dotted with black silk spots, and had a white belt covered with heavy black silk lace—venetian point. The bodice surfaces pass a large revers over a white satin front that was almost completely covered by a large bow in black tulle. The sleeves were almost plain, and had simply a cuff on the style of the belt.

I saw another bodice intended for a very young girl. It was all white and green, which is a particularly popular

combination this season, especially for evening wear. One sees white gowns with green velvet sleeves, green gowns with a quantity of white softening their shades. It is a remarkably pretty combination, and has another advantage—that of suiting a diversity of complexions. Women who have not the best of skins can wear it becomingly.

This bodice was made of a fine white material, and had a pointed white belt, as well as a large square yoke of white. The yoke and belt, however, were closely covered with exquisite green embroidery, done in fine stitches. The collar was the same, and three bands of the embroidery went around the plain, lower sleeve.

Pretty, fanciful vests, to slip over dress fronts or plain bodices, are growing very popular. A very pretty one is made of black velours and is trimmed with beaver. The vest fronts are cut down into narrow points that fall just below the full wide belt of the same material. These fronts are edged with fur, which also runs around the neck, and two large velvet buttons are fastened at either side.

Some delicate ones are made in white or pale colored satins or brocades, and have short, wide-open fronts, full wide belts, and occasionally a little short pointed piece following over the top of the arm in lieu of a sleeve. They are particularly pretty in the light dainty materials.

Let me tell you of another bodice for evening wear. It is cut quite low and round. It is made of heavy green silk and has a pretty gathering of green all around the low cut neck. The ruffle ties in a bow at the front. There are short, green velvet puffs for sleeves, and a green velvet belt.

What a wonderful revolution the sleeve has undergone, has it not? When we compare the plain, tight-fitting one of a few years back, that had nothing to redeem it from absolute plainness, not even a shoulder puff, with the light, airy creation of to-day, with its quaint turns and curves, and puffs and gathers, and all sorts of odd fancies, we can scarcely believe they are intended for one and the same thing. The varieties never cease to come forth. Let me see—there's the high puff, the low puff, the short full puff, the leg-of-mutton, the Louis XIII., the 1830, the style especially designed for evening wear, the one that can only be worn with dinner dress, the one for afternoons, the one for morning, and so many others that we're perfectly bewildered. Some of them are ridiculous, but most of them are very pretty.

Take the styles for afternoon wear, for instance. It's rather difficult to describe them, and you can tell better by looking at the sketch just how they are

made. They are very graceful with their puffs, one falling in cascades and one simply joining the tight lower sleeve that is cut in fanciful revers and that buttons on top.

The evening sleeves are particularly dainty. The one in brocade, with the short puff caught together in a shell and with the deep lace flounce falling from it, is becoming; so is the one for a dinner gown made of two puffs, the lower much shorter than the upper, and with a lace ruffle also caught up with a ribbon bow.

Then there's the one after the manner of Louis XIII., that hangs in wide, loose plaits, caught in at the elbow by a ribbon knot, and then allowed to fall as it will.

The sleeve of 1830 has a very queer, wide puff, shirred at the top and bottom, and beneath a plain, tight sleeve.

The leg-of-mutton 1830 is very ugly. It is extremely wide, but not particularly full and not at all graceful.

A lovely sleeve for dinner dress has a short velvet flounce hanging from the shoulder, quite full, and embroidered at the edge; and beneath, falling at the sides, but leaving the top of the arm exposed, is a gathered scarf of chiffon, which is knotted loosely at the elbow and then falls in a ruffle.

One for state occasions is made all in velvet, puffed at the shoulders, and

reaching to the wrist. It is cut open a little way and filled in with black lace. From the side come over pieces of satin, gathered full, and joining below the elbow, caught with a jeweled buckle.

One can scarcely fail to find a style that is becoming and beautiful, and the light, dainty ones are all so graceful that it's hard to make up one's mind which to choose. But that's just what suits us. It's so delightful to puzzle and worry over pretty things, trying to decide on something, and wishing we could have them all. Don't you think so?

EVA A. SCHUBERT.

He Mistook the Number.

"You ought to have seen that young fellow travel when he left the house last night," said Mabel's younger brother at the breakfast table. "He struck a 2:20 gait."

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NOTICE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1, 1892.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted at a special meeting of the directors of this Company, November 1, 1892.

RESOLVED, That in the judgment of this board it is advisable and most for the benefit of the Carolina Company that the same should be forthwith dissolved and to that end it is ordered that a meeting of the stockholders be held on Thursday, the 15th day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, at 10 a. m., at the office of the Company in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, to take action upon this resolution; and further, that the Secretary forthwith give notice of said meeting, and of the adoption of this resolution, with a notice of its adoption in the Plainfield Press, a newspaper published in Plainfield, N. J., for at least four weeks, once a week successively; and by mailing a written or printed copy of the same to each and every stockholder of this Company in the United States.

W. T. MINOR, Secretary.

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Union County Orphans' Court

On the application of Frederick J. Sauermann, administrator, etc., of Katharine Sauermann, deceased, for sale of land to pay debts, } Order to show cause

Frederick J. Sauermann, administrator, etc., of Katharine Sauermann, deceased, having exhibited to this Court under oath, a just and true account of the personal estate and debts of said deceased, whereby it appears that the personal estate of said deceased is sufficient to pay his debts, and requested the aid of the Court in the premises, it is, on this twenty-ninth day of October, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, ordered that all persons interested in the lands, tenements and real estate of said Katharine Sauermann, deceased, appear before the Court, at the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, on the fourth day of January next, at 10 a. m., to show cause why so much of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate of the said Katharine Sauermann, deceased, should not be sold as will be sufficient to pay his debts, or the residue thereof, as the case may require.

By the Court,

11 1 6 osw GEO. T. PARROT, Surrogate

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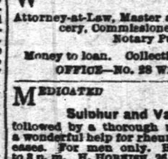

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 38, 6 05, 6 29, 8 59 7 26, 7 50, 7 58, 9, 8 15, 9 27, 9 51, 9 48, 9 52, 10 04, 10 27 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 20, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 48, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 15, 11 26, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 8 02, 11 16, 11 42 A. M., 12 33, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 20, 8 52, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9 10, 9 10, 11 30, A. M., 1 15, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 20, 9 12, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1 night. Sunday—4 00, 7 15, 8 00, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 1 P. M., 2 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 28, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 45, 9 58, 10 06, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 04, 1 05, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 15, 11 26 P. M. Sunday—6 01, 8 02, 11 42, A. M., 12 33, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 8 20, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 10 06, 11 35 A. M., 1 05, 2 35, 3 30, 4 05, 4 23, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 20, 9 15, 10 00 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 43, 11 a.m. 12 25 1 30, 3 12, 3 45, 4 36, 5 03, 5 20, 5 36, 6 04, 6 20, 6 36, 7 15, 7 54 9 20, 9 57, 11 13, 12 45 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 26 9 54, 11 13 A.M., 2 05, 5 26, 6 14, 6 36, 10 16, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 05, 7 26, 7 45, 8 05, 9 05, 9 47, 11 26 A. M., 12 56, 2 05, 3 25, 4 50, 5 22, 6 05, 6 41, 7 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 11 15 A. M., 12 05, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 05, 9 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 6 15, 8 17, 9 43, A. M., 1 59, 3 20, 6 36, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M., 2 05, 6 36, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 20, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 32, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, 12 27, 6 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

8 18 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 43 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Manticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 49 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 39 P. M. for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 4 09 p. m. Sundays to Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 9 37, 5, 11 09, a. m. 1.03, 4 01, 6 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 53, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 9 37, 5 36, 11 09 a. m. 1 02, 4 01, 5 57, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 53, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 5, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 20, 9 45, 10 45, a. m., 1 20*, 3 04, 5 36*, 6 20*, 8 20, 10 37 p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays—9 45, 11 12 a. m., 2 07*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 20, 9 45, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 20, 3 04, 5 36, 6 2., 8 20, 9 37 p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday—9 45, 11 12, a. m., 2 07, 6 55 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 45, a. m. 2 16, 4 12, 8 24* (6 20* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night. Sunday—9 45, 11 12 a. m., 2 16, 4 12, 8 24* (6 55 Baltimore only) p. m., 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 20, 11 05, a. m., 1 30, 3 10*, 4, 6 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 55, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 20 a. m., 9 10*, 5 15, 8 10, 9*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 20, 9 20, 11 18, a. m. 2 25*, 5 30, 6 15, 11 45, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 3 25*, 5 20, 5 18*, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tinker sts., 1 00, 1 55, 7 00, 9 05, 10 13, 11 55, a. m., 2 53, 4 00*, 4 40, 5 54, 6 55, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m., 4 10*, 8 12, 7 07, 9 00* p. m.

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July 19

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Some advertisements do have that tendency. So do some people, and some books. Nevertheless bright people understand that the advertising columns now-a-days carry valuable information about things new and good. Such is

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AN ENGLISH SPECIALTY MAKES
DELICIOUS CUSTARD Without Eggs.
A 25c. package will be sufficient to make four pints, which can either be served in dishes or from glasses.
A supply, fresh from England, has just been received by the LEADING GROCERS.
THE FOLLOWING ALL KEEP IT:
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R. W. Rice & Co., " "
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8 4 y-t t s

Building Moving.
The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.
Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs Jenkins or Harry S Jenkins,
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9 19 6m

Carty & Stryker
Will open their new store with a full line of first-class
Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables,
CHEAP FOR CASH,
Saturday, November 26, corner
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If you will kindly favor us with your order, it will receive prompt attention.
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Will contract for
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Successors to W. F. Adams, dealers in
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SOLONS AGAIN AT WORK

Fifty-Second Congress Begins Its Final Session.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S REPORT.

Review of the Operations in Mr. Wanamaker's Department—Secretary Foster Submits His Estimates—Bills Introduced Yesterday in the Senate and House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The general feeling of good humor and self-satisfaction, which was noticeable among the members present at high noon yesterday, when the second session of the Fifty-second Congress was called to order, has probably never been surpassed on a similar occasion.

The large Democratic majority were still flushed with the triumph of the recent overwhelming victory, and at the same time rejoiced in the fact that its continuance in power was assured. Handshaking and mirth early became epidemic. Sedate old veterans relaxed their customary mobility of countenance and smiled. Men grown gray with age renewed their youth and enthusiastically slapped their companions on the back.

The Republicans, of course, did not share in this hilarity, but the humor of the situation relieved all feeling of resentment and they viewed the exuberance of their Democratic brethren with apparent resignation.

Promptly at 12 o'clock Speaker Crisp called the House to order, and the confusion which had previously prevailed quickly subsided. The members quietly rose to their feet and Chaplain Milburn offered a prayer.

There were 224 members who answered to their names and the Speaker declared that a quorum was present.

Committees to notify the Senate and President that the House was ready for business were sent.

The credentials of John L. McLauren, from the Sixth district of South Carolina; S. G. Hilborn, from the Third California district; Lewis B. Oneghan, from the Sixteenth Ohio district; John B. Brown, from the First Maryland district, and Sykes, from the Twenty-fourth Pennsylvania district, were read and approved. The members elect then came forward and were sworn in.

Mr. McMillin offered a resolution providing that until further notice the daily hour at which the House shall convene be fixed at noon. Adopted.

The report of the Utah Commission, the report of the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institute and the report submitted by the Board of Managers of the Home for Disabled Soldiers was read by title and referred.

At 12:40, upon motion of Mr. McMillin, the House took a recess for thirty minutes in order to give the committee appointed to wait upon the President opportunity to report.

When the House was again called to order at 1:15 the committee appointed to wait upon the President reported that the President had no communication ready at present and the House adjourned for the day.

Senate.

The second session of the 52d Congress opened in the Senate with the usual scenes. There was a crowded gallery, and a display of flowers that surpassed any previous outburst of floral tributes. Senator Walcott was lost to sight from the front behind an immense tree of roses, and several other emblems rested on his desk. The desks that were not the resting place of some design or bouquet were few and far between.

The good effect of the flowers was heightened by the air of jollity and good fellowship that marked the greetings of Senators for the first time since the late political upheaval.

Eighteen Senators were absent from their seats, including Senators Gibson, of Louisiana, and Kenna, of West Virginia, who are seriously ill; Senators Hill and Hiscock, of New York; and Senators Allison, of Iowa, and Jones, of Nevada, who are in Brussels attending the International Monetary Conference.

In his opening prayer Chaplain Butler returned thanks for the blessings, individual and national, that had been vouchsafed since the Senate adjourned, and pleaded for comfort to those who were suffering, or in sorrow, especially the President of the United States, and the sick in official and public life, and the usual blessings upon the people.

Senator Morrill, of Vermont, presented the certificates of election of his colleague, Senator Redfield Proctor, of Vermont, for the unexpired term of George F. Edmunds terminating March 3, 1893, and for the ensuing term of six years. Upon the arm of his venerable colleague, Mr. Proctor advanced to the dais of the Vice-President's desk and Mr. Morton administered the statutory oath.

Mr. Sherman (Rep., Ohio) presented the customary resolution instructing the secretary to inform the House that the Senate was ready to proceed to business. Agreed to.

Mr. Hale (Rep., Maine) offered a resolution authorizing the President to appoint a committee of two to join a similar committee on the part of the Senate to inform the President that a quorum of each House was present and that Congress was ready to receive any communication he might have to make.

The resolution was adopted and Messrs. Hale and Gorman were named as the committee.

MORE U. S. BONDS PROPOSED.

Mr. Ammoran Would Raise $75,000,000 to Meet the Deficiency.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—A bill providing for the issue of $75,000,000 bonds, redeemable in coin at the option of the United States after ten years, was introduced in the House yesterday.

The proceeds of the sale are to be applied to the payment of the deficiency in the United States Treasury.

The bill was introduced by Representative Ammoran of Pennsylvania, and was referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

To Transfer the Pension Bureau.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—A bill introduced in the House by Mr. Mutchler, of Pennsylvania, provides for the transfer of the Bureau of Pensions to the War Department, the transfer to date from July 1, 1893.

Mr. Blaine's Improvement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Mr. Blaine has so much improved in health that he intimates a hope of leaving for southern California in a few days.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.
Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

WANAMAKER'S REPORT.

Summary of the Work of the Postoffice Department.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Postmaster-General Wanamaker summarizes the results achieved by his department as follows:

Five million dollars added to the gross revenue; the deficit reduced nearly a million. Money order offices increased two-thirds, or from 10,070 to 16,689. Eighty-two cities supplied with free delivery; 2,790 new offices established; 262 offices advanced to the Presidential grade; 16,750,000 miles of additional service; 1,590 new mail routes established, embracing 8,500 miles of new service; ocean mail service extended pneumatic tube service introduced.

In the last four years 5,051 new mail routes have been established, traversing 29,600 miles; that the number of postoffices has grown by over 8,600, the number of money order offices over 8,200, and the number of free delivery offices has almost doubled.

The new foreign mail service contracted for applies to eleven lines, comprising, when completed, 41 ships necessary to make the service contracted for frequent enough and quick enough to comply with the terms agreed upon.

Of his proposition to divide the country into postal districts, Mr. Wanamaker says its adoption can only be a matter of time.

BOOK OF ESTIMATES.

Submitted to Congress by Secretary Foster of the Treasury Department.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Secretary Foster, of the Treasury Department, submitted to Congress the book of estimates for the fiscal year 1893-94. The estimates are as follows:

Legislative establishment, $3,748,414.71.
Executive establishment, $21,528,301.10.
Judicial establishment, $664,000.
Foreign intercourse, $1,737,079.90.
Military establishment, $26,301,855.86.
Naval establishment, $23,671,315.21.
Indian Affairs, $8,123,211.31.
Pensions, $166,831,850.
Public Works, $18,080,678.72.
Postal Service (not incorporated.)
Miscellaneous, $35,507,189.98.
Permanent annual appropriations, $115,468,273.92.
Total, $421,612,215.66.

The estimates for 1892-93, were $409,608,698.10; the appropriations for the same period were $423,261,970.67. The estimates as submitted are $1,649,755 less than the appropriations for the current fiscal year.

Stenographer Murphy's First Absence.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—When the Senate convened D. E. Murphy, the chief stenographer, was absent for the first time in 44 years. Every day during that period when the Senate has been in session Mr. Murphy has attended to his duties, but recently his health has been broken down, and his absence was caused by illness.

TO BE BUILT IN SECRET.

Mr. Watson Will Not Discuss the Plans for the Valkyrie.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Mr. Watson, who is designing for Lord Dunraven the yacht Valkyrie, which is to contest for the America's Cup, should a race be arranged, says that the vessel will be built with complete secrecy on the Clyde.

Mr. Watson refuses to say whether she will be constructed with a keel or centerboard, or to give any particulars whatever regarding the new yacht.

The Valkyrie will be commanded by Capt. William Cranfield and the crew will be English. She will take part in several races in British waters before crossing the Atlantic.

CHICAGO WINS THE CASES.

Illinois Central Has No Right to the Submerged Lake Front.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The United States Supreme Court has affirmed the judgment of the Circuit Court in the well-known Chicago Lake Front cases.

The lower court decided in favor of the local authorities and held that the Illinois Central did not have a right to use the submerged lands along the lake front for wharves, piers, etc.

The Wyoming Governorship.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 6.—Gov. Osborne still maintains his office in the Capitol building. The fight over the Governorship business will come to a head today, when the Republican Canvassing Board will canvass the State vote. Gov. Osborne will attempt to be present, and if not permitted to attend the session by the Republican officers he will not sign the certificates of election.

To Introduce the Trolley System.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Henry Seligman has returned from New Orleans, and announced that all negotiations for the purchase of the street railway lines in that city had been concluded. The purchase was made for a large syndicate. The idea is to introduce the trolley system of propulsion, and the deal means the investment of $10,000,000.

Investigating the Big Robbery.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 6.—The recent robbery from the Southern Express Company of a package containing $25,000 while in transit from New York to Galveston, has excited so much interest with the officials of the company that a thorough investigation is being held at this point among its leading men.

A Quarrel Drove Him to Suicide.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—It is now learned that the cause of the suicide of John Gilbert, proprietor of the dining house at 65 East Brookline street, was the result of a quarrel with his wife.

Matthew Not Recalled.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The report that Mr. Justice Matthew, President of the Evicted Tenants' Commission, has been recalled is unfounded.

RIBOT TO BE PREMIER

He Forms a Cabinet and Carnot Approves.

LOUBET ONE OF THE MINISTERS

The Panama Question Again Causes Great Excitement in the Chamber of Deputies One of the Members Stricken With Convulsions—Proposition for Stenographic Report Voted Down.

PARIS, Dec. 6.—Last night at 11:30 M. Ribot proceeded to the Elysee and submitted the following Cabinet to the President, who gave his approval of the names presented:

Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Ribot.
Minister of the Interior and Public Worship, M. Loubet.
Minister of Justice, M. Bourgeois.
Minister of War, M. Freycinet.
Minister of Marine, M. Burdeau.
Minister of Finance, M. Rouvier.
Minister of Public Works, M. Viette.
Minister of Commerce, M. Siegfried.
Minister of Agriculture, M. De Velle.
Minister of Public Instruction, M. Chas. Dupuy.

M. Jamais will remain as Under Secretary of the State and Colonies. The new Government will meet to-day to arrange for terms and for a message to be addressed to Parliament.

Early in the day a rumor was that ex-Minister of Finance Tirard, now a delegate to the International Monetary Conference, had been instructed to leave Brussels and attempt to form a Ministry, gained much prevalence. The report was denied semi-officially.

In the Chamber of Deputies the Panama question again caused great excitement.

Deputy Alfred Letellier demanded that the proceedings of the committee of investigation should be taken down stenographically, in order that the record might be perfect for future reference.

M. Brison replied that he had no objection to such a course, but feared it would be difficult to have the proceedings so reported.

At this instant a fearful shriek rang through the Chamber, and the Deputies sprang to their feet. Deputy Dubreuil was writhing in the convulsions of epilepsy. He was pawing with his hands, and seemed to be foaming at the mouth. It was a fearful spectacle, and one that horrified the Deputies.

The sitting was at once suspended, while a score of members ran to succor the unfortunate, who was carried, still shrieking, out of the Chamber.

When order had been restored a vote was taken on Letellier's proposition, and it was rejected.

VICE-POPE SATOLLI.

Leo's Announcement Creating Much Discussion Among Catholics.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 6.—The announcement that Mgr. Satolli had been appointed by the Pope with full power to settle without appeal all religious questions between bishops and priests in the United States has caused considerable excitement in Catholic circles here.

Why Cardinal Gibbons should be overlooked and such plenary powers be given directly from the Vatican, is only one among the many perplexing questions asked about it.

The chief reason for the action, and the one that obtains general credence, is that Pope Leo's long continued ill health has determined him to delegate such duties as properly devolve upon him to one whom he can implicitly trust.

WHERE IS SOMERBY?

Iron Hall's Supreme Justice Anxiously Inquired for.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—District-Attorney George S. Graham, who is receiver of the defunct order of Iron Hall for Pennsylvania, would like to know the whereabouts of Supreme Justice F. D. Somerby and so would the anti-Somerby people in Indianapolis, who have fought his reorganization scheme tooth and nail.

Mr. Graham says he has some questions to ask Somerby that no one but the Supreme Justice himself can answer.

What the questions are is not known.

President-elect Cleveland at Lakewood.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., Dec. 6.—President-elect Cleveland, accompanied by Mrs. Cleveland, arrived here on the Lakewood special at 5:30 last evening. The party were accompanied by Mr. Francis P. Freeman, who had gone to New York with Mrs. Cleveland early in the morning to welcome the President-elect back from the South. Upon their arrival at Lakewood Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland found Mr. Freeman's carriage at their disposal. They were quickly driven to Edgemore, Mr. Freeman's beautiful home. They dined quietly with Mr. Freeman's family.

No Redress for Chisholm.

BOISE CITY, Idaho, Dec. 6.—The War Department will be informed by Gov. Willey of Idaho, that Alexander Chisholm, a British subject, is not entitled to any redress from the United States for alleged indignities inflicted upon him in Shoshone county in July last. Chisholm was arrested by the military authorities and confined at Wardner for participation in the Coeur d'Alene insurrection.

Well Known Insurance Man Indicted.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—William F. Gorell, who for 18 years was one of the general soliciting agents of the Home Insurance company for the State of Illinois, and who is well known in insurance circles, has been indicted by the grand jury for conspiracy and forgery, and arrested.

STARVED TO DEATH.

Three Children Left Without Sufficient Food By Their Parents.

PALMER, Mass., Dec. 6.—The three children of Dexter Bartholy and wife, living in Monson were found by Mrs. Fowle, a neighbor, literally starved to death.

Their parents went to visit friends on November 26th, leaving the children, who are aged nine years, one year and the third two years old, in charge of a fifteen year old daughter of Mrs. Fowle, with but very little to eat and but $2 in money.

On the advice of neighbors the girl fed the baby on condensed mild and cracker crumbs, but it died before the arrival of the physician.

A letter has just been received from the father in Connecticut, enclosing $2 for food for the children, and stating that he would be home in a day or two.

The other two children are sick, and one cannot recover.

The Bartholys were before the court last summer for neglecting the children.

FOUL PLAY NOW SUSPECTED.

Thought that the Cremated Sharpsburg, Pa., Family Were Murdered.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 6.—Developments within the past 48 hours lead to the belief that the three members of the Dannahower family who were cremated in a fire which destroyed their home at Sharpsburg two weeks ago were victims of foul play.

It is now believed that they were murdered and the house set on fire to cover the crime. This theory is strengthened by the fact that when the fire was discovered the doors were open and papers and small articles were scattered about the floor.

Detectives are working on the case, and a web of circumstantial evidence has been woven so tightly around two persons that their arrests will be made in a day or two.

INVESTIGATING THE OUTRAGE.

Indignation at Trenton at the Treatment of Maggie Hynes.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 6.—The police are investigating the case of outrage upon Maggie Hynes, which occurred during Saturday night.

It appears that several young men visited her home at 810 Anderson street that evening, plied her with liquor, and assaulted her, after which they led her out on the commons, stripped her of most of her clothing, and applied a coat of tar over her body.

She wandered about in a dazed condition until met by Officer Reese, who took her to her home.

Considerable indignation is expressed at the outrage of which she was made the victim, and a thorough effort will be made to hunt down the perpetrators, whom Maggie seems unwilling to testify against.

FUNERAL OF JAY GOULD.

Simple Services over the Dead Financier—Public Not Admitted.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The funeral of Jay Gould took place at the Gould mansion, Forty-seventh street and Fifth avenue, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Only relatives and intimate friends of the dead millionaire were admitted to the house.

The funeral services lasted about half an hour beginning promptly at 4 o'clock.

A Strike Will Probably be Called.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 6.—Chief P. M. Arthur of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, spent a few hours in Atlanta on his way to Savannah. From a conversation with him there seems little reason to doubt that a strike will be called on the Georgia Central.

To Take the Spree's Place.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 6.—In consequence of the disabled condition of the Nord-Deutscher Lloyd steamer Spree, of the New York line, the Dresden, now in this port, will sail for New York on Monday to take her place on that line.

Hardship at Sea.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—The crew and 17 passengers of the bark Serene, Captain Holmes, which has just reached this port from Ivigut, Greenland, report great hardships and suffering during the voyage.

The Negro Ahead for Once.

JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 6.—At the annual leasing of State convicts white men in separate squads brought $6 and colored men in squads $9 a month. The lessees are Mississippi Delta cotton planters.

Believed to Have Been Poisoned.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 6.—A coroner's jury is now investigating the death under suspicious circumstances of Mrs. Barney Winters, of Plattsburg. She is thought to have been poisoned.

The Pittsburg Crusade.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 6.—There are no new developments in the social evil question and an impression is abroad that the last has been heard of it officially for at least a week or two to come.

Singular Disappearance of a Woman.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Mrs. John Lovett, wife of the express agent at Newport, Herkimer county, disappeared from her home on Saturday evening. No cause for her flight is known.

Station Agent Disappears.

NYACK, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Edward Burke, station agent of the New Jersey & New York railroad at Thiells, Rockland county, has mysteriously disappeared without making his report for November to the company. It is believed that there is a shortage of several hundred dollars.

Convict Bradley Missing.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—That convict James M. Bradley, alias Maitland, walked out of the Charlestown State prison on Thanksgiving Day is no longer a matter of doubt. A thorough search of the prison was made yesterday and he was not found within the walls.

Killed by a Boiler Explosion.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 6.—James Gokey, son of the proprietor of Gokey's dry dock, was killed by an explosion of a boiler which had been left in charge of a green hand during the temporary illness of the regular engineer.

Derelict Bark Passed at Sea.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The Cunarder Aurania, from Liverpool, reports, on November 28, passing the derelict bark Cubana of London. All her spars were gone except the mizzen lower mast.

IS MR. HILL TO RESIGN?

A Rumor to That Effect Gains Credence.

OFFER FROM A BIG INSURANCE CO.

Reported That the Equitable Life Has Invited the Senator to Become Its General Counsel at $25,000 a Year—His Friends Say He Is Inclined to Accept.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Senator David B. Hill, it was reported last night, has been tendered the position of general counsel to the Equitable Life Assurance society. The story was discussed among insurance men, and the prevailing opinion was that Mr. Hill would accept.

Senator Hill, it is understood, is considering the matter favorably. If he accepts he will take hold soon after Jan. 1. It might be so arranged that he could take the place and retain the Senatorship at the same time.

The Equitable people, however, are said to prefer that he give up the Senatorship if he accepts their offer. The position pays $25,000 a year. The offer, it is said, was arranged by John A. McCall, who before he became President of the New York Life, was comptroller of the Equitable. McCall and Hill are close personal friends.

It will be recalled that after the retirement of President Beers of the New York Life on a pension of $37,500 a year (which has been set aside by the courts) the name of Grover Cleveland was mentioned in connection with the presidency of that corporation. It was reported that he had been offered a position as its general counsel at a large salary.

Several of Senator Hill's friends are disposed to credit the report. Mr. Hill, they say, has not found the Senate a congenial or agreeable place. He only consented to take it, they declare, to avoid a factional fight, and to prevent the possible election of a Republican. He had no idea or intention of serving out his term as Senator. Senator Hill could resign now and be succeeded by a Democrat, which is advanced by his friends as another reason why he should do so.

Senator Hill's resignation from the Senate would put a new phase on the Senatorial contest at Albany. There would be two Senators to be elected instead of one, and this city would probably get one of them.

SENTENCED FOR THE FOURTH TIME

Hallinger's Lawyer Says He Will Not Give Up the Fight.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 6.—Edward Hallinger, who has been three times sentenced to death for the murder of his wife two months ago, and whose neck has been saved as many times by his counsel has just been arraigned before Judge Werts and for a fourth time sentenced to death.

The date fixed by Judge Werts was Thursday, December 22, which is in accordance with Prosecutor Winfield's statement that he would have Hallinger hanged before Christmas.

Hallinger's lawyer now says he will apply for a writ of error, which course, he says, is suggested by the text of Justice Shiras decision. It will probably be denied and he will then take an appeal, which will act as a stay.

INDIANA REPUBLICANS.

The Party in the Hoosier State to be Completely Reorganized.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 6.—There is to be a complete reorganization of the Republican party in this State with a view to maintaining party enthusiasm and uniting discordant factions.

It is universally admitted that reorganization on a new basis must be effected, and matters are so arranging themselves that this work will be brought about by Judge Gresham's friends, who are young men.

DR. BRIGGS' TRIAL.

Documents and Books Placed in Evidence on Both Sides.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The fifth day of Prof. Charles A. Briggs' trial for heresy in the old Scotch church in 14th street was taken up principally by the offering of a number of books and documents in evidence by Col. McCook for the prosecution and by Dr. Briggs on his own behalf.

Granite Cutters Lockout Ended.

CONCORD, N. H., Dec. 6.—By an unanimous vote of the local branch of the Granite Cutters National Union the agreement entered into by the committee with the New England works and Granite railway company for a cessation of the lockout which has existed here since the middle of May, was ratified and the men will be permitted to resume work by these corporations.

Died as a Trappist Monk.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The Paris correspondent of the "Times" announces that Prince Malatesta, who participated with the late Napoleon the Third, when he was an adventurer and pretender, in an attempted revolution against the Papal authority in 1832, has died as a Trappist monk at Aiguebelle, having some time ago sought refuge in the monastery.

The Rescue of the Spree.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The officers of the Lake Huron, which saved the Spree, give a vivid description of the scene aboard the helpless vessel as they approached her. The first two times hawsers were attached to the Spree, they broke. The success of the third attempt was greeted with cheers. The passengers were wild with joy. All the women and many of the men wept.

Neville Fined $100.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The case of Richard Neville, who is charged with assaulting S. S. Howland in a box at the horse show a fortnight ago, was called in the Court of Special Terms at 11:55. Neville pleaded guilty of assault and battery with the hand, but not as filed in the indictment. He was found guilty, however, and fined $100.

On a Fifty Days' Fast.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Alexander Jacques, the French faster, has begun a fifty days' fast in the hall over Koster & Bial's concert hall. He will take no food or drink of any nature, except a glass of water now and then and a few grains of a powder prepared especially for his use.

Death of a Pittsburg Millionaire.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 6.—Joseph Walton, the three times millionaire coal merchant, is dead of diabetes, aged 66 years.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Wednesday: For New Jersey, Fair To-day; Increasing Cloudiness, Followed by Light Showers Wednesday; Warmer Wednesday; Southerly Winds.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Hear "Fadette" Thursday evening.

—Councilman Gallup alone was absent from the council session last night.

—Seats for the opera, Thursday evening, now on sale at Central pharmacy.

—Santa Claus is stocking up with Christmas candies at the store of B. T. Barnes.

—Manager Mapleson will bring his entire company to Music Hall, Thursday evening.

—Flora Bernhardt has petitioned council for an adjustment of taxes on the Daniel Martine farm.

—There will be no increase in prices for the Mapleson Opera company's appearance at Music Hall, Thursday evening.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the "Y's" will be held to-morrow afternoon at 4. A large attendance is requested.

—The Java coffee sold by Neuman Bros, the Broadway grocers, is truly delicious. For quality and flavor it can't be excelled.

—The date of the Seidl orchestra recital has been changed because of the amateur theatricals, from Saturday next until later in the season.

—G. W. Endicott and Pliny Fisk promptly had their request for a crosswalk on the north side of West Seventh street across Park avenue granted last night.

—The attention of the councilmanic committee on streets has been directed by protesting property-holders to the wretched condition of far West Front street.

—The councilmanic committee on laws and ordinances were instructed last night to draw up ordinances to divide the First and Second wards into two polling districts each.

—Fred F. Chase asks the authorities to place two electric lamps on unlighted North avenue near Berckman street. The councilmanic committee on lights will look into the matter.

—The railway extension petitioned for as reported in these columns yesterday is down Monroe avenue to Eighth street, and down Eighth street to Clinton avenue, and along Clinton avenue.

—Joseph Lane, arrested for being drunk and disorderly last night, was fined $8 this morning. One of the election workers paid the fine and thereby secured a vote for his candidate for city judge.

—George A. Moore has sold out the butcher business to Vail Bros., and Mr Moore has gone into partnership with George H. Cook to conduct a produce business at the same address, 14 North avenue.

—A large audience laughed until after 11, in Music Hall, last evening, over "McKenna's Flirtations". The piece is as clever as ever and the company as fine although Mr. Fay's illness rather handicaps him.

—The people of Hillside avenue neighborhood are very sore against being charged excessive hack fares. The new council will probably consider an ordinance to adjust the rates, at some January or February meeting.

—The Plainfield common council will meet again Dec. 19, to hear the final report of the commissioners in the matter of widening the present Peace street. The report will be in favor of the widening, and the Council will approve it.

—The ladies will find White & Van-Arsdale's holiday announcement interesting reading. They say that with their unusual facilities they are displaying double the amount of useful and ornamental goods for holiday presents ever before shown.

—The proprietor of the Somerset street sheet, who villifies the electric road in his own paper, confesses in a message to the New Brunswick *Home News* that because of the proposed extension of the road into the borough real estate along the route has already advanced in price.

—Councilman Fisk of the finance committee has gone to the personal expense and pains to prepare a lot of printed blanks to be filled out each month making a clear showing of the city's intricate finances. President Ginna last night expressed the appreciation felt by all the members for Mr. Fisk's thoughtful consideration.

—Councilman Frazee tried to get the city council last night to appropriate money for overcoats for the drivers of No. 2 engine. The fire committee explained that they were not the city's drivers, but men who were furnished with the hired horses. The city might buy overcoats for them, and then there might be new drivers next day. The other drivers who had had coats bought by the city were regularly appointed firemen. It was announced that No. 2's drivers had bought regulation coats for themselves, and the matter was dropped.

W. E. Chipchase, 224 S. Charles street, Baltimore, Md., found Salvation Oil a sure cure for sprains and inflammations.

Every voter is personally interested in the selection of City Judge. The people's candidate deserves the election. He is not a politician, but an upright citizen of probity and wisdom. His name is William A. Coddington. Vote for him. 4t

ABOLISH STAR CHAMBER METHODS.

The Press and the People Have a Right to the Board of Education's Confidence.

The High School authorities to-day tell THE PRESS that it has positively been decided to try the one-session experiment beginning Jan. 1. That action is said to have been taken at Saturday night's session. Yet THE PRESS was told yesterday by a member of the board that the matter had not yet been fully decided.

The fact is, there is too much star chamber business about the methods and proceedings of the board of education. The meetings should all be readily accessible to the public; the tax-payers should be welcomed to all sessions. But they are not. Even the newspapers are not kept informed of the movements of the august body. The meetings are held with such irregularity that it is impossible for an outsider to keep track of them unless notified by the clerk, who gets the good pay of $300.00 a year for very little work. For instance, the regular date for the December meeting was Monday, December 5, but without announcement to the public the meeting was called for Saturday, Dec. 3, instead, and held then. THE PRESS would have had a reporter present, had it known of the change, so that the public might know what was being done. Yesterday it was found impossible to get definite report from any of those present.

The atmosphere of the board sessions has always been very frigid to an outsider. The reporter or humble citizen by chance attending a session has felt that he was not welcome. The members have eyed the intruder with disfavor, and have not hesitated to dictate that such and such of their proceedings should not be made public.

This executive session style should be abolished. The board of education spends more of the tax-payers' money than any other department of the municipal government, and the people should be afforded every facility for keeping fully informed of all the transactions. In other cities the newspapers are notified in advance of every meeting to be held, and space is bought in all the papers so that they will be sure to publish all the proceedings in full.

If the local board will keep the newspapers posted as to dates of meetings, so that announcement can be made and the tax-payers invited to attend, the public will be better satisfied. The people resent present methods, feeling that they are unjustly shut out of full and free knowledge of what is being done in one of the most important branches of public business.

SERIOUS SICKNESS.

Fears of Widespread Epidemic of Diptheria.

Another sad death from diptheria occurred this morning. The victim is Frank L., three-year-old son of Joseph and Frances Angerbauer. Another child in the family is dying, and others are exposed.

A good man having the interests of the children especially at heart is greatly worried over the outbreak of the malignant disease in the Fourth ward. He is very bitter in criticizing the physician who had charge of the original case in the Fourth ward. He alleges that though he was warned that the disease was black diphtheria he ridiculed the idea and took no precautions to avoid contagion. Instead the victim and his family freely mingled among other children, and so the disease spread in virulent form. The condition of affairs is really so serious, this citizen reports, that he advises that the schools be closed till after the holidays. The board of health is besought to quarantine rigidly all infected quarters.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

This afternoon at 4, at the home of the bride on Duer street, will take place the marriage of Miss Lizzie Mowinkle to Charles Dellehunt. The groom is a brother of Mrs. Robert Loughlin, of West Front street.

R. J. Jackson, of the Centre National bank, New York, son of James Jackson, of 65 East Sixth street, has purchased the Raymond farm of 41 acres, lying on both sides of Raymond avenue, between East Front street and the mountains.

William Bainbridge Hale, esq., of Grassdale, Louisa county, Virginia, a brother of Thomas Hale of this city, died suddenly Nov. 24 at the age of 65 years. He leaves a wife and two sons, Philip Hale, of Boston, and the Rev. Edward Hale, of East Orange. The deceased was for a long time a distinguished banker in New England, having been for nearly thirty years cashier, vice-president and president of the First National bank of Northampton, Mass., prior to retiring to Virginia.

A Plainfield Woman at Her Brother's Wedding.

The Elmira *Telegram* tells of a quiet, but happy wedding, which took place Wednesday morning, at the rectory of St. Patrick's church, when Rev. Father Quinn united in wedlock, Daniel J. Buckley, of New York city, and Miss Annie Day, of Greene, N. Y. Miss Annie Buckley, of Plainfield, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, and Benjamin Peters, of Rosendale, N. Y., performed the duties of groomsman. Mr. Buckley for several years was connected with the Cortland Wagon company, but at present holds a responsible and lucrative position in the metropolis, and both he and bride have many friends here and elsewhere to wish them a happy and prosperous married life.

The groom and his Plainfield sister are the children of Cornelius Buckley of Rosendale, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Ulster county.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

CHILDREN'S DAY EXERCISES.

Pleasant Event of the Sunday-School of the First Church of Christ.

A crowded house greeted the First Church of Christ Sunday-school last evening at the chapel on Grove street. A Thanksgiving exercise had been prepared for the occasion, and was well rendered throughout. At the opening of the service the superintendent asked the congregation to join in singing "My Country 'Tis of Thee", after which the audience was very agreeably entertained for more than an hour.

The school for the past year has grown largely, and the superintendent in his remarks said: "I am justly proud of my school".

The singing and recitations by Edith Wells, Bertha Rockfellow and others, showed how earnest all had been in making the occasion successful.

The entertainment was given in behalf of missions, and after a short address by the pastor, the Rev. B. W. Hand, a collection of $7 was taken.

The superintendent in an earnest appeal to the people to attend Sunday-school said: "There was no excuse for those who thought themselves too old to go to Sunday-school, as the ages of those who attended the school ranged from 4 to 70. None was ever to old to learn."

Chapel Bowlers Win Again.

The Hope chapel bowling team defeated the Dunellen team in the first series last night on the Hope Chapel alleys by 77 pins. The score:

HOPE CHAPEL.		DUNELLEN.	
H. Turner	121	N. Taylor	105
G. Firstbrook	117	W. Giles	141
W. Leland	128	R. Pierce	86
J. Brown	137	C. Giles	108
D. Morning	147	N. Giles	133
	650		573

A team of boys of Hope chapel defeated the Arlingtons Saturday afternoon by 17 pins. The score:

HOPE CHAPEL.		ARLINGTONS.	
W. Stewart	117	C. Sutphen	111
J. Young	84	J. Sutphen	89
A. Muir	107	Kurtzhals	98
S. Hunter	118	M. Sutphen	93
Geo. Case	78	Neighbor	96
	504		487

The First Choral Concert.

The first of the Choral society's concerts of this season will be given in Music Hall, Tuesday evening, December 20. The soloists are to be Mrs. Charles Tyler Dutton, soprano; Miss Tirzah Hamlin, contralto; assisted by an orchestra from the New York Philharmonic society.

Charles Roberts, jr., the well-known reader, will add to the attractiveness of the concert by the impressive part he renders in Mendelssohn's "Athalie", and besides will furnish a number in the first part of the programme, which will also comprise several new and pleasing choruses.

On Wednesday evening, the 7th inst. at 8, the subscribing members of the society are to select the seats to which they are entitled, at the box office of Music Hall.

Everything Now Ready for North Broadway.

The joint commission of appeal in the matter of opening Peace street from Front street to the foot of the mountain reported to the common council last night that they approved the original report and assessments, as accurate and just, and confirmed and ratified them. The council thereupon approved and confirmed their report. The report was made long and wearisome by legal verbiage, and the clerk was given the job of spreading it in full on the minutes.

Good Bye, G. O. P.

The Republicans cannot any longer affect to look on New Jersey in any other light than that of a Democratic Gibraltar. Mr. Cleveland's plurality this year more than doubled what it was in 1888, being 14,885 against 7,149 of four years ago. In 1888 the Democratic vote was 168,579 and the Republican 139,594. In 1892 the vote of the Democracy stood 170,479, an increase of 19,000, and that of the Republicans 155,594, an increase of 14,000 only. Six out of the eight congressmen are Democrats, a gain of one, owing to the new apportionment.

Col. Moore's Money Pays for the Truck.

The common council last night approved the action of the fire committee in purchasing a Hayes fire truck. The cost is to be $2,970, and the truck will be paid for with the old C. K. Moore waterworks deposit, which was appropriated from the water-works fund for that purpose last evening. Frank Bergen and John Kean, jr., gave bonds in $12,000 as the successors of the Moore company to indemnify the city against a demand for the return of the $6,000 paid in by Moore.

Plainfield Street Improvements.

The ordinance to open and widen Sycamore street was adopted on final passage last night.

West Third street may now be macadamized, the ordinance providing for the improvement having been adopted on final passage last night. The work will be begun as soon as the property-owners pay their share of the expense.

At the head of all blood-purifiers is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. But it's different from all of them. Whatever is claimed for this, it's *guaranteed* to do. The money is refunded in every case where it fails to benefit or cure. It's because it is different that it can be sold so. All diseases originating from a torpid liver or impure blood yield to it. It cleanses and purifies the system, freeing it from all manner of blood-poisons, no matter from what cause they have arisen. For Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Scrofula, Salt-rheum, Tetter, Erysipelas, or any blood-taint or disorder, it is an unequaled remedy. Nothing else can take its place.

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DEATHS.

BOOME—Suddenly in this city, Saturday, Dec. 3, 1892, Mrs. Jane Boome, widow of the late William J. Boome, in the 69 h year of her age. Funeral services at her late residence, 93 Sycamore avenue, on Wednesday, 7th inst., at 3 o'clock p. m. Interment at convenience of family. 2

ANGERBAUER—In this city Dec. 6, 1892, Frank L., son of Joseph and Frances Angerbauer, aged 3 years, 4 months and 16 days. Funeral private.

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Henry H. Lowrie, W. M
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 36, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg, W. M.
D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

Sons of St. George—No Surrender Lodge, No. 349—Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month, at Sons of Temperance Hall cor. Front street and Park avenue. Englishmen and sons and grandsons of Englishmen are cordially invited to join. Chas. Barnes, President, Samuel Smith, Secretary. 8 31 y

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 158, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. R. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Exeter Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
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DR. LEWIS ON GAMBLING.

Sharp Criticism of All Games of "Chance" — Poker Especially Denounced as a Grave-Digger for Honesty, Truthfulness and Manhood.

The sermon of the Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis of the Seventh-day Baptist church, preached by request of the Y. M. C. A. in the Trinity Reformed church Sunday night, had the attentive ear of a very large congregation, many of whom were young men. The sermon was free and fearless, and was delivered with its author's usual power of oratory. The following synopsis is published by request of many:

Exodus, 20:15—"*Thou shalt not steal.*"

Gambling is seeking to obtain money or other value, upon bet or wager, without giving an equivalent value; therefore gambling is stealing. It is a direct violation of the law of God, which law expresses a fundamental principle of equity and justice among men. Every man who gambles seeks to become a thief. That is not a pleasant view of the case, but it is the only truthful one. No matter if two men mutually agree to see which can steal the most from the other, that agreement does not make it right, any more than murder is made right when one or both parties are killed in a duel. Mutual agreement to do wrong does not make wrong-doing right. Remember, the man who wins is not the greater sinner. Each means to win; means to steal. If one fails, it does not change the purpose which makes him one of the gamblers. Pity is wasted on the men who lose. It were better that they should be made to feel that they are sinners before they are losers; losers because sinners.

A GROWING EVIL.

Gambling is a growing evil in the United States. It has a long line of ancestry. The Anglo-Saxons sometimes gambled themselves into slavery. It yet curses Europe. It starts with savagism and stops not until it touches what are called the highest circles. The bulk of the gamblers in this country are young men—many of them are under 21 years of age. Women gamble more in Europe than in America, but in both countries they gamble, or incite others to do so. A scrap book kept in the office of the Society for the Prevention of Vice in New York city, made up of clippings from newspapers during the year 1890, necessarily a meagre record, shows the following facts for that year:

128 persons were shot or stabbed at gambling tables; 24 suicides and 60 murders were committed; to obtain money with which to gamble there were 2 burglaries, 18 forgeries, 85 embezzlements, 32 absconded from banks and other places of trust, and the net proceeds of these crimes was $2,898,372.

SCIENTIFIC FACTS.

The following quotations from Richard A. Proctor's book "Chance and Luck" are some of the deductions made by science, not sentiment, concerning gambling. He says:

"If there is any evil quality of human nature, which by its persistence, its wide-spreading and its mischievous influence speaks of the inborn savagery of human nature, it is the greed for chance-won wealth." (p. 162.)

"I regard betting as essentially immoral as soon as its true nature is recognized. When a wager is made, and when after it has been lost and won its conditions are fulfilled, money has passed from one person to another without any work done by which society is benefited." (p. 104.)

Speaking of "stock gambling", manipulating markets, etc., Mr. Proctor says:

"In fine, no one has but the minutest chance of failing to lose largely, by "cover-speculation," unless he is prepared to speculate with such knowledge as would make every transaction a villainy." (p. 190)

POKER.

Mr. Proctor says of poker: "A man shall not have a point in his hand, yet by sheer bluffing—in other words, by lying—he shall cause such an idea to be formed of his hand, that everyone else at the table will throw up his cards and leave to the liar full possession of the stakes." (p. 226.)

Mr. Proctor gives a view of the possible chances in poker, in the following extract from page 238.

Thus of the four best classes of hands there are the following numbers:

Of flush sequences there may be	40
Of fours	624
Of full hands	3,744
Of common flushes	5,108
Of common sequences	10,200
Of triplets	54,912
Of two pairs	123,552
Of pairs	1,098,240
Of other hands	1,302,540

Here is a mathematical demonstration of the uncertainties connected with this game, which is so popular with gamblers. Starting with 52 cards, the arithmetical combinations made possible in this game are represented above. Over *two and one half millions* of "hands" are possible in this one game. When the element of direct cheating be added to these uncertainties, and the success which downright lying plays in the game, everyone must see that "poker" digs the grave for honesty, truthfulness and manhood.

CHEATING AT POKER.

Beyond the practice of lying, i. e., "bluffing" at poker, the gambler often controls the game by dealing the "hands". Not long since I saw J. P. Quinn, the "converted gambler", who, after twenty-five years' experience as a professional gambler, is now preaching against this form of sin under the auspices of the National Anti-Gambling society, "deal" several times, four hands, for "poker". In every case he made the winning hand whatever he wished. He told the company that all cards known as "Standard makes" are marked upon the back so that the gambler knows the face of the card by its back. He also said: "Give me any pack of an unknown make and in four minutes I will put my own private marks thereon, so that I can tell what each card is as I deal it".

This cheating places the ordinary player at the mercy of the professional, even if no other chances were against him. Mr. Quinn said, with emphasis: "The sucker is helpless in the hands of the gambler". And yet the "sucker" expects to win—folly of follies!!

MECHANICAL DEVICES.

There are over 60 mechanical devices by which gambling is carried on. These combine mechanical accuracy with mathematical certainty against the general player.

ROULETTE.

The roulette wheel—*Rouge et Noire*, as the French call it—is one of the more common and effective. This is wholly under the control of the operator. A secret spring controlled by the "banker", determines where the ball must stop. For example: You bet that it will be in a red pocket. The operator touches a spring and throws a set of fine needle points into such position that they *make it impossible* for the ball to fall into a red pocket; it is mechanically compelled to go into "black"; or, to the contrary, if you "bet on black"; the operator can allow you to win on either color, as long as he choose, until you become confident, and "stake your pile"; this done, he touches the spring and "scoops you in", consoling you—as he pockets the money he allowed you to steal from him, but which he has at length stolen from you—by the sage remark: "Luck must change sometimes". It was not "luck", but the "spring", which "fleeced" you.

FARO.

The faro box is another mechanical device which places the player wholly in the power of the dealer. How this is done, I cannot tell you, as I did in the case of the roulette table. But I have seen the fact demonstrated in dozens of trials. Ask for three cards of any given color, and the dealer will deal them to you, or deal another color as he chooses. You are allowed to win, or compelled to lose; not by freak or law of chance, nor by any result of skill. There is no "science" in the case. The fingers of the dealer determine the result in every instance. So with all the mechanical devices. The certainty is on the side of the manipulator, every time.

REMEDIES.

(a) Teach the fundamental sinfulness of gambling; of all forms of "betting". It is a combination of lying and stealing. Every dollar of value won by betting, at any game, or in any way, is stolen; at card table, on race track, on Wall street, anywhere, in any way. Let this be repeated till men believe it. Let pulpit and press and home burn that truth into the hearts of the young.

(b) Show that the devices and games are controlled by the manipulators, and that the average player will lose, as certainly as the mercury goes down in a Minnesota blizzard.

(c) Let men understand, also, that in all large cities the gambling houses are in league with politicians and police, and that when they hear of a "raid" which is not a farce, that the usual "hush money" from the gamblers is not forthcoming.

(d) But most important, in circles like those represented here to-night, are the preparation which is made for gambling, and the development of gamblers, by card-playing and other games of chance which obtain in social circles; and sometimes, be it said, with shame and sorrow, at "church fairs" and "charity enterprises". Mr. Quinn was asked in my hearing, not long ago: "Do you condemn all card-playing for amusement, in social life?" He answered, with great emphasis, "*I do*". Why? He said: "I became a gambler because I had become an excellent card-player at home. My mother was a Christian; my father an easy-going man of the world, who taught his boys to play cards for amusement. The neighboring boys came in, rivalry and practice made me an expert among the boys. I thought I was expert enough to get my living easier than by farming. In twenty-five years as a professional gambler I never "fleeced a green one", who did not think himself expert enough to beat me, and I know that the great majority of those I have victimized *learned to play at home*.

Dr. Lewis added, I believe Mr. Quinn is right. I have heard from the lips of gamblers on the western steamboats explanations and statements which fully corroborate all he says. I am familiar with the pleas that are made about "keeping boys at home", etc. I make no wholesale condemnation of those families where card-playing abounds; but I know the highest good of the greatest number demands that other and better forms of amusement be provided. It may be that you can teach your boy to play whist, euchre, poker, and no evil come from it; but the fact remains, that where card-playing most abounds, gambling thrives best. The players for amusement stand related to the gamblers, much as the "moderate drinkers" do to the army of drunkards. Gambling and drinking go together in almost every case. Non-indulgence alone insures safety.

Experience of an Ex-Champion.

Athletes and men who take ordinary outdoor exercise such as walking, running bicycle riding, jumping, swimming, tennis, etc., are often the subjects of acute troubles. The experience of an ex-champion walker will be of interest to all who are afflicted. Harry Brooks writes:

NEW YORK, April 2, 1886.

"Numerous statements relative to the merits of different plasters having been brought to my attention, I take this opportunity to state that I have used ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS for over twenty years and prefer them to any other kind. I would furthermore state that I was very sick with catarrh of the kidneys and attribute my recovery entirely to ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS.

A COACHMAN ON THE RAMPAGE.

A Furious Plainfielder Fights Two Elizabeth Policeman.

Richard Meade, a coachman, reported by the Elizabeth *Journal* to be employed by a family in Plainfield, was arrested at the Central railroad station at Elizabeth, yesterday, for disorderly conduct. He was drunk and created great disorder. He shouted like an Indian, and undertook to scatter the crowd waiting for the trains. Policeman Charles Eckert grappled with Meade, but he made such a furious resistance that officer Lucas was called to assist. Meade fought both officers, but was subdued, and escorted to the lock-up. In police court officer Eckert said Meade was the worst character he has met at the station in five years.

The prisoner was a young man. He said he came to the city to visit friends. He could not recollect anything about the disturbance.

Justice Hetfield asked if Meade knew warden Dodd, and he said he did not.

"All right", said the justice, "I will give you a chance to get acquainted with him; $5 fine and costs or sixty days."

Meade had no money and was sent to jail.

LOST HIS FOOT.

A Plainfield Man Run Over by a Jersey Central Train.

Frank Antrew, a German, aged 47 years, was run over by a passenger train on the Jersey Central railroad beyond Netherwood yesterday. He lived in Plainfield, and was walking on the track. He was evidently trying to get out of the way of the train when struck. One of his feet was crushed, and he received a bad scalp wound. His jaw also was dislocated. The injured man was taken to Elizabeth, by the train that struck him, and taken in the ambulance to the hospital. The amputation of his left foot was necessary. Antrew worked in the Potter press works at Plainfield.

NOT A POLICEMAN.

Expensive Search for Another Kind of Plainfield Copper.

The New York and Plainfield Mining company is reported by the New Brunswick *Fyedonian* to have given up drilling for copper in the mountains back of Bound Brook. They sunk a drill 442 feet and nothing but shale has been found. The company has moved its plant to Martinville, where it will make another attempt to find copper. The diamond drills used cost $250 and one is used up every week, so it can readily be seen that this is a very expensive experiment.

United States Senator Abbett.

It seems now as though it was a settled matter that governor Leon Abbett will succeed the Hon. Rufus Blodgett as United States Senator during the forthcoming Legislature. According to reports senator John R. McPherson advocates his appointment, also Allan McDermott. And now governor-elect Werts has expressed his choice in Mr. Abbett. At the banquet of the Democratic society of New Jersey, in Jersey City, last Thursday, governor-elect Werts—in the course of his remarks—said:

So far as I am concerned, and I have talked with many men on the subject, and now that the election is over and a greater election is at hand, I wish to say I believe the Democratic party in the Legislature will come up solidly to the support of the man who deserves success. It will be its duty as well as its pleasure to elect a Democrat to the United States Senate, and that Democrat will be the man who has done much for the State of New Jersey, the man who has reduced the taxes and compelled the corporations to help bear the burdens of the State. I hail him as the next United States Senator, Leon Abbett.

We have always advocated the selection of governor Abbett as United States Senator. He is entitled to that honor for his stanch advocacy of Democratic principles and faithful performance of duty. He has made an excellent governor and will make a like good national representative.

The Roller Skating Season Opens To-Night.

The inaugural opening of the roller skating season at the Crescent rink, under the auspices of the National Skate and Bicycle syndicate, takes place to-night. This famous concern is noted throughout the country as caterers to the public in skating and bicycling, and intends giving to the people of this section a season of both that will undoubtedly be appreciated.

Hereafter Tuesdays and Saturdays will be reserved for skating, with extra holiday sessions on Christmas and New Year's. And when the roads become unfit for riding the indoor bicycle season will open on Thursdays.

Want Madison Avenue Widened.

Peter Wooden, Julia A. Rogers, the M. E. church, and others, have petitioned the common council to widen Madison avenue from Front street to the railroad to the uniform width of fifty feet. The committee on streets will take charge of the proposition.

Shiloh's Cough Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price, 50c. and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Avenue, opposite railroad station. 5-16-7

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Those who use it speak highly of it.—George L. Hill, druggist, Springfield, Mass.

Cream Balm has given satisfactory results.—W. P. Draper, druggist, Springfield, Mass.

I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years; Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. W. Willard, druggist, Joliet, Ill.

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Johnnie Scott was a surprised boy yesterday, when his mother gave him a new winter coat.

It was the result of Mrs. Scott's use of Diamond Dyes on one of her husband's old garments. The "fast black for wool" dye gave a beautiful color that is absolutely fast, and not one could tell Johnnie's coat from a new one. "The black Diamond Dyes are having a large sale this winter," said a Plainfield druggist, "and they always give satisfaction."

The great domestic stand-by, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, is now recognized to be a family necessity. Keep it handy.

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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
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WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS and decorative plants at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 11 27 7

A FINE violin for sale. Address M., care Press. 12 6 6

LOST—On Saturday, Nov. 26, a pug dog. A reward will be given for his return to S. L. Dollner, 121 Madison ave.

ICE—The privilege of cutting ice on the South Plainfield mill pond to rent; pure spring water, constantly running; easy to harvest; close to the Lehigh Valley railroad; 2½ miles to Plainfield, N. J. Apply or address W. E. Smith, 300 Greenwich st., New York. 12 6 3 eod

WANTED—A chambermaid and waitress in a family of three; colored preferred; reference required. Apply 17 East Seventh street. 12 6 2

WANTED—To rent, a small house or three or four small rooms for housekeeping, near electric light station. Address L. E. T., care Press. 12 6 2

TO LET—At reduced rate, old Council chamber, Nos. 40 and 42 West Front street. Apply to James Clark or J. C. Pope & Co. 12 5 3

FOR SALE—A bay mare, 7 years old, 15 hands high; extra roadster; safe for lady to drive. Address C. Wright, care Press. 12 5 5

FREE—One month lessons in shorthand and typewriting if you begin this week; afterwards one dollar weekly. Apply room 30, Stillman block, West Front street. 12 5 2

FOR SALE—Paff's hotel, Scotch Plains; would exchange for Plainfield business property. Paff, Scotch Plains. 12 5 10

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TWO car loads of fresh Western cows for sale by B. Meyer, Riverside stock farm, Finderne, N. J. 12 3 6

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Administrators' Sale.

T. J. CAREY, Auctioneer.

The undersigned administrators of Job Male, deceased, hereby give notice that the articles comprising the art collection of Clotsonne, known as the "Schoonmaker collection, purchased by the late Mr. Male for over $9,000, will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidders on

Thursday Afternoon and Evening,

DEC. 8th inst.,

At Carey's Auction Rooms,

Corner of West Front street and Grove street, Plainfield, N. J., beginning at 2 o'clock p. m.

The articles are those previously exhibited at the Job Male Art Gallery, and will be on exhibition at Carey's auction rooms beginning Thursday morning, December 8 instant, at 9 o'clock. Catalogues may be had on application to either of the undersigned, or to the auctioneer.

Terms cash.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 1, 1892.

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Administrators

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OF

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The undersigned administrators of the estate of Job Male, deceased, hereby give notice that they will expose to sale at public vendue, to the highest bidders, on

Wednesday, December 7th inst.,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

On the premises, on the easterly corner of Crescent avenue and First place, Plainfield, New Jersey, all the household furniture and personal effects late of Job Male, deceased (except articles included in the Schoonmaker collection, which last named will be old at Carey's auction rooms on Thursday afternoon and evening, December 8th instant), consisting of parlor, dining room, bed room and library furniture, all beds and bedding, kitchen utensils, all carpets matting, rugs, tablecloths, towels, napkins and other linen, pictures, engravings, library of printed books, maps, charts, crockery, glassware, cutlery, silver-plated ware, some rare old china and one pier glass, and other personal property contained in the former homestead property of Job Male, deceased. Terms cash.

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We will sell the best Germantown Yarn, Utopia and Arcadia for 13c. skein.

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Gazzam—Mr. Bloobumper.—Judge.

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A Thoughtless Boy.

Nellie—Mamma, Geordie's swallowed a quarter an' he's chokin'!

Geordie's Mamma—Oh, my child, why did you do it? Now I haven't enough for car-fare.—Chicago News Record.

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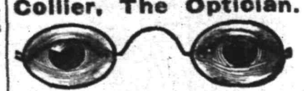

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The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.
Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,
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Carty & Stryker
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THE PRESIDENT'S FINAL MESSAGE

Review of the Document—Annual Report of the United States Civil Service Commission—Anti-Option Fight to Go On—General Rosecrans' Condition Precarious

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—In marked contrast with the bustling scenes of the opening day was the meeting of the House yesterday. Few persons were in the galleries, and upon the floor the members seemed to have settled into the old routine.

Mr. Rayner, of Maryland, introduced a bill for the better protection of commerce and to establish a national quarantine. Referred.

At 12:15 Mr. Pruden, one of the President's secretaries, was announced, and presented the annual message, which Clerk Kerr immediately commenced to read.

In the Senate as soon as the secretary finished the reading of the journal Mr Pruden appeared and delivered the President's annual message, which was there upon laid before the Senate and read by Secretary McCook.

The Message.

President Harrison's last annual message is devoted to a review of the condition of the country and its progress during the last four years. In it he points out that the national wealth has increased from $15,159,616,068 in 1860 to $62,610,009,000 in 1890. He details a number of most important and interesting statistics, which support his statement that "so high a degree of prosperity and so general a diffusion of the comforts of life were never before enjoyed by our people."

The official returns of the Eleventh Census and those of the Tenth Census for 75 leading cities furnish the basis for the following comparisons:

In 1880 the capital invested in manufacturing was $1,232,839,670.
In 1890 the capital invested in manufacturing was $2,900,735,884.
In 1880 the number of employes was 1,301,886.
In 1890 the number of employes was 2,251,134.
In 1880 the wages earned were $501,965,773.
In 1890 the wages earned were $1,221,170,454.
In 1880 the value of the product was $2,711,579,899.
In 1890 the value of the product was $4,860,286,857.

He then quotes figures from other sources showing the industrial growth of the country under the influence of the McKinley tariff.

Figures are given to show the extent and value of our foreign trade, and that our coastwise trade is developing greatly. The value of our exports during the fiscal year 1892 reached the highest figure in the history of the Government, amounting to $1,030,278,148, exceeding by $145,797,888 the exports of 1891 and exceeding the value of the imports by $202,875,686. During the fiscal year 1892 the value of imports free of duty amounted to $457,999,658, the largest aggregate in the history of our commerce.

The President says that "those who have advocated a protective tariff can well afford to have their disastrous forecasts of a change of policy disappointed. If a system of customs duties can be framed that will set the idle wheels and looms of Europe in motion and crowd our warehouses with foreign-made goods, and at the same time keep our own mills busy; that will enable the American manufacturer to pay to his workmen from fifty to a hundred per cent. more in wages than is paid in the foreign mill and yet to compete in our market and in foreign markets with the foreign producer; that will further reduce the cost of articles of wear and food without reducing the wages of those who produce them; that can be celebrated, after its effects have been realized, as its expectation has been, in European as well as in American cities, the authors and promoters of it will be entitled to the highest praise."

The advantages of reciprocity are fully stated. Detailed statements of our relations with foreign powers follow. It is recommended that support be given to the Nicaragua Ship Canal company. The President says "it is too early to predict what results may be accomplished by the International Monetary Conference."

Attention is then directed to a summary of the work of the administration and to the fact that "public revenues amounting to $1,414,079,292.28 have been collected and disbursed without loss from misappropriation, without single defalcation of such importance as to attract the public attention "and at a diminished cost for collection." The President says the revenues for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1892, from all sources were $425,868,260.22, and the expenditures for all purposes were $418,953,806.56, leaving a balance of $9,914,453.66. There were paid during the year upon the public debt $40,570,467.98. The surplus in the Treasury and the bank redemption fund, passed by the act of July 14, 1890, to the general fund, furnished in large part the cash available and used for the payments made upon the public debt. Compared with the year 1891, our receipts from customs duties fell off $42,069,241.08, while our receipts from internal revenue increased $8,284,823.13, leaving the net loss of revenue from these principal sources $33,784,417.95. The net loss of revenue from all sources was $32,675,972.81.

Special attention is called to Treasury Secretary Foster's report, "in view of the many misleading statements that have been made as to the state of the public revenues," and detailed figures are given.

The revenues, estimated and actual, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893, are placed by the Secretary at $463,336,350.44 and the expenditures at $461,336,350.44, showing a suplus of receipts over expenditures of $2,000,000. The cash balance in the Treasury at the end of the fiscal year it is estimated will be $20,992,377.03.

The work of the other executive departments of the government is reviewed at length.

Space is given to a statement of the condition of the merchant marine and the new navy and a continuance of the system of steamship subsidies is earnestly urged. The Indian question is treated at length. Then follows a notice of the report of the Commissioner of Pensions and a statement of what is due the disabled Union veterans.

After saying he has contemplated a still further extension of the Civil Service law, but that he has "not as yet fully determined the lines upon which extensions can most properly and usefully be made," the President calls attention to the evils and dangers of unfair apportionments and says "It is time that mutual charges of unfairness and fraud between the parties should cease and that we should come together upon the high plane of patriotism while we devise methods that shall secure the right of every man qualified by law to cast a free ballot and give to every such ballot an equal value in choosing our public officers."

The President concludes as follows:

"This exhibit of the work of the Executive Departments is submitted to Congress and to the public in the hope that there will be found in it a due sense of responsibility and an earnest purpose to maintain the national honor and promote the happiness and prosperity of all our people. And this brief exhibit of the growth and prosperity of the country will give us a level from which to note the increase or decadence that new legislative policies may bring us. There is no reason why the national influence, power, and prosperity should not observe the same rate of increase that have characterized the past thirty years. We carry the great impulse and increase of these years into the future. There is no reason why in many lines of production we should not surpass all other nations as we have already done in some. There are no near frontiers to our possible development. Retrogression would be a crime."

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REPORT ON THE CIVIL SERVICE.

Ninth Annual Statement by the Commission Furnished the President.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The United States Civil Service commission makes public its ninth annual report to the President.

It shows that from July 1, 1891, to June 30, 1892, the whole number of applicants examined for the five branches of the classified service was 19,460, of whom 12,160 passed, and 7,800 failed to pass.

The whole number appointed in the year covered by the report is as follows:

Departmental service, 478; customs service, 161; postal service, 2,113; railway mail service, 1,199, and Indian service, 10; total, 3,961, a decrease of 1,434 over the previous year.

CENSUS BUREAU INVESTIGATION.

Senator Vest Introduces a Resolution With that Aim.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Before the Senate went into executive session a resolution was offered by Mr. Vest, and chiefly discussed by him and Mr. Hale, in reference to the "pernicious activity" of the Census Bureau in the recent election.

The resolution proposes an investigation, and it will be called up and acted upon to-day.

Fish Commissioner's Report.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Marshall McDonald, fish commissioner, reported to Congress that there had been expended in the year 1891-2, out of a total appropriation of $295,000, $292,284 in conducting the operations of the commission. In addition, there was also expended on account of fish hatcheries, under special appropriations, $19,000.

Anti-Option Fight to Go On.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—"The Anti-Option bill is neither dead nor sleeping," said Senator Washburn this morning, and from his attitude it was easy to see that the fight for the passage of this measure would be commenced at the earliest possible moment this session.

Will Not Notice the Petition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—At the meeting of the House committee investigating the administration of the Federal Election law in New York city it was decided to take no notice whatever of the petition submitted to the House in behalf of John I. Davenport.

Rosecrans Very Ill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The condition of Gen. William S. Rosecrans, Register of the Treasury, is now such as to cause his friends serious apprehension.

Suicide of a Titusville Merchant.

TITUSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 7.—Lehman Ullman, the leading dry goods merchant of this city, was found dead at his home yesterday, with a bullet hole in his right temple. For several months Mr. Ullman has suffered terribly from nicotine poisoning. His physicians having pronounced the ailment incurable, he became despondent.

New Haven's Municipal Election.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 7.—In the city election here Mayor Joseph B. Sargent (Dem.) was re-elected, but ran some 1,130 votes behind his ticket. Compared with the vote brought out a month ago, the vote was very light. Sargent received 7,632 votes; Dewell, (Rep.) 5,789; scattering, 115. James B. Martin, (Dem.) for City Clerk, is elected.

Bitter Debates in the Spanish Chamber.

MADRID, Dec. 7.—The debates in the Chamber show such bitter opposition to the government that it is thought the Cabinet crisis must come to a head within two days. The present Cabinet will retire in a body, and will probably be succeeded by a Liberal one, perhaps with ex-Premier Sagasta again at the head.

Interest in Monetary Conference Waning

BRUSSELS, Dec. 7.—Sir William Houldsworth's proposals will be submitted to-day to the Monetary Conference. Interest in the proceedings is abating somewhat, as the belief is gaining ground that the conference will have no appreciable results.

Commercial Cable Dividend.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The board of directors of the Commercial Cable Co. has declared a quarterly dividend of 1 3-4 per cent., payable Jan. 2., 1893.

Factory Girls on Strike.

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., Dec. 7.—The 58 girls employed at the art tile factory here have gone on strike, and the factory is idle in consequence.

"LEDGER" BUILDING FIRE.

George W. Child's Paper Left Homeless in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—The "Public Ledger" building, a massive six-story brown stone front structure on the southwest corner of Sixth and Chestnut streets, and running through to Sansom street, was damaged by fire last night to the extent of $200,000, of which $150,000 is sustained by the "Ledger" and $50,000 by tenants.

The "Ledger's" insurance aggregates $240,000—$160,000 on the building and $80,000 on contents. The other occupants are believed to be fully insured. The collection of curios in the private office of Mr. Childs, the "Ledgers's" owner and publisher, which are inestimable in value, were saved.

The damage to the building is $100,000. About half of the structure was gutted by fire and water. The flames were confined to the fourth floor and all above and the portion below were flooded.

The fire started mysteriously in the basement of No. 604 Chestnut street, which is a part of the "Ledger" property, and which is occupied by the Standard typewriter concern.

There was no rubbish in the cellar, and no plausible theory as to the origin of the fire can be given. It is thought, however, that it may have been started by a careless workman.

The flames soon enveloped the composing room, and the compositors, who number about 140, beat a hasty retreat down the stairs, and all escaped. Soon after the fire started there was a sharp explosion, the cause of which is not known, and Business Manager Joel J. Cook and a number of clerks were forced into the street by the concussion.

Until other arrangements shall be made the "Ledger" will be issued from the "Record" office.

CRASHED INTO THE FERRY BOAT.

Narrow Escape of Many Passengers on the North River.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The big freight steamboat Pequot, of the Providence line, ran into the double decked ferry boat Hamburg in the North river last night. The ferry boat was crowded with passengers at the time.

The force of the collision was terrific, the whole side of the Hamburg's cabin being crushed in for a distance of 25 feet. Not one of the passengers appears to have been seriously injured.

Several passengers were thrown down by the shock and more or less seriously bruised, and several women fainted.

The Pequot, with her bow stove in, put back at once to her pier after the collision. Her stout stem had been broken off, and a great hole had been stove in her port bow just under the guard, the big timbers having been broken in like paper.

PROF. BRIGGS' TRIAL.

Dr. Birch Makes an Eloquent Plea for the Prosecution.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The Presbytery of New York, sitting as a judiciary, assembled again yesterday afternoon and resumed the trial of Prof. Charles A. Briggs for heresy.

Dr. Birch took up the specified charges brought by the prosecution and spoke at length upon each one. He offered arguments in proof of the truth of each and showed the importance of the result of the case to the church at large.

His lucid explanation of the position assumed by his side in the controversy was listened to with rapt attention and deep interest.

THINK LIZZIE BORDEN GUILTY.

The Grand Jury Who Indicted the Young Woman Confident She Is a Murderess.

FALL RIVER, Dec. 7.—The vote of the grand jury for the indictment in the Borden case stood 20 to 1. The members of the jury having been dismissed for the year are talking.

Every one of the 21 men was impressed with the weight of the Government's evidence, and all except one is positive that the defendant is guilty.

One juror states that the case could not have had a more complete hearing at a trial in open court.

Honoring Rockefeller's Name.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—The trustees and faculty of the University of Chicago have hit upon a graceful idea for perpetuating the name of John D. Rockefeller, whose munificence made the establishment of the institution possible. Hereafter on all calendars, bill heads and official documents of the university will appear the title, "University of Chicago, founded by John D. Rockefeller."

Banquet to Yale and Harvard Elevens.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 7.—An invitation has been extended to the Yale eleven to attend a banquet in Boston on Friday night next, given by Mr. Higginson, a Harvard man. The banquet is understood to be given in honor of the Yale and Harvard elevens. The Yale eleven will leave here Friday afternoon.

Accused of Killing His Wife.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—John Kelley, whose wife lost her life as a result of Monday night's fire, is under arrest, suspected of having set fire to the bed on which his wife, who was an invalid, was lying. It is alleged that they were not living happily. Kelley denies the charge.

Jay Gould's Will.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Ex-Judge Dillon said this morning: "There is nothing to say about Mr. Gould's will at present, and there probably will not be for several days. At the proper time it will be made public.

Paderewski's Opening Concert.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Paderewski's opening concert at St. James hall was an exceptional success. Paderewski looked well and played with his usual spirit.

HOT SHOT FROM BYRNES

New York's Police Superintendent Scores Dr. Parkhurst.

SCHEME TO DISGRACE THE MAYOR.

The Whole Crusade Alleged to Have Been Started by the Minister and Several of His Congregation from Motives of Revenge—Detective Gardner Held for Trial

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The statement made by Police Superintendent Byrnes last night in regard to Dr. Parkhurst, president of the Society for the Prevention of Crime, has caused as great a sensation as did the revelations made in court last spring when the minister was on the stand.

The head of the police force intimates that the Doctor's motive in attacking that body is one of revenge on behalf of one of his congregation, and that his parishioner "put him up to" all his investigation of vice. Dr. Parkhurst, he says, has tried to entrap the Mayor, Judges and even Mr. Nicoll into compromising situations. Said Mr. Byrnes:

"I am busy arranging a series of facts relative to the accusations made in a general way by Dr. Parkhurst, but cannot complete them now. Against Dr. Parkhurst I have up to the present time refrained from saying a word. He makes accusations without evidence to support them—accusations which he himself does not honestly believe.

"This whole matter was conceived by him in connection with certain members of his congregation in relation to a divorce suit brought some nine or ten months ago, just before he began to assail the police. At that time he and his people endeavored to get a certain police officer to swear to thing that the officer could not conscientiously do.

"Parkhurst then became very angry in the interest of one member of his church, the person who brought the divorce suit, and who finally succeeded in securing a decree.

"He then started a persecution against a certain house in this city, and that is the commencement of the assaults upon the police. I am reluctant to say even this much.

"I have letters showing that Parkhurst and certain members of his congregation have resorted to everything that seems to be dishonorable to get evidence of any kind or character through the intrigues of women to compromise the chief magistrate of this city, the judges of the higher courts, the prosecuting attorney of this county, and many other of the high officials of this municipal government. These letters have been copied.

"These letters will show the instructions Parkhurst left and what he expected to get on his return from Europe. They will also show everything that occurred up to within the last two or three days. All were written by the person interested in the divorce suit, who is Parkhurst's friend and chief adviser in his church. This person is getting the material for the purpose of supplying Parkhurst with his sermons preached on Sundays assailing public men from his pulpit.

"Of his letters I may say that to a copy of each is appended an interview with the party to whom the letter is addressed. They name the public men to be followed and ascertain whether they went to disreputable houses. They show that efforts were made to 'ring in' a woman on these public men, and so try to get them into compromising positions. And all this has been done through a certain woman.

"To illustrate the character and high mindedness of Dr. Parkhurst it is only necessary for me to tell of a little episode that came to my attention and the details of which I can fully prove when I feel like so doing. [redacted]

"The time Dr. Parkhurst gave his testimony in the Hattie Adams case he went to this woman referred to in the divorce suit, and asked her if she could not get him some French pictures. He said he thought they would be useful to him when giving his testimony. They would refresh his memory. The poor soul was so modest he could not remember the filthy things he had witnessed.

"The woman obtained the pictures of the third party who figures in this case and brought them to Dr. Parkhurst's house. The Doctor thought a moment and then said:

"'Suppose some inquisitive juryman should discover me looking at them and asked where I got them. I would have to tell him.'

"To satisfy his conscience on this point he told the woman to take them home and send them to him that night by mail. He did this so as to be able to truthfully swear in case he was asked any questions that he did not know where they came from.

"This is the calibre of Dr. Parkhurst. I am sorry for the woman who has allowed herself to be dragged into this thing. She has been misled. She is one of the Four Hundred and stands high in society."

GARDNER HELD FOR TRIAL.

Two Charges Against Dr. Parkhurst's Chief Detective.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—At the examination of Gardner, chief detective of the Parkhurst society, Lillie Clifton testified as to the alleged transactions with Gardner. When she had concluded Justice McMahon held the prisoner for trial fixing the bail on the first charge—attempted extortion—at $2,500, and on the other—extortion—at $5,000.

In default of bail Gardner was locked up.

At the close of the examination Justice McMahon stated that he contemplated accepting a third charge against the prisoner. This is to be grand larceny.

The ground for the charge, it is learned, is the alleged attempt of Gardner to defraud the keeper of the house out of $150 by the promise of services which he could not render.

Senator Gibson's Condition Unchanged.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 7.—Senator Gibson's condition is unchanged. He is lying at the point of death and the physicians are surprised at the amount of vitality he possesses, which has kept him up this long.

Stevenson Willing to Row Bubear.

TORONTO, Dec. 7.—Charles Stevenson, the champion sculler of New Zealand, now of Toronto, announces himself as ready to meet Bubear, the English champion.

Republican Mayor in Rochester, N. H.

ROCHESTER, N. H., Dec. 7.—At the city election O. A. Hoyt, Rep., was elected mayor. The council stands 9 Republicans and 9 Democrats.

The Bird will go into the Cage!
DIRECTIONS.—Place one edge of a visiting card along the line between the bird and the cage, and rest the tip of your nose against the other edge of the card. Hold the card so that no shadow falls on either side. Watch the bird a moment, you will see it go into the cage.

You will not believe this until you try it; neither will you believe that Cleveland's baking powder is absolutely the best until you try it. Try it!

A BUFFALO SENSATION.

Criminal Charges Against the Superintendent of an Asylum.

BUFFALO, Dec. 7.—One of the most sensational cases ever known in Buffalo is the one investigated by the State Board of Charities. It is that of John H. Van Valkenburg, against whom charges of a criminal nature have been made in relation to his management of the Thomas Asylum for Poor and Orphan Indian Children, situated on the Cattaragus reservation.

Van Valkenburg is charged by a missionary named Tripp with the seduction of young girls, stealing funds belonging to the asylum, murdering a boy inmate, and general gross mismanagement.

So far no charge, apparently, has been proved. The case will come up again today.

The investigating committee consists of Chairman Oscar Craig of Rochester; Peter Walrath of Chittenango and Hon. W. P. Letchworth of Buffalo. Judge Gilbert of Albany represented the Attorney-General and acted as the committee's advisor, and Wm. B. Hoyt represents Van Valkenburg and the trustees of the asylum.

The institution has nine trustees who meet once a year, leaving the management practically in the superintendent's hands.

A YACHT SEIZED AND SUNK.

The Owner Sues the Canadian Government and Collector Brookfield.

NIAGARA FALLS, Dec. 7.—George Hanny of Buffalo has brought suit against the Canadian Government and Collector of Customs E. W. Brookfield of Ridgway for seizure of his steam yacht and its wreck while under seizure. Hanny lent his boat, the A. B. Crandall, to four gentlemen.

The party went up the Canadian shore and were arrested for violation of the game laws. Constables turned the yacht over to Collector Brookfield. It broke loose from anchorage and sunk.

MRS. LEASE IS IN THE RACE.

She Wants to be a United States Senator and Will Stick to the Last.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Lease at last announces that she is a candidate for the United States Senate and that she will stay in until the last vote is cast in the Legislature.

Hitherto she has contented herself with saying that the office must seek her.

The Burglars Scared Away.

CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 7.—Burglars entered the handsome residence of Mrs. Sarah Northrop, Jay Gould's sister, on Penn street, but were scared away before they secured anything.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Dr. Werner Siemens, the celebrated scientist, is dead at Berlin.

—It is asserted that firebugs are responsible for Cranford's $100,000 blaze.

—Application for authority to organize a national bank has been filed by the First National bank of Harrison, N. J.

—Twenty-one cities in Massachusetts held municipal elections yesterday and voted upon the question of licensing the sale of liquor.

—It is stated on the authority of Archbishop Corrigan that Father McGlynn is to be restored to his standing in the Catholic Church.

—Naval Cadet Frederick K. Perkins, of the second class, has been dismissed from the Annapolis academy for disobedience and insubordination.

—The statement having been widely circulated that he was to be practically deputy Pontiff for America, Mgr. Satolli has set the question at rest by denying the report.

—A fierce fire is raging in the Sterling colliery of the Reading Coal and Iron company, Shamokin, Pa. The fire will throw about 500 men and boys out of employment.

—Dr. E. O. Shakespeare, the well known cholera expert, of Philadelphia, thinks the quarantine against immigration should be maintained indefinitely in view of danger from cholera infection.

—The members of the Brewers' Union of Milwaukee, Wis., which embraces in its membership the men employed in every brewery in the city, have decided to demand an increase of wages of $5 a month.

—The Bessemer rail mill of the Bethlehem Iron company, at South Bethlehem, Pa., has shut down. The cause is lack of orders, and about 150 men are thrown out of employment. The change does not affect armor plate and gun construction in the ordnance works.

Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 7.—For New England: Local rain or snow light variable winds, slightly warmer.

For Eastern New York: Local rain or snow; southerly winds; slightly warmer along the coast.

For Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland: Light local rain or snow variable winds shifting to southerly; slightly warmer, except in Eastern Pennsylvania variable winds shifting to southerly except in New Jersey and Delaware.

For Western New York: Rain or snow followed by generally fair weather, light variable winds; mostly south; slightly cooler.

For Western Pennsylvania: Rain or snow; variable winds changing to southerly; slightly [illegible]

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Thursday: For New Jersey, Local Rains, Brisk Southerly Winds, and Warmer.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Buy your seats now for "Fadette".

—It is a political Waterloo for Mr. Ulrich.

—Plainfield's city judge will still be a sweet William.

—There will be an entertainment at the Boys' club on Monday.

—THE PRESS congratulates its candidate on his deserving triumph.

—Choice creamery butter is a specialty at the new store of Carty & Stryker.

—The Coddingtons, whether they spell with one *d* or two, seem to be popular among the masses.

—They have shut off that elephant's bay supply that "An Ardent Republican" wrote so feelingly about.

—The monthly business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in its rooms to-morrow afternoon at 3:30.

—No increase in prices for reserved seats for the Mapleson English Opera company to-morrow evening.

—The women of the Children's Home are arranging for a reading by Kate Douglas Wiggin, from her own stories.

—The vote of the people yesterday was as much a rebuke to the abusive and outrageous tactics of the ring organ as to the defeated candidate.

—There will be a meeting of the Reform club, in the parlors of the hall, to-morrow evening. All are cordially invited to be present.

—The would-be judge must find the sentence of the adjudging voters pretty severe. The secret ballot can make itself quite a "holy terror".

—The giving out of the reserved seats to the subscribers of the Choral society's concerts, will begin at the Music Hall box office this evening at 8.

—The Crescents were beaten in their tournament game last evening, by a margin of 4 pins. The team's best bowlers made disgracefully low scores.

—The Republican *Fredonian* of New Brunswick telephones to THE PRESS: "Ho, ho! Sewell's man does n't seem popular in his own ballwick!"

—When judge W. R. Codington goes after game he generally brings down his quarry. Recent events indicate that he knows how to load for b'ar as well as for rabbit.

—The popular talk to be given by William D. Murray at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow evening will be beautifully illustrated. The admission will be free to all men.

—Bernard Gannon, the notorious Summit constable accused of assaulting a female prisoner, was found guilty at Elizabeth this morning, and was held for sentence. It is his fourth offense.

—THE PRESS's election returns to-day are as usual absolutely correct. There is n't an error in any of the figures. They were taken from the official record as fast as the tally-sheets were made out.

—The Red Cross bazar given by the Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First Baptist church closed last night, after a most successful career. Nearly everything was disposed of, and the society will realize a handsome sum.

—The New Brunswick *Times*, in expressing by telephone this morning, through THE PRESS, its congratulations to judge-elect Coddington, complimented THE PRESS on its clean and effective campaign work for the successful candidate, which the *Times* felt to be an important factor in winning votes. It also sharply criticized the continual mud-slinging of the *Courier*. Young Mr. Ford of Plainfield, the bright and hustling city editor of the *Times*, expressed his personal gratification over the result.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Abram B. King, of Chatham street, is very ill with pneumonia.

W. H. Forrister, gardener for Charles J. Fisk, is receiving high compliments on his tasteful display of flowers and plants at the Casino last evening.

The Rev. Cornelius Schenck received nine persons as members of Trinity Reformed church last Sunday morning—five by letter, and four on confession.

One of the brightest Christmas carols published this year, is one entitled "The Joy Bells", the music of which was composed by Louis G. Newman, and the words by M. Lilian Newman, son and daughter of H. Otis Newman of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Demarest have kindly consented to throw open their home, at 14 Craig place, to the Ladies' Christian Work society of Trinity Reformed church for the next "tea", to-morrow evening from 5 to 9, and an enjoyable time is anticipated.

New Officers of the Knights of Honor.

The annual election of officers for Easter lodge, K. of H., of this city, resulted Monday evening as follows:

Dictator—John M. Burnett.
Vice-Dictator—H. E. Rider.
Assistant-Dictator—E. L. Suffern.
Sitting-Dictator—H. M. Demarest.
Reporter—Charles H. VanWinkle.
Financial-Reporter—James Davis.
Treasurer—W. H. Lyon, jr.
Guide—A. Saltzman.
Guard—J. V. Berkaw.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease, Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Ave., opposite railroad station. 5-16-7

ULRICH REPUDIATED.

CODDINGTON EASILY WINS IN THE JUDGESHIP CONTEST.

The Republican Ticket Has a Majority of 575, But Ulrich is 726 Votes Behind It—Republican Councilmen Elected in Every Ward—The Democracy Captures the Only Office It Was After—Brer Rabbit Codington, He Smile.

After a gallant and manly campaign, William Archibald Coddington, the popular young candidate on the Democratic ticket, is elected city judge by the majority of 151, in the face of a Republican ticket majority of 575. John Ulrich was most ruthlessly slaughtered, and meets the most overwhelming and humiliating defeat ever administered by a party to its nominee. The causes that brought about such a result were many and varied, and need no enumeration, being patent to all familiar with and interested in local politics. It was the quiet and determined balloting of his antagonists among his own party that cost Ulrich so dear. Anxious to administer a strong rebuke to their own unpopular candidate, hundreds of Republicans were proud to cast their ballots for so good a candidate, so deserving an opponent, as the bright young lawyer nominated from among the people. The warfare waged by Mr. Coddington was aggressive but clean; his conduct throughout was upright; in spite of the scurrilous, malicious, lying attacks of the ring organ, he maintained a dignity and manliness that could not but heighten the respect and strengthen the esteem in which he was held by the people. Mr. Ulrich lost many a colored vote because of his pompous boast that he had no need of negro support and that the aristocrats would carry him through. The colored voters needed none of the usual coaxing to vote; they went in a steady stream to the polls and voted for their convictions. They believed Mr. Coddington to be the personal friend of every honest voter, and they showed their confidence in him and revenged their grievance against Mr. Ulrich by standing by Mr. Coddington like men. They were one of many powerful elements working against Ulrich. Judge W. R. Codington evidently did not forget the tactics employed in convention by Mr. Ulrich to turn him down, and he must have seen how things were going, even if he had no hand in the work; for his face was wreathed with a happy and confident smile all day. Brer Rabbit, he lay low, but he knowed who war gwine to get dat pot of nice hot brof, an' how de big fat 'possum fall in de cold, cold soup and spile his temper. Brer Rabbit, he hab much fun, laugh up he sleebe. Judge Ulrich was confident up to the closing of the polls and th counting of the votes that he was elected. He claimed a majority of 350 in the city. How he miscalculated is seen in his expectation and boast that the First ward would give him at least 100 over Coddington. The most damaging knifing was by that small army of otherwise stanch Republican voters who quietly cast scratched ballots and are not saying a word as to how they voted. The slaughter was wholesale. Not all who had a finger in the pie can even be surmised by the defeated nominee. He can only be suspicious of everyone, even of those ringsters who were warmest in their professions up to the very last.

The secret ballot is a great institution, and it was the medium of much sly work during the day. The finger of some fine Italian hand can be seen in the noticeable though not material cutting of such a candidate as J. F. MacDonald. There were those who were anxious to see that worthy turned down. School trustee Babcock also came in for a number of scratches from those seeking to reprove doings of his that they did n't like. The lack of opposition to the mayoralty and other city offices centred all interest in the judgeship fight, however, and the only other matter of inquiry as the votes were being counted was how Millington was running for councilman in the Fourth ward. He had no difficulty in election, being supported ardently by his fellow-workingmen.

The vote was much larger than expected, and was within 29 as high as ever cast at a city election. The returns were not completed till 1:30 this morning. The first district of the Fourth ward was the last to conclude counting.

The result in detail is as follows:

The Vote on the Ticket.

	Republican.	Democratic.
First ward	308	196
Second ward	331	128
Third ward	286	102
Fourth ward—		
1st dist.	208	234
2d "	179	137
	1372	797

Republican majority, 575.

The Vote for Mayor.

	Alexander Gilbert, Republican.
First ward	301
Second ward	336
Third ward	284
Fourth ward—	
1st dist.	253
2d "	190
	1264

No opposition.

The Vote for Judge.

	Coddington, Democratic.	Ulrich, Republican.
First ward	289	220
Second ward	217	232
Third ward	175	210
Fourth ward—		
1st dist.	312	186
2d "	161	155
	1154	1003

Coddington's majority, 151.

The Vote for Assessor.

Joseph A. Hubbard, Rep., 304, 331, 282, 288, 180; total, 1,385.
No opposition.

The Vote for Collector.

John Johnson, Rep., 305, 334, 286, 270, 183; total, 1,378.
No opposition.

The Vote for Treasurer.

Alexander Titsworth, Rep., 305, 334, 287, 270, 182; total, 1,378.
No opposition.

The Vote for School Trustee.

	Babcock, Rep.	Rand, Dem.
First ward	309	204
Second ward	328	125
Third ward	281	102
Fourth ward—		
1st dist.	256	235
2d "	178	134
	1344	800

Babcock's majority, 544.

For Commissioners of Appeal.

Wm. C. Ayres, Rep., 302, 328, 284, 260, 179; total, 1,354.
J. Fred MacDonald, Rep., 297, 320, 275, 256, 177; total, 1,325.
Jeremiah Manning, Dem., 200, 129, 103, 232, 137; total, 801.
Joseph P. Taylor, Dem., 201, 132, 103, 231, 136; total, 803.

The Vote for Councilmen.

FIRST WARD.

Wm. G. E. See, Rep. 296
No opposition.

SECOND WARD.

Stephen A. Ginna, Rep. 328
No opposition.

THIRD WARD.

Charles J. Fisk, Rep. 282
No opposition.

FOURTH WARD.

Benjamin F. Millington, Rep. 239 179-418
William H. Brokaw, Dem. 236 129-364
Millington's majority, 54.

For Justices of the Peace.

First Ward—Lewis Peterson, Rep., 293. No opposition.
Second Ward—Joseph E. Mosher, Rep., 337. No opposition.
Third Ward—J. Oakley Nodyne, Rep., 286. No opposition.
Fourth Ward—Theodore J. Gillies, Rep., 262, 180; total, 442; Levi Hetfield, Dem., 226, 133; total, 359.

For Constables.

First Ward—No nomination.
Second Ward—William R. Mattox, Rep., 332. No opposition.
Third Ward—Amos Moffett, Rep., 288. No opposition.
Fourth Ward—Charles E. Post, Rep., 245, 176; total, 421; Edward Wolf, Dem., 240, 130; total, 370.

CHANCES AND LOTTERIES.

Plainfield's Church Fairs, Social Entertainments and Benevolent Association Bazars Full of Pool-Selling.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The following appears in one of the New York dailies of a day or two since:

The Rev. P. T. Pockman, pastor of the First Reformed church of this city, on Sunday morning spoke on the subject of lotteries and gambling at the church and club fairs, now in progress here. He denounced as indefensible the offering or taking by church members of chances on pianos, diamond rings, watches and other articles. All these articles are on chance at the fair of the New Brunswick Boat club, now being held in the assembly room of Masonic Hall. This fair is patronized by the most prominent people in this city, and among those in charge of some of the booths are the wives and daughters of local ministers.

What the reverend doctor says of New Brunswick applies equally well to Plainfield, where the air seems filled with the breath of the lottery in all its forms. The writer has never been in a place, with one exception, where church fairs, social club entertainments, benevolent association bazars, etc., were so closely allied to the lottery. By drawings, raffles and sales of numbers, "chances" are taken on everything; on watches, dolls, bicycles, fancy work, etc.

Now the fact is that the law of the State is against it. In every case in which a person or society sells, or permits to be sold, chances, there is liability to indictment by the grand jury. In the celebrated case which came before chief justice Beasley a few years ago—a Trenton case, where a man had offered tickets for chances at an entertainment—he clearly set forth the law, which, until recently, has been generally observed in New Jersey. The Louisiana lottery and book-selling at races seem to have had their influence of late and have brought back the evils of gambling in many ways in our State.

The United States government has also set its seal upon the evil, by forbidding the mails to carry letters or newspapers which contain announcements of any chance drawings.

It is a matter of wonder, no doubt, to more minds than to Dr. Pockman's, why churches and good citizens continue to violate, or to allow their children to violate, the laws of the land as well as good morals in having anything to do with "chances". H.

Talking a Thousand Miles Apart.

Manager Leggett sat in a chair in front of the public telephone in the Central pharmacy, yesterday evening, and told the clerk in the Auditorium hotel at Chicago that somebody wanted to speak to George H. Babcock. The clerk said Mr. Babcock was out but he'd tell him as soon as he came in. Later in the evening Mr. Babcock called up Plainfield and was talked to. The conversation was as clear as though in the same room.

Fred Newman President.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Hope chapel elected the following officers last night for the term of six months:

President—Fred Newman.
Vice-president—Miss Lucy Westphal.
Corresponding secretary—Miss Lizzie Smith.
Recording secretary—Miss Agnes Stephenson.
Treasurer—John Cose.

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Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 98, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. G. H. Rugg, W. M.
D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

Sons of St. George.—No Surrender Lodge, No. 349—Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month, at Sons of Temperance Hall cor. Front street and Park avenue. Englishmen and sons and grandsons of Englishmen are cordially invited to join. Chas. Burnes, President. Samuel Smith, Secretary. 8 31 y

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 158, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis B. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Easter Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
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MR. CHAPMAN'S DOUBLE OCTET SECURES A CONQUEST.

The Melopoia's Own Singing and the Rest of the First Concert's Programme, as Pleasing as Always.

The first of the season's concerts of the Melopoia society was given last evening under the most favorable auspices. The floral decorations of the hall, consisting principally of chrysanthemums, orchids, foliage plants and evergreens, were due mainly to the efforts of Charles J. Fisk and were tastefully arranged by his gardener. The large window at the back of the stage was covered with evergreens dotted with chrysanthemums some of which found their way to the buttonholes of the gentlemen of the chorus. All this formed a pleasing background to the ladies who were tastefully dressed in white and delicate tints.

Miss Von Stosch was as charming as when she made her appearance here upon a similar occasion last year. She played with refinement and delicacy of touch, at the same time producing a firm tone which showed her the artist that she is and filled all with enthusiasm. The Rondo by Scharwenka, the Romanza Andalouza by Sarasate and Nachez' Gypsy Dance were equally enjoyed.

W. H. Rieger's recitative and aria "Fosca", by Gomez, was beautifully sung and received overwhelming applause. Verdi's "Eri Tu" was also well rendered by Perry Averill, but the selection was not so pleasing.

Plainfield has never before had just such a treat as was given it by the Apollo Sixteen composed of the following leading singers of New York and its vicinity: W. H. Rieger, J. H. McKinley, H. Lincoln Case, J. M. Fulton, W. C. Benjamin, Clayton Ferguson, Ritchie Ling, Chas. H. Holzhaueen, F. C. Hilliard, Carl E. Dufft, Perry Averill, Albert Arveschou, Frederic Gillette, George M. Boynton, Wm. H. Johns and John W. Hamlet. Where could anyone find a quartette of baritones more beautiful than the voices of Messrs. Dufft, Hilliard, Arveschou and Averill. "Twilight" by Dudley Buck and the serenade by Gall were exquisitely rendered. The modulation of all their selections was a study, and showed what Mr. Chapman was capable of producing when he had the material he needed with which to work. When they sang of the brownies "wee and small" and the rocks "huge and tall", one could feel their presence. The "Brownies" and "Pussy in the Well" were both bright selections by Rutenber. Messrs. McKinley and Dufft were the soloists of the Big Sixteen. Both these gentlemen have long been favorites in this city. Karl Appell's "Ye Eyes of Melting Blue", by Messrs. McKinley and Dufft, and "Annie Laurie" by Dufft, were sung with humming accompaniment by the other gentlemen. The latter selection was harmonized by William R. Chapman, and here, by the way, was the only place in which the conductor's name appeared on the programme.

The Melopoia society did excellent work. The attacks were, in the main, good. The members sang well together and stopped together, and there were no bad breaks unless it might be one place in the cantata; but their greatest fault—a lack of modulation—stood out in strong contrast against the work of the Sixteen. One could easily tell from the pointing of the conductor's elbows, when and how he desired shading, but for all the effect it had on the chorus as a whole he might have spared himself. Some, of course, followed him, but were drowned by those who sang lustily, O lustily through the whole performance. Faning's "Miller's Wooing" was very well rendered, but Lohr's "Slumber Song", though accurately given, might as well have been an invitation to the dance.

The sacred cantata, composed by Albert Becker for the celebration of the nineteenth birthday of William I, Emperor of Germany, was the finest production of the chorus. The incidental solos were by Mrs. Alice Stoddard-Hollister, Mrs. John G. Faxon, H. Lincoln Case and F. C. Hilliard. It was indeed a treat to hear Mrs. Faxon's voice once more. The people haruly appreciated till her withdrawal from the city how much its musical world needed her. The closing movement of the cantata is Martin Luther's "Ein Feste Burg ist Unser Gott" in unison, and it was well sustained. This and the "Miller's Wooing" were sung with accompaniment by Mr. Levy. The other selections were *a capello* songs.

Dvorak's "Woodland Angelus" is a weird composition somewhat monotonous like a good deal of his music, too difficult to be properly sung by an ordinary chorus, and not appreciable by an ordinary audience.

The other selections were "June" songs, "Ring and Rose" by the Apollo Sixteen, and Gall's "Maiden with the Lips so Rosy", Leslie's "Rose of the Garden" and Rheinberger's "A Wreath of Roses is our Love", by the Melopoia society.

A POPULAR SINGER.

The Remarkable Career of Laura Schirmer-Mapleson Who is to Appear at Music Hall, To-Morrow Evening.

THE PRESS gives herewith a short biographical sketch of Laura Schirmer-Mapleson, the celebrated American prima donna, who has just arrived in this country from Europe, and is to appear at Music Hall, to-morrow evening, in "Fadette". Laura Schirmer, says *Frank Leslie's Weekly*, has the face of a Madonna and is in herself a picture of rare loveliness. It is, however, as a lyric artist that she has achieved the wide distinction which she now enjoys. Born in New York, she made her first public appearance in Boston, when as a child of seven she was already a phenomenon, being at once a pianist and good vocalist. On the advice of Hans Von Bulow her parents took her to Europe, where she studied under eminent professors at Leipsic, Paris and Vienna. Laura Schirmer made her first appearance in grand opera in New York under the direction of the late Max Strakosch. Her success was so pronounced that she determined to abandon piano playing and devote herself entirely to singing.

Returning to Europe, the young American prima donna made a tour of Italy, Germany, Turkey and Russia, and won for herself a very distinguished position under the stage name of Marguerita Lauri. In 1890 she appeared in Paris in concerts, which resulted in an engagement at the Grand Opera. Before her debut she met Col. Henry Mapleson and won him as her husband, as well as an engagement on this side of the water. Since then her triumphs have been continuous. Apart from her vocal gifts Laura Schirmer is an expert pianist, plays Chopin well, accompanies excellently, and has composed some very fine songs, in German, Italian and English. Her musical talents have lately taken another direction. She has just composed a piece for orchestra, which will shortly be performed both in Paris and St. Petersburg, and she has commissions for other similar compositions. Laura Schirmer and her husband were some time since entertained by President and Mrs. Harrison at the White House.

But the best testimony is that Laura Schirmer has not been spoiled by her triumphs—she remains the same bright American girl, envying no one, and always ready to sing for charity or help a sister artist.

At the New York Actors' Fund Fair, which netted the magnificent sum of $161,000, Laura Schirmer-Mapleson received the prize of $500 awarded to the most popular prima donna, but declined to accept it, waiving her claim in favor of Mr. Palmer, as the most popular manager in New York.

Laura Schirmer and the Mapleson Opera company arrived recently from Europe, and opened their season at the Tremont theater, Boston, on Oct. 17, followed by a long stay at the Fifth Avenue theater, New York. The opera performed was "Fadette", which has had one of the greatest successes ever known in Europe, where it has already been performed over one thousand times. As *Fadette* Laura Schirmer-Mapleson will appear in this city, to-morrow evening, to the greatest possible advantage, both as a singer and an actress. Her costumes are superb. The following strong combination of well-known artists will support her: Phillips-Tomes, the leading tenor of the famous Carl Rosa Opera company; Arthur Seaton, principal baritone of the Royal Opera company; Irene Jerome, the new prima donna who recently made such a success, and other artists of ability, will complete this strong bill. The prominent comedian role will be played by Charles H. Drew, who has a great part. The music of "Fadette" is very taking and melodious, and the plot is full of bright, sparkling comedy, as well as striking and interesting situations. The production in Plainfield of "Fadette" by the Mapleson Opera company promises to be a memorable event, and a great pleasure may be safely anticipated by all lovers of music.

The Roller-Skating Season Under Way.

The Crescent rink was opened last night under the auspices of the National Skate and Bicycle syndicate, with a big crowd who apparently enjoyed themselves with an old-time skate on the "rollers". The Plainfield band rendered some very fine selections, which were applauded in several instances, one piece being repeated. They will play two new pieces for the first time in this city next Saturday night.

The "syndicate management" is famous for the fine music furnished at its skating and bicycle rinks, and also in always keeping its establishments warm and comfortable. By perusing the advertisement in another column it will be seen that by purchasing admission tickets and skate checks in packages a large reduction can be obtained on the regular rink prices. The syndicate manages its business so as to keep objectionable persons from intruding upon its patrons, and has arranged everything with a system even to its scale of prices. Skating parties and clubs will be the popular thing this winter, when a party of gentleman and ladies can attend the rink in a body, and if desired procure a discount on the regular prices by purchasing package tickets.

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THE HEALTH BOARD RESENTFUL.

Denies the Charges of the News, and Says There's No Danger of Epidemic.

George W. Rockfellow, representing the Plainfield board of health, requested THE PRESS this morning to refute the continued misrepresentations of the *News* concerning the diphtheria cases in town: He said: "Contrary to the claim of the *News*, the board of health is fully able to cope with the disease, and the citizens of Plainfield need not feel any alarm of its spreading if the doctors all do their duty as required by law and report all cases to the health board so that proper precautions may be taken to notify the schools and prevent all children exposed to contagion from attending."

He denies the allegation of the *News* that the board of health had been sought after but could not be found, and stated that he was always accessible at his store and had not been looked for.

In denial of various other specified falsities of the *News*, he said that there were now only two cases of the malignant disease in town. All other patients were convalescent. Mrs. Dowd had not been in the house of Mrs. Caulfield at all. The first child of the Kane family had not had diphtheria at all, but died from injury to the head in falling from a wagon. The second Kane child had been recovering from diphtheria, the house had been fumigated, and quarantine raised when relapse and death were caused by exposure to the cold draught of a window. Mamie King did die of diphtheria, but the house was by no means opposite the Dowds. The King house was quarantined. Katie Sherman had died of inflammation of the brain, and there was no death from diphtheria in the Sherman family. John Casey's boy was recovering. The case of diphtheria at Regan's on Third street had not been reported by Dr. Boone until this morning, though it had been known to the physician some time. As soon as the case was reported, the board quarantined the house. All infected quarters had been effectively fumigated and rigidly quarantined. There was no occasion to fear an epidemic.

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The Women's Friendly society of Evona, whose advertisement of a fair will be found in another column, is a very strong society that was started last July. The members have been working for the building fund of a school-house and lecture hall in Evona, there being no building of that kind there, and the want of it is greatly felt. The society has already raised quite a handsome sum towards the fund. It is to be hoped that this bazar will prove a great success.

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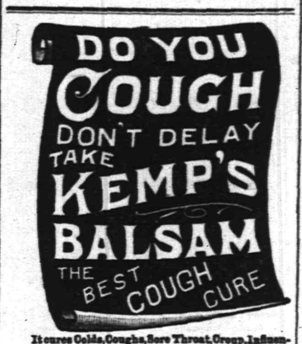

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ELLA NEWTON'S DEATH

No Clue Yet Found to the Mount Vernon Mystery.

WAS IT MURDER OR SUICIDE

The Chief of Police Certain that Some Man Tied the Anchor to the Girl's Waist, and Says He is on the Trail of the Individual.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Did Ella Newton tie a stone to her waist and drown herself in East Chester creek, near Mount Vernon? Or was she inveigled to the lonely spot and thrown into the water to drown? If the latter, who did it? These are the questions that have excited Mount Vernon folk from the time the girl's body, recovered from the shoal water at Invermere, the inn by the creek was identified by her stepfather from New York.

The fact that she had run away from an unhappy home points to the self-destruction theory. But the chief of police feels certain that some man tied the anchor to her waist and threw her into the water. He thinks that he knows the man.

Death was caused by drowning alone and the fact that the girl was inviolate removes the most common cause for murder from the case.

The girl's movements have been traced only up to within four hours of her death. She left New York city, starting from the Grand Central depot, Monday morning, reaching Mount Vernon at about 10:30. She went to James Kearn's tailor shop where she had been employed more than a year, and applied for a situation as nurse. Kearn and his wife referred her to a Mrs. Meyer's intelligence office. Mrs. Meyer sent her to Mrs. George Bard who said she would want a nurse within a few days, and asked the girl to leave her address.

Ella replied that she had no address in Mount Vernon. Before going to Mrs. Bard's house Ella had called for the second time upon the Kearns to ask them the way to the address Mrs. Meyer had given her. She never returned. She made a second visit to Mrs. Meyer, to whom she reported failure to obtain the situation.

That was the last seen of her alive. Mrs. Meyer and her son as well as Mrs. Bard and the Kearns are positive that on all of her visits to them Ella was alone.

While Ella was wandering to and fro between Mrs. Bard's house, the tailor shop and the employment agency, another girl was diligently seeking her for the purpose of offering her a place as nurse to the children of Mr. and Mrs. Anlach. She followed Ella to all these places, missing her by a few minutes at each place.

That Ella Newton did not go out to East Chester on the one horse, single track railroad is almost certain. Jake Feenan, the driver and conductor of the only car that runs from Sixth street to Ivermere on the Sound, Weber & Clough's hotel, does not remember having seen her, and his passengers are few enough for him to remember them all.

The environments of the place where the body was found preclude the possibility that it might have floated thither with the tide from up or down the stream. If she committed suicide Ella must have waded out thirty paces with 20 pounds weight of stone tied about her waist and deliberately drowned herself in water by no means so high as her head. Sailor Jack and the other boatmen living along the creek agree that all the knots in the rope were tied by a man long used to boats or ships. The stones had undoubtedly been used as anchors for a rowboat.

ALL HANDS LOST.

The Norwegian Bark Drinningen Sinks With Her Entire Crew.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 7.—A heavy gale prevails and a tremendous sea is running at the mouth of the Mersey. Yesterday the Norwegian bark Drinningen, ran on Burbo Bank. She had no pilot. The sea made a clean breach over her, sometimes completely hiding her.

Fifteen minutes after she struck her mainmast and mizzentopmast went over. Shortly after the vessel fell over on her side and was submerged. Lifeboats put out, but the bark went down before they reached her. Everybody was lost.

When the lifeboats reached the scene not a living person could be found.

Nearly Asphyxiated by Coal Gas.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Dec. 7.—Sarah Markthater and three daughters were found asphyxiated in their home yesterday. The father left home early, and turned the stove damper. The escaping gas entered the bedroom where the family were asleep. Neighbors found all four unconscious in their beds. They were resuscitated after several hours work.

U. S. Court of Appeals.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The United States Court of Appeals is sitting in the Federal building. Judge Wallace presides and Judges Shipman and Lacomb are on the bench. The court will hear argument in the case of the Edison Electric Light company vs. the Sawyer-Mann Electric Light company.

Despatchers' Wages Raised.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 7.—The train despatchers on the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia railroad will be paid an increase of $10 per month, beginning Nov. 1. The telegraph operators, who made application first for an increase, were refused.

Agreement of Silversmiths.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The leading silversmiths of this country have entered into an agreement with each other to protect themselves by maintaining prices for silverware and also to protect the general public by making only sterling silver goods.

Defaulter Nelson's Trial.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 7.—The trial of Nelson B. Evans, the ex-director of the defunct Spring Garden Bank, for misappropriating the funds of the institution, was resumed in the United States District Court. After numerous witnesses had testified, Lawyer Carson opened for the defense.

Charged With Embezzlement.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 7.—Charles F. Franklin, aged 28, of Orange, is under arrest on complaint of L. D. Gilmour, a lawyer here, who charges Franklin with embezzlement amounting to $200. The prisoner was held for examination, and later was released on bail.

Kossuth Cannot Survive Much Longer.

VIENNA, Dec. 7.—A letter just received from Pesth by Herr Holfy, a friend of Kossuth, from Kossuth's son, fully confirms the report of the grave illness of the Hungarian patriot, and adds that the worst is expected.

Democratic Candidate Received All Votes.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 7.—The municipal election occurred yesterday. The Democratic ticket, headed by David J. Fox for mayor, received every vote cast. There was no opposition ticket. The total vote was only 1,579.

La Bretagne Released.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The steamer La Bretagne (French), from Havre, which arrived last Sunday, and was detained off Liberty Island by the United States au-

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He Had No Chance.

Miss Chinner—I don't think Mr. Dolley is much of a conversationalist. He was with me an hour last evening, and I don't believe he spoke three sentences.

Miss Flyer—Yes, he told me he hadn't a chance to get in a word edgewise.—Truth.

HIS DESIRE.

Warden (kindly)—As day after tomorrow is your birthday, I intend to allow you some little innocent recreation as a reward for your faithful observation of the rules. What would you prefer?

Convict (modestly)—I should like to participate in a foot race, if you please.—Puck.

Found a Use for Baby.

Little Dot—Ma, may I take the baby out in my doll's carriage?

Mamma—Why, what for?

Little Dot—Susie Smif has a new doll 'at shuts its eyes an' cries: "Wah, wah." I'm doin' to betend the baby is a doll and let her hear him cry. Then I dess she'll stop puttin' on airs.—Boston Globe.

He Knew What War Was.

"Pop," said a Philadelphia lad, whose father is an officer in the militia, "did you ever see a battle?"

"No, my son."

"But didn't you ever see any real fighting?"

"Yes, my son; some years ago I umpired a game of baseball."—Texas Siftings.

The New Departure.

Her Father—I believe you wish to speak to me about marrying my daughter?

Her Adorer—Yes—what are your habits, sir? And I also wished to inquire concerning the amount of money you save each year, and to ask if you think you can make me happy.—Life.

Diamond Cut Diamond.

Dentist (impatiently)—Well, if you can't calm yourself I can't fill your tooth, for I'm just about as nervous as I can be.

Patient—What's the matter?

Dentist—Why, I've got to have a tooth filled, myself, this afternoon!—Puck.

Very Disagreeable.

Summer Belle—There go two of the most disagreeable men I've met this season.

Friend—Are they? Why?

Summer Belle—One of them stares me out of countenance, and the other won't look at me at all.—N. Y. Weekly.

Mitigated Freedom.

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Little Boy—Yes, until he is married. That's what pa says.—Texas Siftings.

Because They Love Danger.

He—That was a clever pass.

She—Honesty is not the best policy on the football field.

He—No; an accident policy is better.—Once a Week.

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If I were a worm and had to turn,
As worms will do, I hear,
It seems to me that I'd turn and flee
Ere the early bird came near.
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Too Fly.

Maud—There are no flies on Minerva Backbay.

Mab—Certainly not. Those insects are not fond of having their toes frost-bitten.—Jury.

Superiority.

Mamma—Why do you put on such airs over that little girl?

Wee Woman—Her mother hasn't got bought teeth like you has.—Good News.

The Popular Salutation.

Huggins—Why did you say "hello" to that young lady who passed?

Kissam—She's a telephone girl.—Judge.

Giving His Reasons.

A larger boy was thumping a smaller when a lady interposed.

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For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1 05, 6 07, 7 59 9 05, A. M., and 9 39 P. M. On Sunday at 1 05, 6 59, 9 05 A. M., 9 39 P. M.

For Philadelphia—1 05, 6 07, 7 55, 9 05, 9 38, 10 05, 11 37 A.M.; 12 05, 1 39, 4 04, 5 17, 6 07, 7 40, 8 43, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 05, 6 59, 9 05, 9 38, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40 7 47 and 9 39 P. M.

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1.39 P. M. Through day coach, week-days. For Cape May Sea Isle City and Ocean City, 4.39 P. M., week-days.

For Trenton—1 05, 6 07, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 38, 11 37 A. M.; 12 05, 1 39, 3 45, 4 04, 5 17, 6 07, 6 43, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 05, 6 59, 9 05, 9 38, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 7 47 and 9 39 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M.; 2 04 and 5 17 P. M.

For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P. M.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 04 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden, via Trenton—7 59, 11 37 A. M. 1 39, 2 04, 7 49 P. M. Sundays at 10 41 A. M. and 7 47 P. M.

A full line of tickets are on sale, and sleeping car accommodations can be secured at the ticket office at Elizabeth.

For further information, see time tables to be had at the ticket offices.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 2 27, 6 23, 6 05, 6 39, 6 59, 7 23, 7 30, 7 53, 8 15, 8 27, 9 21, 9 57, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, a. m., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 03, 2 20, 3 13, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 02, 9 02, 9 23, 10 12, 11 28, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 8 52, 11 16, 11 43 A. M., 12 58, 1 43, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 8 52, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 50, 10 05, 11 36 A.M., 1 05, 1 35, 3 50, 5 05, 6 05, 7 53, 8 05, 8 50, 9 20, 7 15, 7 35, 9 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 50, 8 45, 9 50, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 6 08, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m. 12 20, 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 03, 5 20, 6 34, 6 04, 6 20, 6 38, 7 12, 8 30, 9 20, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 28, 9 54, 11 18 A. M., 2 05, 3 56, 5 14, 10 15, M. 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 28, 7 35, 7 48, 8 20, 9 05, 9 47, 11 26 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 2 05, 3 05, 4 50, 5 32, 6 30, 8 41, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 38, 11 15 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 09, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 28 A. M. 2 05, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 00, 8 35, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, 12 27, 6 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge branch.

8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge branch.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 05 p. m., way for High Bridge.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

8 20 P. M. for Flemington.

8 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays to Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a. m. 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 53, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 8 38, 11 09 a. m.; 1 02, 4 01, 5 57, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 53, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 20, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 1 59*, 3 04, 5 24*, 6 20*, 9 30, *9 37 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—2 48, 11 15 a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 20, 9 43, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 59, 3 04, 5 24, 6 20, 9 37 p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday—2 24, 11 15, a. m., 2 08, 5 14, 6 55 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 3 16, 4 12, 5 24* (6 39* Baltimore only) p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48 a. m., 2 16, 4 12, 5 14* (6 55 Baltimore only) p. m., 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 3 30, 9 30, 11 06, a. m., 1 30, 3 15*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 3 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 20, 9 20, 11 15, a. m. 9 13*, 6 30, 8 13, 11 45, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 3 15*, 6 20, 8 13*, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00, 1 55, 7 00, 9 02, 10 13, 11 39, a. m. 2 50, 4 08*, 4 40, 5 54, 6 59, 8 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 46 a. m. 4 08*, 6 13, 7 07, 9 00* a. m.

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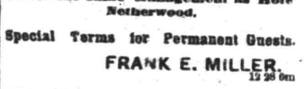

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The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.
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Carty & Stryker
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Estimates furnished. Work done promply in a first-class manner.
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YOUNG INDIANS ILL USED

Gross Mismanagement at the Buffalo Orphan School.

AN AMERICAN DOTHEBOYS HALL.

Warm Water and Milk for Coffee—Boys Found Eating Bones That Had Been Given to Supt. Van Valkenburg's Dog—Inmates Brutally Flogged.

BUFFALO, Dec. 8.—The revelations which are being brought out at the investigation of the charges against Superintendent Van Valkenburg, of the Thomas Home for Poor and Orphan Indian Children, grow more startling each day.

Mrs. Hall was recalled last night and questioned by Director Craig as to the cause of her removal.

She said it was the result of a wordy altercation with Mrs. Van Valkenburg. She further showed a strange state of affairs in regard to the bathing at the institution.

Sunday morning was devoted to the cleansing, and the witness said that the time allowed was so short that at least a dozen boys would have to use the same water.

Witness said that while she was there the board of trustees did not even once inspect the institution in a body.

William Hall, her husband, was next called. He has been a laborer on the farm of the institution. An American "Dotheboys Hall" was described. Mr. Hall said for breakfast, they had milk and a little bread and what they called coffee, which was a mixture of warm water and milk, with precious little milk. For dinner they had soup and beans, with a little bread. For supper, a slice of bread and an onion, or bread and molasses.

One day he caught the boys eating the bones which had been given to Van Valkenburg's dog. About every time he went to the swill pail he found some boys eating from it. They said it was good and that they had not had enough to eat.

Mr. Hall took up the treatment of the boys and told how Van Valkenburg had asked him to go to the attic, one day, where he had three boys incarcerated; that he held a light while Van Valkenburg struck one of the boys under the elbow with a broomstick, threw another boy violently to the ground and finally left them in the attic for two weeks on a half slice of bread a day and a little water drawn from a tank not ordinarily used for domestic purposes.

The case is being continued to-day.

IN CONGRESS.

Indian Debate in the Senate—Proceedings of the House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Senator Vest precipitated an Indian debate in the Senate yesterday by calling up his joint resolution for the appointment of a committee to negotiate with the 58,000 Indians of the five civilized tribes for the surrender to the United States of the 45,000,000 acres of land occupied by them after retaining ing enough for homes in severalty for themselves and their belongings.

Mr. Platt, of Connecticut, who has been looking into this question during the summer as one of a sub-committee, promised to continue the debate at an early day.

Mr. Call (Dem. Fla.) introduced a resolution directing the committee on judiciary to inquire into the facts as to the conviction of James F. Simmons, in the circuit court of the Southern district of New York, under an indictment for wrecking the Sixth National Bank, and what legislation, if any, is necessary to prevent the punishment of innocent persons; and that said committtee be directed to have the record in said case printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Platt (Rep., Conn.) at first objected to the consideration of this resolution, but subsequently Mr. Hoar (Rep. Mass.) obtained unanimous consent to have it referred to the committe on judiciary.

The House settled down to routine business.

A bill terminating the reduction in the Engineer Corps of the Navy started a small filibustering movement.

The bill was passed by a yea and nay vote, but a motion to reconsider was pending when the hour expired.

Beginning to Mark the Boundary.

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 8.—The first of the demarcation stones which will indicate the Pennsylvania-Delaware boundary line, as finally settled by the commissions appointed by the respective Governors, was placed in position yesterday in a woods three miles west of Newark, Del.

Panama Canal Bribery.

PARIS, Dec. 8.—Deputy Leon Berie says that in 1886 a lobbyist offered him 25,000 francs for a vote favorable to the Panama Canal Company. Similar offers, he says, were made to most of his colleagues.

Murder in the Second Degree.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 8.—The jury in the Hagner case came in at 11:20 with a verdict of murder in the second degree. The maximum penalty is State prison for 20 years. The minimum is 5 years.

Destructive Cyclone in Texas.

HOUSTON, TEX., Dec. 8.—Meagre reports of a destructive cyclone have been received from Nacogdoches county. So far as heard from only one life has been lost.

Archduke Franz Ill.

VIENNA, Dec. 8.—The Archduke Franz, heir to the Austrian throne, is very ill. His proposed journey around the world will be postponed.

Series of Skating Races.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., Dec. 8.—An arrangement has been made for a series of races between Breen and Hagen for the world's skating championship.

The Graves Case.

DENVER, Dec. 8.—The Graves case is now being considered by the Supreme Court, and a decision is expected in a few weeks.

Jim Hall Arrives in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Jim Hall, the pugilist, arrived from England on the steamer Majestic.

Mrs. Maybrick Said to Be Dying.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The report is again current that Mrs. Maybrick is dying in prison.

Leprosy in Detroit.

DETROIT, Dec. 8.—A genuine case of malignant leprosy has been found in this city.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.
Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

YALE'S FRESH FRESHMEN.

Twelve at Least to be Expelled—Some May be Tried for Riot.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The part the Yale faculty is playing in relation to the freshman disturbance of Saturday night was disclosed last night, when one of the members admitted that a tutor, who had obtained an inkling of the contemplated celebration, had attended the New Haven Opera house, where the play was broken up, and had taken notes on the actions of all Yale men who were unduly boisterous.

Besides the information secured by him, the faculty has conferred with the local police officials in relation to the matter and obtained convincing proof, implicating several more members of the freshman class.

In all, the faculty has sufficient proof to expel 12 students at present, and will not cease their investigation until it has been made as complete as possible. In the meantime, the local municipal authorities will recommence the prosecution of the freshmen on the charge of riot.

City Attorney Dew said this morning that several students, including those whose cases were nolled yesterday, would be rearraigned at once on a charge of rioting.

HE SUBSTITUTED STAMPS.

An Ex-Postmaster Sentenced for a Peculiar Crime.

TRENTON, Dec. 8.—Frank P. Magee, ex-postmaster of Holmdel, Monmouth county, has been sentenced by Judge Green in the Federal Court to the Essex county penitentiary for one year.

Magee's crime was rather a peculiar one, and the Government is the only loser. His method of operation was to open letters and extract the money and substitute postage stamps. The letters were then closed and delivered.

No money was stolen, as sufficient numbers of stamps were always enclosed in the letters.

The purpose of Magee was to increase the percentage coming to him by the sale of stamps, and, as the letters opened were generally those of friends, he thought himself safe. But one of his friends made complaint.

He pleaded guilty, and the judge imposed the lowest sentence allowed by law.

WRECK ON THE CENTRAL VERMONT.

Two Coaches Plunge Down an Embankment—Seven Slightly Hurt.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Dec. 8.—Early yesterday the northbound express train from New York met with an accident at Ferrysburgh which resulted in injuries to seven persons, but was fortunately unattended by fatal effect.

A broken wheel under a sleeping car caused the derailment of that car and a passenger coach forward of it, the two going down a 15-foot embankment.

The passenger coach was tipped completely over. The connection with the car in the rear of the sleeper was broken, keeping the remainder of the train from leaving the rails.

The injured suffered entirely from bruises, which are not serious, and no bones were broken.

THE STERLING MINE FIRE.

Another Valuable Coal Vein Consumed—Efforts to Flood the Colliery.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Dec. 8.—The fire in the Sterling mine did considerable damage yesterday. It extended to another valuable vein of coal and consumed much of it before checked.

A large trough has been built to Bear Valley creek, and water is now being pumped from there to flood the inside workings.

It is believed that the mines can be flooded this week, although it will require six months to put the place in order so that operations can be resumed.

LEYLAND STEAMSHIP LINE SOLD.

Bought by an English Syndicate—Price $4,000,000.

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—All reports to the contrary, the Leyland Line of trans-Atlantic steamers is to be disposed of.

The purchaser is an English syndicate and the price paid is said, on good authority, to be $4,000,000.

The managers will be Christopher Furness and others, who are now connected with the Furness Line of London steamers.

Reingold Released from Prison.

SING SING, N. Y., Dec. 8.—Frank Reingold, a convict in Sing Sing prison, was pardoned yesterday by Gov. Flower, and liberated from prison last night. Reingold was a member of the Cloakmakers and operators Union No. 1, of New York. He was accused and convicted of extortion during a strike of his union, and was sent to prison on May 18, 1891.

Domestic Sewing Machine Company Sued.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 8.—Wyckoff, Seamens & Benedict, the manufacturers of the Remington typewriter, and the Union Writing company, have sued the Domestic Sewing Machine company in the United States Court for infringement of their patents in bringing out a new machine called the Williams.

The McKinder Brothers Convicted.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 8.—Frank and Albert McKinder, the two brothers who held up paymaster Fox of the Solvay Process company on a lonely country road last May and robbed him of about $2,500, were convicted in the Court of Sessions last evening.

Margaret Mather No Better.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 8.—Margaret Mather, the actress, who is at the Millard Hotel in this city, is reported no better this morning. The Council Bluffs and Des Moines engagements have been cancelled and the company considers itself disbanded. Mr. Pabst is alarmed at the condition of his bride.

UNCLE SAM'S FINANCES.

Annual Report of Secretary of the Treasury Foster.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Secretary Foster of the Treasury Department, in his annual report as to the financial operations of the Government, estimates the revenues for the present fiscal year ending June 30, 1893, as follows:

Customs	$198,000,000.00
Internal revenue	165,000,000.00
Miscellaneous sources	20,000,000.00
Postal service	80,336,350.44
Total estimated revenues,	$463,336,350.44

The expenditures for the same period are estimated as follows:

The civil establishment	$108,000,000.00
The military establishment	49,000,000.00
The naval establishment	31,000,000.00
The Indian service	9,000,000.00
Pensions	158,000,000.00
Interest on the public debt	26,000,000.00
Postal service	80,336,350.44
Total estimated expenditures	$461,336,350.44

Leaving an estimated surplus for the year of $2,000,000.

The following is submitted as the probable condition of the Treasury at the close of the present fiscal year, June 30, 1893:

Cash in the Treasury July 1, 1892, including gold reserve $126,692,377,03; surplus for the year, as above, $2,000,000; deposits during the year for redemption of national bank notes, $2,500,000. Total amount available, $131,192,377,03. Less redemption of national bank notes during the year, $9,500,000.

Redemption of bonds, interest notes, and fractional currency during the year, $700,000. Total, $10,200,000.

Cash balance available June 30, 1893, $120,992,377.03.

It is estimated that the revenues of the Government for the fiscal year 1894 will be on the basis named below:

Customs	$210,000,000.00
Internal revenue	175,000,000.00
Miscellaneous sources	20,000,000.00
Postal service	85,121,365.38
Total estimated revenues	*490,121,365.38*

The total estimates of appropriations required for the same period, as submitted by the several executive departments and offices, exclusive of sinking fund, is $457,261,335.33, leaving an estimated surplus of $32,860,030.05.

No account is made in the foregoing of the requirements of the sinking fund for 1894, amounting to $48,600,000 beyond the redemption of past-due bonds, fractional currency, and national bank notes estimated at $5,000,000.

The estimated receipts are based upon conditions prevailing prior to the late election.

WILL STRIKE TO-DAY.

Operators of the Rock Island Railroad Decide to Go Out.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The telegraph operators employed on the Rock Island road will be called out this afternoon at every office from Chicago to the remotest points of the company's line.

This decision was reached at a meeting of a committee representing the men held at the Palmer House last night and the decision was ratified by Grand Chief D. G. Ramsey, who was summoned to town in view of the critical stage which affairs had assumed.

The number of operators employed on the road is 675; every one of them belongs to the O. R. T., and every one of them will do the bidding of the committee. It is possible too, that a conflict may arise between the operators and their employers on other lines, thought the O. R. T. declares its intention to prevent any such occurrence.

The members of the committee positively assert that they have done all in their power to avoid the strike on the Rock Island and have been compelled to call it because of the action of the official of the company. So far as the company is concerned, its officials declare that they can get a car load of operators,

Repudiates the Story.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Archbishop Corrigan repudiates the published interview in which he is quoted as saying that Dr. McGlynn is to be restored to the position of a priest in good standing in the Roman Catholic Church. He declares that he said nothing whatever about Dr. McGlynn, further than to express the hope that Dr. McGlynn would be reconciled to the Church.

Says the Story is a "Fake."

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 8.—Chief of Police Gaster says that there is absolutely nothing in the story of William C. Lavers, who confessed in Denver to participation in the killing of Chief Hennessy by the Mafia. He thinks that the man is mentally unbalanced, or that the story is a "fake." He says there was no such man implicated in the case.

Death of Wilson G. Hunt.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Wilson G. Hunt, the wealthy capitalist, is dead at the Clarendon Hotel, this city. The causes of death were cerebral apoplexy and senile debility, following a long illness. He was 80 years old and had the reputation of being a director in more financial institutions than any other man in the country.

Depew's Answer Not Satisfactory.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—It is reported that President Depew's answer to the Board of Adjustment of the Locomotive Engineers of the Vanderbilt lines was not satisfactory and that demands will now be submitted.

Big Steamer Sunk.

BANGOR, Me., Dec. 8. — The steamer William Parker, next to the largest on Moosehead Lake, sank at her wharf during the night, her seams having been opened by the formation of ice about her.

$2,000 Damages for Injuries.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Dec. 8.—Benjamin Apgar has been awarded a verdict of $2,000 in his suit for damages against the village of Mareborough for injuries received by falling into a sewer.

Not a Practical Success.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—John P. King, representing the financial backers of the rain making experiments, says scientifically the invention is a success, but practically it is a failure.

Cleveland to Take Boxing Lessons.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—It is reported that William Muldoon, the wrestler, has been engaged to give Grover Cleveland boxing lessons, with the object of reducing his weight.

Corbett Under Bail in Boston.

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—Pugilist James Corbett has furnished bail in Joe Lannon's suit against him for $5,000 for breach of contract.

PARKHURST HITS BACK

Scathing Reply to Superintendent Byrnes' Arraignment.

FIGHT WATCHED WITH INTEREST

The Issue Is Joined, Says the Presbyterian Divine—He Makes a General Denial of Byrnes' Charges, Calling Them an Exhibition of "Colossal Impudence."

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The fight between Supt. Byrnes and Dr. Parkhurst is being bitterly continued. The president of the Society for the Prevention of Crime gives out a long statement in which the Police Department and its chief executive are more severely arraigned than before. This is in reply to Supt. Byrnes' charge that a divorce suit was the animus of the minister's bitterness and of the activity of his society.

The war between these two men naturally arouses intense interest among all classes of people in New York. It is the topic most discussed on the streets and about the hotels, to the exclusion even of Jay Gould's will. Those who know the two men personally confidently say that the fight will be to a finish.

In his statement Dr. Parkhurst characterizes the superintendent's statement as "an attempt on his part to extricate himself from an awkward position by trying to put me in another awkward position of a similar character. He is trying to blacken me as a means of whitewashing himself and his department."

He adds: "Now, for the sake of argument I am going for the instant to plead guilty to his entire indictment. I am going to assume that my motives have been villainous from the start. How does that help Mr. Byrnes? Does that fact close up any of the gambling houses that he is allowing to run? Does it suppress any of the vile dens of infamy in this city, which exist because Mr. Byrnes and his department are viciously neglectful of their duty?"

Dr. Parkhurst takes occasion to deny that the divorce case mentioned by Byrnes has anything to do with the attack on the Police Department. He says that he never knew that a policeman was mixed up in it, anyway. In reply to the allegation of insincerity, he says:

"Mr. Byrnes knows that I am sincere, and if he stands in any attitude of enmity toward me that is the reason of it."

He says of Byrnes' statement, that he "continues to make accusations without evidence," and that "the colossal impudence of that statement is well nigh paralyzing."

Then he addresses Mr. Byrnes directly, calling his attention to Section 282 of the Consolidation Act, and claiming that for the last ten months he and his society have been "piling up before the community" the proof of the persistent neglect of the department to discharge its duties.

Superintendent Byrnes read the reply this morning, but stated that he had nothing to say at present.

MOUNT VERNON'S MYSTERY.

Two Men Arrested Charged With the Death of Ella Newton.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Two colored men giving their names as Joseph Tyser and Walter Langdon, were arrested at New Rochelle late last night by direction of Coroner Drew, charged with being implicated in the death of Miss Ella Newton, the 19-year-old girl whose body, weighted with stones, was found in East Chester creek, near Mount Vernon, Monday afternoon.

The men were taken to jail at Mount Vernon.

Coroner Drew is positive that he has evidence enough to convict the men and says that the evidence which will be brought out at the inquest, will more than warrant their detention without bail to await the action of the grand jury.

Dailey Convicted of Assault.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Policeman Charles F. Dailey has been declared guilty of assault in the third degree, on the charge of having assaulted Mrs. Hannan, whose daughter Dailey was recently charged with seducing. The jury also recommended him to the extreme mercy of the Court. He will lose his position as policeman.

Refitting a Smuggling Schooner.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Dec. 8.—Chas. Johnson, the late master of the British smuggling schooner Halcyon, which was seized and sold a few days ago, says that the vessel is being elaborately refitted for smuggling ventures next season. He said the owners of the vessel realized $60,000 profit out of one voyage last August.

Eagle Hill Colliery All Right.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 8.—The Eagle Hill colliery, which was threatened with a disastrous fire, is working to-day. Batteries were built at the foot of the way in which the fire started, thus cutting it off from the mine proper. Water and culm were then turned in and the flames extinguished.

To be Removed to Homestead.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 8.—A gentleman engaged in a responsible position at the steel works at Homestead says that the Carnegie company will remove its Twenty-ninth and Thirty-third street mills from Pittsburg to Homestead not later than the first of the new year.

Killed by a Boiler Explosion.

RAPID CITY, S. D., Dec. 8.—The boiler in S. C. Wilcox Son's saw mill at Black Hawk exploded yesterday. John Richardson, the engineer, was blown to fragments, and Hart and Steward, workmen, were fatally injured by flying lumber.

Resigns His Fair Commission.

PARIS, Dec. 8.—Deputy Proust has resigned his office as Director-General of the French department in the Chicago World's Fair on the ground that it is impossible to retain his official position while his honesty and good faith are impugned.

Bishop Leighton's Sight in Danger.

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 8.—Right-Rev. Leighton, Episcopal Bishop of Delaware, may lose the sight of one eye on account of a cold.

Composer Von Suppe Dying.

VIENNA, Dec. 8.—Francis Von Suppe, the composer, is very ill. His physicians think that he cannot last 24 hours.

Actor Leslie Dead.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Fred Leslie, the well-known burlesque actor is dead.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The City National bank will elect directors Jan. 10.

—The *Courier* continues its personal attacks on judge Coddington.

—Rogers completed his bicycle census of Front street yesterday. The number of wheels reported is 112, and riders 163.

—The sale of the Job Male household goods was opened yesterday, and will be continued to-morrow afternoon. The cloisonne sale is postponed to next week Thursday.

—Doane, the Park avenue jeweler, has a selected stock of artistic jewelry for Christmas. His goods are all high class and his selection is large. It will pay you to see them.

—Warren Engine Company No. 1 of North Plainfield meet in special session to-night to appoint a committee to confer with the fire, water and lamps committee of the borough council, regarding matters pertaining to the good and welfare of the fire department.

—Mrs. Dowd wishes THE PRESS to deny the story published in the disorderly newspaper of Somerset street, to the effect that she brought diphtheria to Plainfield. She only lost one daughter by the disease and never left Newark until a month after everybody else had entirely recovered.

—The defeated candidate takes on an injured air and writes a communication to the ring organ in just the same sort of butchered English that characterized the manufactured ante-election communications of alleged citizens. It looks as though the author of the abusive letters was disclosing his identity.

—The township committee of North Plainfield met last evening in regular session. Besides auditing a number of bills, the report of the joint committee on Peace street extension was read and unanimously adopted. Nothing short of an injunction will now prevent this proposed improvement being consummated.

—The games that VanEmburgh & Son are offering to the public are simply immense. The variety is the largest shown by any house in the city. At 4 cents you can buy a stiff board-cover juvenile book, fully illustrated, with 16 pages. It will pay you to go and see this wonder. See their advertisement for prices of games.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Doul Miller, of Halifax, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Agustus D. Shepard, Scotch Plains.

Corporation counsel Craig A. Marsh, architect B. Fosgate and J. Oakley Nodyne, esq., will attend the annual dinner to-day, at Delmonico's, of the alumni association of Union college of which they are members.

William H. Warner and Charles Zimmer represent Plainfield on the list of petit jurors drawn yesterday for the January term of Union county courts. The jurors from Fanwood are Linus Hetfield and Randolph Drake.

At the funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Jane Roome, yesterday afternoon, scriptures were read and remarks made by her pastor, the Rev. Dr. Richards. The Rev. W. E. Honeyman followed, telling of his many visits to her home, of her motherly bearing towards him, her generosity, and of her saintly life. The Rev. Cornelius Schenck followed with prayer. Then all took a last look at the remains. Several bunches of beautiful flowers were displayed, and at the head of the coffin was a large pillow bearing the word "Grandma". Also noticeable was a large sheaf of wheat. The interment was in the family plot at Greenwood.

Runaway Horse.

Mrs. Frank Day and Mrs. Kennett, of West Fourth street, were out riding yesterday, driving up Park avenue, near Sixth street, when a mason's horse came running at full speed, upsetting the mason's wagon and breaking the snafts, and almost running into Mr. Day's carriage. But for the timely action of the driver, a serious accident might have happened. No one was hurt, but the women were badly frightened.

Fire at Fanwood.

Mr. Robinson's Queen Anne house at Fanwood was burned this morning. The Land Improvement company owned the property, which was fully insured.

Talking Through Their Headgear.

[*From The New Brunswick Times.*]

Most of our readers have no doubt heard of Westfield, located in Union county, on the line of the Central railroad about four miles north of Plainfield, and our esteemed contemporary, the Westfield Leader, gives it this flattering notice:

Westfield! The Colorado of the East; the ElDorado of the Land. It is in Westfield that the invalid breathes that dry and balmy air so soothing to the lungs. Here, the gentle zephers from the mountains and the bracing breezes of the sea in friendly conclave gather. Midway between sea and mountains, abounding in fresh air, pure water, and all that contributes to that rarest of nature's gifts, perfect health, what wonder that our hillsides are adorned with architectural gems?

How about this, Plainfield?

Wants Bread With Pants on.

[*Westfield Leader.*]

An exchange says: "A Lawrence girl kneads bread with her gloves on." So do we. We need it with our shoes on, with our pants on, and in fact mighty bad too. If some of our delinquents would pay up we would be able to buy Eckel's bakery.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—E. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

RAILROAD COLLISION.

PLAINFIELDERS PINIONED IN WRECKED PASSENGER CARS.

Terrific Smash-up at Claremont—The Long Branch Train Crashes into the Rear of the Plainfield Express—Miraculous Escapes—No One Killed Outright, But a Frightful Experience for All.

A number of Plainfield people narrowly escaped death in a collision on the Jersey Central railroad near Greenville this forenoon.

The engineer of train No. 11, leaving New York at 11.30, and due in Plainfield at 12 27, saw a woman who had fainted lying on the track, and stopped the train.

A Long Branch train was following close behind, and hardly had No. 11 halted when the seashore express was heard thundering along in swift approach. The affrighted passengers sprang to their feet, and those in the last car could see the front of the giant locomotive looming up through the fog. There were screams and cries of "Jump!" There came a terrific crash, and a horrible grinding noise as the huge engine ploughed its destructive way through the crowded coaches.

The cars were smashed and torn to splinters, and the passengers were all tangled up in the debris.

Singularly no one was killed outright, but a number of people were badly mangled and taken to the nearest hospital.

Elmer E. Runyon of Plainfield was thrown from the platform where he was standing, just as he was about to jump. His head had several painful lumps raised on it, and was slightly cut and scratched. His right arm was lacerated, and his left hip badly bruised. He was able to limp home from the North avenue station, where a PRESS reporter met and talked with him and other survivors. A. M. Runyon accompanied Elmer, and he was badly shaken up, and very lame and sore from his bruises.

Directly after the accident the Runyons thoughtfully telegraphed home that they were unhurt, to allay the fears of the family, who might otherwise have been alarmed by false reports. It was rumored in this city that both had been seriously injured, and that Elmer's skull was crushed. Elmer was able to tell a funny story to the reporter in the midst of his aches.

Theodore J. Miller, of 181 Park avenue, was pinioned in the wreckage and felt as though every bone in his body was crushed. His garments were torn to shreds. He told a PRESS reporter that he did n't know how he escaped alive

Geo. W. V. Moy, the Park avenue and Fourth street pharmacist, leaped just in time to save his life. Another moment, and the powerful locomotive swept over the spot where he had been sitting.

Mrs. Frank W. Vail of North avenue was caught between shattered timbers and painfully pinched. J. Angerbauer, jr., who sat in the seat back of her, says she lost her pocket-book and complained of her side.

No report of serious injury to any Plainfielder has been received.

A number of the cars were telescoped. The wreck was most complete, and it is marvelous that the fatality was not tremendous.

Why the Long Branch train was in the same block with No. 11 is what the passengers want to know. The automatic block signals must have been disregarded by the engineer. If so, he should be made an example of.

Two other wrecks occurred during the morning, caused by the fog. Coal and freight cars were smashed at Roselle, and a gravel train near Cranford. No one was hurt in either of these smash-ups.

The Plainfielders all expressed great thankfulness over their deliverance.

THREE FATALLY INJURED.

List of Those Who Are Dying in the Hospital.

(SPECIAL BY WIRE TO THE PRESS.)

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 8.—Those fatally injured in the Greenville wreck have been taken to the Jersey City hospital. They are:

THE DYING.

Julia Gilroy, young woman, dressmaker, 127 Washington avenue, Elizabeth.

Geo. Lawson, sr., 297 North Broad street, Elizabeth.

John Seindell, Somerville.

The houses at Greenville and the hospitals at Jersey city have all been thrown open for the reception of the injured.

The engineer and fireman of the Long Branch train are suffering from bruises received by jumping. Their train was going at lightning speed. The engineer says he could n't see the signals, on account of the dense fog.

A fat woman weighing 235 pounds was picked up by the pilot of the Long Branch locomotive from the seat where she was sitting and deposited gracefully and comfortably on top of the stove at the other end of the car.

A Mrs. Hardy of New York and a Mrs. Loveridge of Brooklyn, formerly of Elizabeth, were quite badly hurt. They were bound for an afternoon tea at prosecutor Wilson's home, Elizabeth.

A WORTHY OFFICER COMPLIMENTED.

Jewel and Apron Presented to Past Master Ford.

At a regular communication of Jerusalem Lodge, 26, F. & A. M., held Tuesday evening, Dec. 6, the F. C. degree was conferred in a very creditable manner by W. M., C. H. Rugg and his associate officers. At the close of the ceremonies R. W. D. D. G. M., Anthony Shoder, of Woodbridge, made a very pleasing address, complimenting the officers on the proficiency they have attained in the rendering of the work, and on the interest that is evidently taken by the members, judging from the large attendance.

"But",—Brother Schoder continued—"in speaking of the present, we must not forget the past officers, who have so faithfully performed their duties in the past, and who at any time are willing to render valuable assistance. To one of those, who comparatively recently vacated the East, I have a few words to say, if he will kindly step forward. I refer to past master William J. Ford.

"My brother, it has been the custom for some time past in Jerusalem lodge to present their retiring masters with a substantial token in recognition of the faithful performance of their duties. You are certainly no exception, for I have the pleasure of presenting to you from the members of Jerusalem lodge this beautiful past master's jewel and apron in appreciation of your services, which it is hoped you will accept and wear at your pleasure."

Past master Ford, who was completely taken by surprise, thanked the lodge, stating that he highly appreciated that beautiful gift, and hoped that he had merited the same.

A Curious Phenomenon.

Those of THE PRESS readers who have seen accounts in the papers of the projection of letters and figures on the clouds and fogs of London, by electric light, might have witnessed a very good illustration of the principle involved had they chanced to look at the sky over the Scott Press works yesterday at about 6 p. m.

A "heat" was being taken in the foundry, and the light from the molten metal and white-hot coke streamed from the chimney of the cupola. The path of the rays was easily followed through the thick atmosphere to a large and well-defined circle of light in the overhanging clouds. The similarity of these conditions to those in a magic lantern will be at once apparent, and, were it not that a suitable atmospheric condition rarely exists, one might expect the eagle eye of the advertiser to spy out the possibilities of this principle and pervert not only the fences and rocks but even the sky to his purposes.

Mrs. Pond Heads the Wheelwomen.

A meeting of the Plainfield Lady cyclists was held at the home of Miss Belle Butler, East Front street, yesterday afternoon, at which time officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. D. W. Pond.
First Vice-President—Mrs. J. H. French.
Second Vice-President—Mrs. W. Ryder.
Secretary and Treasurer—Miss B. L. Butler.
Captain—Miss L. E. Fritts.
First Lieutenant—Miss May Kirkner.
Second Lieutenant—Miss Bessie Hull.
Sergeant—Miss Mary Brown.

Easy and Reliable Insurance.

The Metropolitan Life Insurance company, which is noted as "the leading industrial insurance company of America", gives proof of its promptness in settlement of claims in the case of the Angerbauer family. This morning its assistant superintendent, Alfred Norbury, of 55 North avenue, went to the house prepared to pay the $34 claim on a little one's death, and found another claim, of $110, awaiting in the death of the second child. That claim also will be paid immediately. This desirable kind of policy Mr. Norbury insures for only 10 cents a week.

Eruption of the Skin Cured.

Ed. Venney, Brockville, Ontario, Canada, says:—"I have used BRANDETH'S PILLS for the past fifteen years, and think them the best carthetic and anti-bilious remedy known. For some five years I have suffered from an eruption of the skin that gave me great pain and annoyance. I tried different blood remedies, but, although gaining strength the itching was unrelieved. I finally concluded to take a thorough course of BRANDETH'S PILLS. I took six each night for four nights, then five, four, three, two, lessening each time by one, and then for one month took one every night, with the happy result that now my skin is perfectly clear and has been so ever since.

Administrators' Sale

OF

Personal Property.

T. J. CAREY, Auctioneer.

The undersigned administrators of the estate of Job Male deceased, hereby give notice that they will continue on sale at public vendue, to the highest bidders, on

Friday, December 9th inst.,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.,

On the premises, on the easterly corner of Crescent avenue and First place, Plainfield, New Jersey all the household furniture and personal effects late of Job Male, deceased (except articles included in the Schoonmaker collection, which last named will be sold at Carey's auction rooms on Thursday afternoon and evening, December 15th instant, consisting of parlor, dining room, bed room and library furniture, all beds and bedding, kitchen utensils, all carpets, matting, rugs, table cloths, towels, napkins and other linen, pictures, engravings, library of printed books, maps, charts, crockery, glassware, cutlery, silver-plated ware, some rare old china and one pier glass, and other personal property contained in the former homestead property of Job Male, deceased. Terms cash.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 1, 1892.

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The largest assortment of new and beautiful Souvenirs, suitable for the Holidays that has ever been shown in Plainfield is now displayed at Edsall's.

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Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M
J. A. Domarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Rugg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

Sons of St. George—No Surrender Lodge, No. 349—Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month, at Sons of Temperance Hall cor. Front street and Park avenue. Englishmen and sons and grandsons of Englishmen are cordially invited to join. Chas. Burnes, President, Samuel Smith, Secretary. 8 31 y

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Langer, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Exeter Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
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Samuel H. Lunger, Fin. Sec. 5-12-y

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THANKS FOR GIFTS.

Public Library Directors Express Their Gratitude—Librarian's Report.

A regular meeting of the board of directors of the public library was held Dec. 7, 1892. There were present directors A. C. Baldwin, J. Evarts Tracey, Rowland Cox, J. B. Dumont and William M. Stillman. The minutes of the meeting of Nov. 2 were read and approved. The following bills were ordered paid: Miss Adams, salary, $50; janitor, salary and sundries, $40.80; Jones & Co., cleaning sess-pool, $8; H. D. Morrison, printing, $7; Force Bros., printing, $15; Wm. H. Williams, papers, etc., $30.08; L. H. Bigelow, warrant book, $7.

On motion the thanks of the board were extended to Henry P. Talmadge of Netherwood for his very valuable gift of "Racinet's Costumes" in six volumes.

The report of the librarian for November was read, approved and ordered on file.

On motion the thanks of the board were extended to Mrs. T. B. Brooks and Miss E. E. Kenyon, respectively, for the gifts of books they have made to the library during the past month.

On motion the secretary was directed in all cases of donation to the library to make such proper acknowledgment on behalf of the board as he shall deem proper.

On motion, adjourned, until Thursday evening, Dec. 8. WM. M. STILLMAN, Secretary.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT FOR NOVEMBER, 1892.

Volumes on accession-book, Oct. 31	11,607
Volumes added by purchase	27
" " gift	12
Volumes now in the library	11,646
Number of card-holders	2,498
Cash received from dues	$20.29
" " " non-resident subscriptions	3.00
Home Circulation.	
Fiction	886
Juvenile	284
Biography	94
Travel	71
Philosophy	6
Religion	20
Sociology	39
Philology	2
Natural Science	33
Useful arts	24
Fine arts	39
Literature	103
History	116
Bound perjodicals	7
Total	1,724
Visitors to the building	

E. L. ADAMS, Librarian.

GRAND OPERA TO-NIGHT.

Laura Schirmer and the Mapleson Opera Company at Music Hall.

The dramatic critic of a metropolitan exchange says, in speaking of the opera to be presented at Music Hall to-night:

Of the performance, only the warmest praise can be bestowed. It was given with a spirit and dash that would seem impossible, when the fact is taken into consideration that the company began rehearsals only about three weeks ago. The role of *Fadette* introduced a charming and accomplished prima donna in the person of Madame Laura Schirmer-Mapleson. She unites rare personal charms and a high soprano voice of singular purity and flexibility. The *timbre* of the voice is exquisite and her execution is well nigh faultless. She fairly revels in florid passages, and her staccato notes are as scintillant as her trills are sure and delicious. She is a vivacious actress as well and infused the role with a spirit that lifted it into great prominence. She was deservedly encored after her solos in the first and second acts and with the tenor was twice recalled after the duet, "I Love But Thee". She is the most satisfying prima donna that has yet appeared here in light opera.

The comedy role has been entrusted to Charles H. Drew, the singing comedian who made a pronounced hit as *Carapon*. He is unctuous and droll, without being vulgar and over stepping the limits of true comedy. Unlike most comedians, he can sing. His two topical songs, anent stage life and present politics were repeatedly encored. Miss Irene Jerome in the part of *Frasquita* showed considerable ability as a comedienne and sang pleasingly. The chorus is large and its members have good voices and know how to sing. The costumes of principals and chorus were new and bright and original in design. The chorus has been well drilled in its stage business and the several scenes in which it was prominent, were effective and pleasing stage pictures. So delighted was the audience with the choral work that the finales of both the first and second acts had to be repeated. The genuine pleasure felt by all present in the performance was manifested by frequent and vigorous applause. Those who had came to criticise, even in a mild manner, a new opera and a new company, remained only to praise.

Borough Real Estate Transfers.

The following changes of North Plainfield property were recently recorded in Somerset county:

The Washington Life Ins. Co. to Ann Sophia Chase, $3,000.

Daniel F. Randolph to Edward Luckhurst, $1,000.

Geo. S. McGinnis to Geo. Kirch, $1.

John S. Sutphen to Saphronia P. Wisner, $6,000.

Edw. Luckhurst to Margaret Stites, $1,000.

Moses H. French to Hippolyte Texier, $3,500.

Hippolyte Texier to Moses H. French, $1.

L. M. Codington, sheriff, to Thos. S. Davis, $30,700.

L. M. Codington, sheriff, to executors of Archibald Codington, $2,467.

The township of North Plainfield to Newton B. and Alfred I. Smalley, $10.63.

Alfred I. Smalley, et al to William C. Kelly, $1.

Wm. C. Kelly, et al to Frederick G. Blancke, $1,500.

Frederick G. Blancke to Wm. C. Kelly, et al., $1,500.

Although many remedies are pushed into the market by spicy advertisements, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup still takes the lead.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

THE CAST AND THE MUSIC.

How Young Mrs. Winthrop Will Be Brought Out at the Casino.

The programme of the amateur dramatic entertainment at the Casino Saturday evening is as follows:

YOUNG MRS. WINTHROP.

A PLAY IN FOUR ACTS, BY BRONSON HOWARD.
Produced by special arrangement with A. M Palmer.

THE CAST.

Douglas Winthrop, a banker, John Reginald Blake
Constance Winthrop, his wife, Mrs. J. Parker Mason
Mrs. Ruth Winthrop, his mother, Mrs. C. de Medina
Buxton Scott, of Scott & Blackstone, lawyers, William R. Cock
Mrs. Dick Chetwyn, a butterfly, Mrs. Charles E. Brooks
Edith Gray, Constance's blind sister, Mrs. William L. Saunders
Herbert Winthrop, Douglas's nephew, Harry Sargent
Dr. Mellbanke, a fashionable physician, Charles E. Brooks
Jeannette, Mrs. Winthrop's maid, Miss Elaine Massett
John, Mrs. Winthrop's butler, Roger Erickson

Produced under the direction of Henry S. Blake

THE SCENES ARE LAID AS FOLLOWS:

Act I. Sitting room at Douglas Winthrop's Time—a winter evening.
Act II. The same. Time—five hours later.
Act III. Drawing room at Douglas Winthrop's. Time—two months later.
Act IV. Sitting room. Time—a spring morning.

MUSIC PROGRAMME.

Director, Louis J. Cornu, Standard Theater, New York.

Overture—Raymonde.....Thomas
Intermezzo—Cavalleria Rusticana...Mascagni
Cornet Solo—The Lost Chord.....Sullivan
W. S. Mygrants.
Morceau—(new) La Cinquantaine.....Marie
Waltz—(new) Ball Room Whispers.....Grogh

The doors will be open at 7:30.

Pleasant Payment of a Bet.

A pleasant election bet was paid at the Middlebrook hotel, Bound Brook, yesterday. The Hon. H. L. Trimmer, treasurer of the Hillsborough Mutual Fire Assurance company, wagered N. S. Wilson, of East Millstone, one of the directors of the same company, a dinner for fifteen that Cleveland would be elected. Each one was allowed the privilege of inviting a friend. The dinner was one of those pleasant affairs that only Miss Fisher, the proprietress of that famous hotel, knows how to get up. The menu was perfect. Among the guests present was the genial local editor of the *Hunterdon County Democrat*, Lew Runkle, whom every newspaper man likes, and Dr. W. J. Poulsen.

Crooked Election Returns in the City Clerk's Paper.

The reliability of the city clerk's mathematical staff was exemplified yesterday in the jumbled-up election returns published in his paper. He had councilman See's vote recorded as 206. This would mean that See was cut even worse than Ulrich in the First ward. 296 is correct. The expert accountant added up school trustee Babcock's votes of 299, 328, 281, 258, and 178, into a total of 1,335. 1,344 is correct. The Republican vote in the second district of the Fourth ward was transposed with the Democratic, making the Democratic total 840 instead of 797, and the Republican 1,328 instead of 1,372. These are samples of the way the ring organ shows its ability to make up "official" returns from the tally sheets. THE PRESS's figures yesterday were absolutely faultless.

Ward—Miller.

Last evening the Rev. Franklin G. Warnick united in marriage John P. Ward, of New York, and Miss Dollie A. Miller of this city, at the residence of Robert Yetman, 181 West Third street. More than one hundred guests witnessed the ceremony.

The bride was richly attired in a lilac silk costume, and wore on her head a wreath of orange blossoms tastefully arranged. Many valuable presents were given. Refreshments were served in abundance. The newly-married pair will reside in New York.

Sweet Oranges.

As a PRESS reporter passed the office of Kelly & Campbell, orange growers, (which is at 31 North avenue, in the Produce Co's building) he was treated with a sample of this fruit. And as the flavor was so delicious, he was led to ask why this fruit was so superior to others. Mr. Campbell explained by saying that *they* received their fruit four days after they were picked from the trees, making them almost as fresh as though the eater had plucked them from the trees himself. So if you get your groceryman to give you Kelly & Campbell's oranges you will have them sweet every time.

Another Death from Diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Angerbauer lost another child, their daughter, Lizzie, age 9, this morning, from diphtheria. Their son, Henry, the Postal messenger boy, is not exposed to contagion, not being permitted to go home till after quarantine is raised.

—Grand opera to-night.

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HONOR TO THE DEAD.

Judge Runyon of Plainfield One of the Committee to Prepare a Memorial.

A meeting of the Union County Bar association took place at the court-house in Elizabeth yesterday morning for the purpose of taking suitable action regarding the death of the late Benjamin Williamson. It was held in the court room shortly after the convening of the Court of Special Sessions, and was called to order by the Hon. Fred. C. Marsh, who acted as temporary chairman.

Judge Joseph Alward was unanimously chosen as president. On taking the chair the Judge returned his sincere thanks for the honor conferred, and then briefly stated the object for which the meeting had been called. He said that the association had by death lost one of its oldest and most esteemed members, one whose eminence was well known and whose death was deeply mourned. The object of the association being called together was to show its sorrow at so great a loss by drafting suitable resolutions of respect.

The first thing in order, he said, was the appointing of a committee on resolutions, and on motion of James R. English, a committee of seven was appointed, the president officiating as one of the said committee.

The following gentlemen were appointed: Thomas Schaffer of Rahway, J. R. English, Judge Thomas F. McCormick, Robert E. Chetwood and Joseph Cross of Elizabeth, and Nelson Runyon of Plainfield.

The committee were requested to prepare the resolutions so that they might be presented and read before the court on the first Tuesday in January, the opening of the January term of court. The meeting was then declared adjourned.

RESISTING AN OFFICER.

A New Market Man Gets $25 Worth of Respect for Officers of the Law.

Tuesday morning James H. Hallett, of New Market, should have appeared before the court at New Brunswick to answer to a charge of assault and battery committed by him on constable Soper, when the latter attempted to make a levy on the defendant's property.

Hallett did not appear Tuesday morning, and a capias for contempt of court was issued for his arrest. Constable Grover arrested Hallett on Albany street.

When arranged before judge Rice Tuesday afternoon Hallett explained that his horse broke down while driving to the city, hence the delay. The court appeared satisfied with this explanation and the case was proceeded with.

Alan Strong appeared for constable Soper and attorney Frederick Weigel for Hallett.

Mr. Weigel called Hallett, who testified that his counsel, Senator Adrain, told him to resist any levy being made, and in his ignorance of the law he probably used more force than necessary.

Judge Rice said the law must protect its officers. Mr. Soper was resisted from serving process of law and Hallett prevented the levy being made and also struck the officer. The court did not believe that Mr. Adrain told him to use such force, and thought that there must have been some misunderstanding as regards the instructions, and Mr. Hallett, probably under the excitement, misconstrued them.

Under the above circumstances judge Rice inflicted a fine of $25, the defendant to stand committed until the fine was paid. The fine was paid later.

—"Fadette" is the best opera comique that has been produced in this country for a long time. Don't miss it at Music Hall to-night.

AN ORDINANCE

For the repair and permanent improvement of a portion of West Third street.

The inhabitants of the city of Plainfield, by the Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the roadbed of West Third street, between Madison avenue and Plainfield avenue be forthwith repaired and spread with broken stone for a width of eight (8) feet on each side of the centre line of said street for a depth of six (6) inches at the general expense of the city, to be paid for, after first applying the direct contributions of property owners, out of the money raised by tax for the improvement of streets according to the act of the Legislature in such case made and provided, approved May 13, 1884.

Section 2. That before any work shall be done under this ordinance the property owners along the line of the proposed improvement shall deposit with the City Treasurer a sum equal to thirty (30) cents per linear foot for the entire distance along West Third street covered by this ordinance.

Adopted by the Common Council December 5, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor December 6, 1892.
A. GILBERT, Mayor.

Attest: F. W. RUNYON, City Clerk.
Fees $2.70.

1892 TAXES!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of

THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD,

That the taxes assessed in said city for the year 1892 are now due and payable, and that if the said taxes be not paid by the

20th Day of December Next

The names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal

In cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

Fourth Tuesday In November Next

(the 22d), and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration. JOHN JOHNSON, Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1, 1892. 10 6 tf

Corporation Notice.

The undersigned commissioners heretofore appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and an assessment of damages that any owner or owners of land will sustain by the widening and laying out of Peace street pursuant to the ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to widen Peace street," approved February 3, 1892, and to ascertain the whole amount of damages and expenses incident to such widening and laying out, and to make a just and equitable assessment thereof among the owners and occupants of all the lands, tenements and real estate benefitted thereby in proportion to the advantages which they shall be deemed to acquire, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, hereby give notice that they have this day filed their report and assessment in the office of the City Clerk, and that the same is open to inspection of the public and will be presented to the Common Council at the meeting of that body to be held at the Council Chamber, in the city of Plainfield, on Monday, the nineteenth day of December instant, at eight o'clock p. m.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 5 A. D., 1892.
WM. C. AYERS,
J. MANNING,
EDWARD C. HULFORD, } Commissioners.
fees $6.75 p. 8 12 con. 9 15

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Under the auspices of the

Women's Friendly Society of Evona.

Thursday and Friday.

Afternoon and evening, Dec. 8 and 9,

At No. 17 Grant Avenue,

For the benefit of the Sunday-school building fund. Admission 10 cents. Electric cars pass the door. 12 7 2

BANK ELECTION.

CITY NATIONAL BANK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house, on Tuesday, January 10, 1893, from 1 to 2 o'clock. Dec. 8, 1892. F. H. GARDNER, Cashier. 12 8 15 22 29-1 9

Administrators' Sale.

T. J. CAREY, Auctioneer.

The undersigned administrators of Job Male, deceased, hereby give notice that the articles comprising the art collection" of Cloisonne, known as the "Schoenmaker collection, purchased by the late Mr. Male for over $9,000, will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidders on

Thursday Afternoon and Evening,

DEC. 15th inst.,

At Carey's Auction Rooms,

Corner of West Front street and Grove street, Plainfield, N. J., beginning at 2 o'clock p. m.

The articles are those previously exhibited at the Job Male Art Gallery, and will be on exhibition at Carey's auction rooms beginning Thursday morning, December 8 instant, at 9 o'clock. Catalogues may be had on application to either of the undersigned, or to the auctioneer.

Terms cash.
Dated Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 1, 1892.
ELIAS R. POPE,
JOHN W. HARRISON,
Administrators
12 8 t d

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

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A FINE violin for sale. Address M., care Press. 12 6 6

WANTED—A smart boy about 14 years. Call 53 West Front st.

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FOR SALE—A bay mare, 7 years old, 15 hands high; extra roadster; safe for lady to drive. Address C. Wright, care Press. 12 5 5

GOOD rooms and board. 8 Central avenue. 12 7 3

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, horse, harness and spindle wagon. Address Horse, care Press. 12 7 3

FOR SALE—Paff's hotel, Scotch Plains; would exchange for Plainfield business property. Paff, Scotch Plains. 12 5 10

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CARAPON.....Mr. Charles H. Drew
The American Lyric Comedian, &c.
COLONEL DUPONT.....Mr. Smiley
SERJ'T GIBIER.....Mr. Geo. Stansfield
Basso.
FRA DOMINIGO.....Mr. Wynn Nickols
Basso.
FRASQUITA.....Miss Irene Jerome
The New Prima Donna.
LISETTE.....Miss Emma Blanchard
Soprano, and

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" " $1 00	"	67 "

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Or single skate checks.....25 cents

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Single admission.....10 cents
Single surface checks.....10 cents
Single skate check.....15 cents

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Grand Xmas and New Year's skating festival Dec. 26, and January 2.

Prepare for the great spectacular carnival, the date of which will be announced later. 11 28 tf

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10 15 tf

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SUING FOR DIVORCE.

Mrs. Albion R. Berry, of Woodbridge, Says Her Husband Treated Her Cruelly.

WOODBRIDGE, N. J., Dec. 8.—Papers have been filed for a divorce by Annie M. Berry from her husband, Albion R. Berry, a prominent real estate dealer of this place and one of the wealthy residents.

The case will create a profound sensation in this city, as the parties to the suit are very widely known and Mr. Berry is the son of one of the wealthiest brick burners in the country.

The grounds for the divorce are extreme cruelty. In the bill of complaint Mrs. Berry alleges that she had only been married to her present husband a few months when he began to ill-treat her. During last August he frequently threatened to kill her, and on one occasion he choked her until she was nearly dead, leaving deep scars on her neck.

About the same date he threw a carving knife at her while they were seated at the table and the sharp blade stuck in her hand inflicting a painful wound. Other instances of cruelty are alleged.

On election night Mrs. Berry was away from home and her husband called at the house and took away her two children, Margaret, aged 4, and Leon, aged 2 years.

Armour to Take a Rest.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—P. D. Armour, who has been ill for some time, will give up active participation in his business and take a rest.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—There are 8,500 enlisted men in the Pennsylvania National Guard.

It is no longer thought probable that Jerry Simpson can enter the U. S. Senate.

—Gabriel de Rosa, the fratricide, now in the Maine State prison, has become insane.

—When the water was drawn from the canal at Rexford Flats, N.Y., the body of a respectably dressed man was found.

—The stable of Adam Kuhn, a baker, of Lancaster, Pa., was destroyed by fire and 17 horses were burned to death. Loss $12,000.

—The Senate will probably next week report a Nicaragua canal bill, substantially the former measure, guaranteeing the bonds.

—Four bricklayers were badly injured by the falling of a new factory wall on which they were working at Syracuse, N. Y., yesterday.

—A measure is being prepared in Moscow that will debar Jews from doing business unless they embrace the orthodox faith before the new year.

—The Masonic Home trustees have elected Past Grand Master Jesse B. Anthony of Troy superintendent of the home and school in Utica, N. Y.

—A fatal epidemic of measles has broken out at Dansville, N. Y., and a number of children have died, while many who are sick cannot possibly recover.

—Orrin A. Skinner, a well known Syracuse grain dealer, is under arrest in Syracuse, N. Y., charged with stealing $350 from Allan F. Brown, a Buffalo lawyer.

—The saloon of John Graham, of Burlington, Ind., was reduced to kindling wood by dynamite yesterday. The temperance people were opposed to its existence.

—The British Agricultural Conference yesterday discussed means to better the business condition of the country and especially looking to increasing trade with foreign countries.

—Charles de Chambour has begun a suit in the United States Court at Utica, N. Y., involving $50,000 of property in the upper part of New York which formerly belonged to Mme. Jugal.

Not Quite the Same.

"Yes, he's a fine enough looking horse," said the prospective purchaser, critically examining the spirited thoroughbred again. "He's nothing extra, of course, but he'll answer my purpose, I think. And his tail is already docked. I won't have to get that job done."

"Curious thing about that tail!" said the owner of the horse, patting the animal's glossy hide. "It's always been just that length. He never had any more tail. He was born so."

"Born so!" echoed the other. "Then I don't want him at any price. I'm not buying freaks."—Chicago Tribune.

Bishop Brooks' Bright Niece.

Bishop Brooks—Phillips Brooks, lest the title be unfamiliar—has a little niece, brought up, as a bishop's niece should be, to say her prayers. One night when she had put herself to bed her mother asked her afterward if she had said her prayers.

"No," she said.

"But why not?" her mother inquired.

"Well," said the little maid, "I was tired and sleepy, so I asked the Lord to excuse me, and he said: 'Certainly, Miss Brooks, with pleasure.'"

An Ominous Threat.

Col. Yerger, very much under the influence of ardent spirits, is greeted by his wife as follows:

"That's a nice state you are in again! You will break my heart, coming home this way every night. O, what shall I do?"

Col. Yerger (reproachfully)—Mishes Yerger (hic) if you 'buse me, 'buse me thish way reg'lar every night (hic) first thing you know I'll (hic) I'll take to drinkin'. Shee if I don't.—Texas Siftings.

A Frightful Dearth.

Blobkins—Speaking of the dearth of men at the seaside during the past summer, a man-eating shark was found dead on the beach near a certain fashionable New England resort the other day.

Mrs. Blobkins—What did he die of?

Blobkins—Starvation.—Judge.

Ready to Prove Her Loss.

Miss Footlytes—Did you see in the papers that my diamonds have been stolen?

Stagedore—Yes, but I don't believe it. I don't believe you had any diamonds.

Miss Footlytes—You don't? Well, if you will come to my flat I'll show them to you.—Truth.

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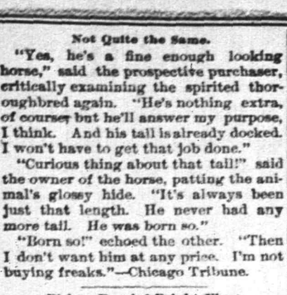

—Judge.

Economical.

She (despairingly)—My family was always economical, and I am a living example.

He (sympathetic)—Indeed! How so?

She—I was born on Christmas day, and my birthday and Christmas presents have always been combined.—Demorest's Magazine.

Inexpensive.

Mrs. Featherleigh—Mr. Skrimpy is paying you a great deal of attention, daughter.

Daughter (who knows that Mr. Skrimpy's attentions are confined to frequent calls)—But he's not paying it out of his pocketbook, mamma.—Chicago News Record.

An Orthographical Compliment.

He—I am rather in favor of the English than the American mode of spelling.

She—Yes?

He—Yes, indeed! Take "parlour," for instance. Having "u" in it makes all the difference in the world.—Bostor Globe.

Not Wholly Satisfactory.

"I thought you said you were in love with Miss DeTrop?"

"I did."

"And yet you say now that there is something about her you dislike."

"There is—it's Twemlo. He's always about her."—Chicago News Record.

Not Fitted for Traveling.

Little Dot—I wonder why there isn't ever any spiderwebs in the corners of railroad cars.

Little Dick—Spiders have eight eyes, an' I guess it's too much trouble to keep [illegible]

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Leave Plainfield 2.14, 2.37, 5.38, 6.05, 6.29, 6.59, 7.26, 7.50, 7.55, 8.15, 8.27, 8.31, 8.48, 9.22, 10.04, 10.27, 11.09, A. M., 12 noon, 12.53, 1.02, 2.30, 3.12, 4.01, 5.16, 5.43, 5.57, 6.54, 7.08, 9.02, 9.38, 10.12, 11.26, P. M. Sunday—2.14, 4.05, 6.01, 8.03, 11.18, 11.42 A. M., 12.23, 1.43, 3.30, 5.16, 7.10, 8.23, 9.22, 10.17 P. M.
Leave Newark 6.15, 7.12, 7.50, 8.55, 10.05, 11.35 A. M., 1.05, 1.35, 2.30, 3.35, 4.05, 4.33, 5.05, 5.30, 6.20, 7.15, 7.35, 8.40, 10.05, 11.25 P. M. Sunday—7.30, 8.45, 9.50, 10.35, 11.45, A. M., 1.10, 2.35, 4.10, 5.40, 6.08, 7.20, 8.15, 10.00 P. M.
Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.
PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.
Leave Plainfield 5.15, 7.13, 8.17, 9.42, 11 a.m. 12.27, 1.59, 2.32, 3.45, 4.36, 5.03, 5.20, 5.34, 6.04, 6.30, 6.38, 7.13, 7.34, 8.30, 9.37, 11.12, 12.43 P. M. Sunday—5.45, 8.26, 9.34, 11.18 A.M., 2.08, 3.54, 6.14, 6.38, 10.18, 11.14 P.M.
Leave Somerville, 6, 6.30, 7.03, 7.30, 7.35, 7.44, 8.20, 9.05, 9.47, 11.35 A. M., 12.34, 12.38, 2.05, 3.35, 4.50, 5.32, 6.35, 8.41, 8.45, 11.05, P. M. Sunday 9.26, 11.15 A. M., 12.08, 1.15, 4.50, 6.40, 9.03, 9.05, 9.40 P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.
Leave Plainfield 5.15, 8.17, 9.42, A. M., 1.59, 5.20, 6.38, 8.20 P. M. Sunday—5.45, 8.26 a. m., 2.08, 6.35, P. M.
Leave Easton 6.05, 8.39, 11.18 A.M., 4.09, 7.35 P. M. Sundays—7.15, 10.52, A. M., 5.40, 7.30, P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield 7.10, 12.27, 5.20 p. m.
WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
5.15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
7.10 A. M. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
8.17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9.42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12.27 p. m., way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
1.59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.
5.03 p. m., way for High Bridge.
6.20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.
6.20 P. M. for Flemington.
6.38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.
8.20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
5.45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8.28 a.m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 9.08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
For Atlantic City, 3.37 a. m. 1.02 p. m.
Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c
Leave Plainfield 3.37, 8, 11.09, a. m. 1.02, 4.01, 5.57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8.52, a. m., 3.30 p. m.
For Perth Amboy, 3.37, 5.38, 8, 11.09 a. m.; 1.02, 4.01, 5.57, 7.03 p. m. Sunday—8.52, a. m. 3.30 p. m.
For Freehold, 3.37, 8, 11.09 a. m., 1.02, 4.01, 5.16 p. m.
ROYAL BLUE LINE.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5.15, 8.29, 9.45, 10.45, a. m., 1.59*, 3.04, 5.34*, 6.38*, 8.20, 9.37 p. m., 1.17, night. Sundays—9.45, 11.18 a. m., 2.08*, 5.14*, 6.55 p. m., 1.17, night.
For Trenton 5.15, 8.29, 9.42, 10.45, a. m., 12.27, 1.59, 3.04, 5.34, 6.38, 8.20, 9.37, 11.09, p. m., 1.17 night, Sunday—9.34, 11.18, a. m., 2.02, 5.14, 6.55 p. m., 1.17 night.
For Baltimore and Washington at 9.45, a. m., 2.16, 4.13, 5.34* (6.38* Baltimore only) p. m. 1.17, night. Sundays—9.45 a. m., 2.16, 4.13, 5.14* (6.55 Baltimore only) p. m. 1.17, night.
RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,
Ninth and Green streets, 8.30, 9.30, 11.05, a. m., 1.30, 3.15*, 4, 5.15, 6.15, 8.02, 8.45, p. m. 12.01, night.
Sundays—10.00, 10.50 a. m., 3.15*, 5.15, 6.10, 8*, p. m., 12.01 night.
From 24th and Chestnut—3.55, 8.20, 9.20, 11.15, a. m. 2.52*, 5.50, 8.18, 11.45, p. m. Sunday—3.55, 9.40, 3.15 a. m., 3.33*, 6.20, 9.15*, 11.46 p. m.
1Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1.00, 1.55, 7.00, 9.02, 10.12, 11.59, a. m. 2.50, 4.08*, 6.40, 8.54, 9.05, 9.05, 10 p. m. Sundays—1.00, 4.55, 10.27, 11.56 a. m. 4.08*, 8.53, 7.07, 9.00* p. m.
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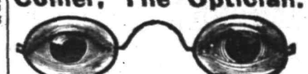

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HIS OPINION OF THE SOCIAL EVIL.

The Superintendent Defies the Clergyman to Meet It—Says He Would Gladly Have the Doctor for an Ally—Detective Gardner Indicted.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The broadside that Dr. Parkhurst poured into the Police Department in reply to the pronunciamento of Supt. Byrnes was among the chief topics disoussed in the metropolis yesterday, and it seemed to be the common belief that the superintendent had caught a Tartar.

Some unprejudiced observers thought that Mr. Byrnes was unwise when he courted a public controversy and tried to measure wits with the clergyman. Then again many held that the adroit reply of Dr. Parkhurst had put the superintendent in a defensive position, from which he would find it difficult to extricate himself with credit.

The more Supt. Byrnes thought of Dr. Parkhurst's reply to his accusations the more puzzled he became. He did not know whether to answer it or not. First he would and then he wouldn't, and then again he would. He reached the last conclusion last night when he issued a statement, addressed to no one in particular.

It was shown to Dr. Parkhurst later on. He said that a previous engagement prevented him from making answer to the latest effusion of the Superintendent of Police. He promised to read it, and then, if he thought it wise, he would respond to it to-night. He wanted it understood, however, that he did not pledge himself to reply to it.

In his statement of last night Superintendent Byrnes says:

"Yes, I have read over very carefully the statements made by Dr. Parkhurst, and, as far as I could expect, they corroborate what I have said about him and his methods. I have to thank Dr. Parkhurst for making the issue he has raised, at least sharp and clear. I had given him credit before—as it now appears wrongly—from his public utterances on platform and in the pulpit, for being in the field to help suppress vice and crime. That was what his society was organized for, and what his predecessor labored for. Dr. Parkhurst says flatly that is not his aim. He is not trying to suppress gambling or to repress the social evil. He is in the field to attack the police.

"It is easy for me now to understand why he has never asked my help or offered to help me, a thing which has never been clear to me before. He is not an ally; he is an enemy."

The superintendent claims that the social evil is worse in European cities than here. He says that since the middle of April, when he took office, he has closed 440 houses of ill repute, arresting 2,752 inmates; 34 gambling houses, with 286 arrests, and 32 policy shops, with 49 arrests.

The superintendent insists that to give unfortunate women a chance to reform is the work of Christian charity, not of the police.

After agreeing to help the clergyman to suppress any known place of ill resort, Mr. Byrnes says:

"The doctor chooses to charge me with trying to shift the responsibility from my shoulders over upon his. I will be charitable. He does not know me, or he would not make the charge. No one has ever laid that to my door before, justly or unjustly.

"There is a disadvantage in accepting as true all the misinformation about a police officer which sneaks and slanderers are peddling out to him daily, namely, that it leads the purchaser altogether off the track. Perhaps I should say that it would be a disadvantage were he in the field trying to improve the morals of the community as well as he can, as I am, because in that event he would lose an ally by his course instead of gaining one. But if, as he says, he is just bent on attacking the police, then, of course, such misinformation is useful and to the point."

GARDNER IS INDICTED.

Superintendent of Dr. Parkhurst's Society Charged With Extortion.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The grand jury has found two indictments against Charles W. Gardner, superintendent of Dr. Parkhurst's society. One is for extortion and the other for attempted extortion.

Lillie Clifton of No. 156 West Fifty-third street, the complainant, alleged that she paid Gardner for "protection." Capt. Devery and Inspector McLaughlin gave their testimony, on which Gardner was indicted.

Destitution at Homestead.

HOMESTEAD, Dec. 9.—Abont 75 cases of destitution resulting from the late strike have been reported to the relief committee and a severe spell of wintry weather will see this number largely increased. The merchants are carrying quite a number of those who have been refused work at the mill on their books and they say they will have to draw the lines some time, and it is only a question as to how soon.

The Curtis Jury Dismissed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9.—Owing to the death of Juror Libby, Judge Murphy dismissed the jury in the Curtis case on the motion of District Attorney Barnes. Curtis was very much affected and said he was very sorry that the whole thing had to be tried again. His three lawyers, however, appeared to be quite cheerful.

Charged With Graveyard Insurance.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 9.—W. L. Bates, one of the officials of the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company, has left here for St. John, N.B., to take part in the trial of Rev. Sydney B. Walton, charged with graveyard insurance by a New York Life Insurance Company.

England's Agricultural Conference.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The meeting of the Agricultural Conference has been concluded. Lord Winchilsea announced, before the final adjournment, a proposed scheme of agricultural union.

For Passing Forged Checks.

LITTLESTON, Pa., Dec. 9.—H. F. Richter is under arrest at Chicago for passing forged checks on the Savings bank of this town.

Operators Salaries Increased.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 9.—The salary of all dispatchers on the "Big Four" has been increased $10 a month.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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MILLER'S REPORT.

The Attorney-General's Annual Statement to Congress.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Attorney-General W. H. H. Miller, in his annual report submitted to Congress, states that during the fiscal year, 1892, there were paid to:

United States Marshals	$673,824.16
Attorneys	250,397.67
Assistant Attorneys	123,904.65
Clerks	108,890.99
Jurors	649,221.30
Witnesses	1,080,277.74
Commissioners	100,000.00
Prisoners	375,816.44
Rents	49,971.40
Bailiffs	135,837.40
Miscellaneous expenses	150,157.88
Total	$3,748,289.08

During the fiscal year 2,009 civil suits were terminated. In 1,018 of these judgments were for the United States; in 186, against the United States, and 802 were either nolle prosequied, dismissed, or discontinued; two were appealed from the District to the Circuit Court, 44 from District or Circuit to Circuit Court of Appeals, and seven from the Circuit to the Supreme Court.

The aggregate amount of the judgments rendered in favor of the United States in civil suits during the last year was $276,500.92, and the amount actually collected on these judgments was $67,223,-56, while $20,798.45 was obtained during the year on judgments rendered in former years for the United States, and $102,135.-62 was otherwise realized in civil suits.

The aggregate amount of fines, forfeitures and penalties imposed during the year in criminal prosecutions was $682,-271.95, and the amount of these fines, forfeitures and penalties collected during the year was $138,229.44, while $12,663.87 was realized on fines, forfeitures and penalties imposed in former years.

The work of the Department shows a constant increase. In the Court of Claims alone 10,000 cases for property taken during the war are pending, while 8,000 Indian depredation claims are on file aggregating $38,000,000.

The report states that numerous prosecutions have been begun against trusts, combinations, etc., but these corporations have hedged themselves in with great care and skill so as to avoid, if possible, the law. Cases now pending will determine the validity of the statute and if declared valid the evidence already accumulated will be valuable. He recommends that the fee system to marshals, etc., be abolished as it is productive of extravagance.

THE SEATTLE TRAGEDY.

Startling Developments in the Murder of Mrs. Story.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 9.—Startling developments in regard to the murder of Mrs. M. S. Story and the suicide of Chas. H. Moulton show that he had persecuted her for years, although she endeavored to avoid him.

Mr. Moulton's family are wealthy residents of Portland, Me., his father having been known as the Duke of Portland. Young Moulton came to California three years ago with $150,000, which he soon squandered.

Mrs. Story was the daughter of an Episcopal minister of Windsor, Ont. She obtained a divorce some time ago and has since lived here teaching music. Her beauty and accomplishments won her many friends.

TOTAL LOSS, $200,000.

Disastrous Fire in the Mills at Jefferson, Mass.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 9.—The fire at Jefferson burned the lower mill—a six-set satinet mill—to the ground, with a loss of $110,000.

The upper mill—a seven-set cassimere plant—was badly damaged by smoke and water, the store house and picker room was destroyed, and a two-story tenement was burned to the ground.

The total loss is $200,000; insurance, $180,000.

Jack Ramsey Found Guilty.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Dec. 8.—Jack Ramsey, one of the notorious Cooley gang, who is under 19 indictments, for almost every crime on the calendar, was found guilty on the charges of burglarizing the residences of Mrs. Pierce Keener and Joseph Anderson on the night of March 11, 1889. The other cases against Ramsey will follow.

Trickey's Death May Save Dr. Graves.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 9.—Henry G. Trickey, the dead Boston reporter, was one of the chief witnesses in the Graves murder case in Denver. The latter's friends say that in the event of a new trial Trickey's death will save the Doctor. Trickey swore to the condemnation of Widow Barnaby by Dr. Graves.

A Bogus Doctor Sentenced.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Jacob M. Batoff, alias Dr. Jacob M. B. de Samora, convicted of violation of the medical laws in the Court of Special Sessions, has been sentenced to three months in the penitentiary on the charge of illegally using the title of Doctor of Medicine, and fined $250 for practising without a license.

One Year for Dailey.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Roundsman Dailey has been sentenced in the Court of Oyer and Terminer to one year's imprisonment for the assault on Mrs. Hannan, the mother of the girl whom he was charged with seducing.

To Colonize Negroes.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 9.—A wealthy resident of this city has bought 1,000 acres of land near here on which he proposes to colonize all the negroes of this city into a self-supporting village.

Big Blaze at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 9.—Fire which broke out shortly before noon destroyed the city armory, damaged the police station and several adjoining buildings. Loss heavy.

THE OLD, OLD GAME.

An Aged Citizen of Greencastle, Pa., Swindled Out of $5,000.

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., Dec. 9.—Jacob B. Crowell, an aged and wealthy citizen of Greencastle, Pa., lost $5,000 by the three card monte game yesterday. A stranger wanted to buy his farm and while they were negotiating another stranger appeared and proposed a game of cards. Soon after the game had begun, the dupe was told that he had won $5,000.

Before this would be paid, however, the sharpers demanded that Crowell put up an equal amount. The latter drew $5,000 from bank and placed it in a box, presumably with the money he had won. The swindlers, after dexterously abstracting the cash from the box, handed the receptacle to their victim, and, bidding him good bye, started toward Hagerstown.

When Crowell arrived home and opened the box he found it filled with moss bark rubbish. He hurried to Hagerstown and offered a reward of $400 for the capture of the swindlers, but they had made good their escape.

The victim is almost crazed by his loss.

CLEVELAND GETS CALIFORNIA.

Only One Republican Elector Chosen—Votes of One Precinct Stolen.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 9.—The Secretary of State has received full returns from the entire State with the exception of one precinct in Inyo county, where the ballots were stolen on election day, and where a special election will be held on the 12th of December.

Including the unofficial ballot vote from Inyo county, the Secretary figures that the entire vote cast in California was 269,-000, Harrison receiving 117,756, Cleveland 117,908, Weaver 23,226 and Bidwell 7,187. Cleveland's plurality 152.

Thomas R. Ball (Rep.) was elected. He was the only Republican elector elected, defeating J. F. Thomas, who received the lowest vote on the Democratic ticket.

The Prohibition party failed to poll enough votes to have the names of its candidates placed on the ballots hereafter.

Killed by the Cars.

CRESSONA, Pa., Dec. 9.—Albert Utranza was killed on the Philadelphia & Reading railroad near here yesterday. He was employed on a way train, and in stepping out of the way of his train was struck by an engine coming in an opposite direction. He was horribly mangled and lived only a few moments.

Defaulter Evans Found Guilty.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—The jury in the case of Nelson F. Evans, late director of the Spring Garden National bank, charged with misappropriating the funds of the bank, was out but ten minutes when the foreman announced that they had agreed. They found Evans guilty.

Gen. Moise Will Not Contest.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 9.—Gen. E. W. Moise of Sumpter authorizes the statement that he will not contest the seat of Murray, colored, (Rep.) from the Seventh Congressional District, who was given a certificate by the Board of State Canvassers.

One Dead, Two Ill, of Pneumonia.

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., Dec. 9.—Mrs. George Foster, wife of a prominent gentleman of West Englewood, is dead, of pneumonia. The two eldest daughters are also very low, similarly afflicted and it is feared cannot recover.

New Brewing Company Incorporated.

ALBANY, Dec. 9.—The Bavarian-Star Brewing company of New York with a capital of $1,000,000 has been incorporated. The company is a consolidation of the Bavarian and Star brewing companies.

To Be Tried for a Second Murder.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 9.—Kenney Hayner, the canal boatman who was Wednesday convicted of killing his wife Lottie, was arraigned for killing Michael Adams, another boatman.

Consider Dancing Immoral.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 9.—Governor-elect Lewelling will not have an inaugural ball as the Populists declare dancing to be immoral.

GODDARD'S EASY FIGHT.

Peter Maher, "Irish Champion," Knocked Out in Three Rounds.

CONEY ISLAND, N. Y., Dec. 9.—Joe Goddard, the Australian, had no difficulty in defeating Peter Maher, the "Irish Champion," at the Coney Island Athletic club last night.

The fight was a furious one from the start. Goddard hit Maher whenever and wherever he pleased, and knocked him out in the third round by a terrific right-hand blow on the side of the head.

For a fight that had been boomed so extensively, there was comparatively little betting.

The general opinion among sporting men who saw Goddard for the first time is that the Australian will never do to fight Corbett or Jackson.

What Did Miss Behan Pay?

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The question as to whether Miss Ada Behan paid $10,000 or even $5,000 for the privilege of sitting for the statue of Justice, which is to appear in the World's Fair, is still convulsing the Rialto. The charge was made by Miss Lillian Russell, and Miss Marie Tempest, and Mrs. Cora Tanner-Sinn have backed her up. Miss Behan positively refuses to talk on the subject.

Insubordinate Cadets Confined.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 9.—Sixteen naval cadets were placed aboard the United States ship Santee at the naval academy wharf last night to remain until further orders for insubordination. They are to continue with their studies, but are to have no intercourse with any one while thus confined.

IN SENATE AND HOUSE

Minister Egan's Treaty With Chili Ratified.

THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S REPORT.

Resume of the Work of His Department—Postmasters Appointed by the President—Lambertson Will Probably be Nominated for First Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The Senate went into executive session on the Chilian treaty and Presidential appointments just as soon as the routine business was disposed of. The only measure passed was a bill authorizing the construction of a three-span bridge 85 feet high and 1,000 feet span across the Mississippi river above New Orleans.

The treaty with Chili, which was ratified, is the one which provides for the appointment of a commission to settle the claims of citizens of the United States against Chili, negotiated by Minister Egan in Santiago.

House.

The first two hours of the session of the House produced an unusual amount of hilarity over a point of order raised by Mr. Kilgore, of Texas, that six days must elapse from the commencement of a short session before House bills coming over from a previous session could be considered.

On Mr. Kilgore stating that the Speaker of the 51st Congress had sustained this point, Mr. Reed remarked, sotto voce, that he had made so many different rulings—and Mr. Burrows closed the sentence for him by saying, "Yes, on the same subject."

The first effort during the present session to secure a quorum for the consideration of the Printing bill, also created diversion.

Judge Taylor's amendment to print the Nautical Almanac was defeated on the first vote and he insisted that a quorum be secured. It was then again defeated by a more than 2 to 1 vote. Many members offered the suggestion that if Judge Taylor would withdraw his speech they would not oppose his amendment, but the compromise was refused.

Pending consideration of the bill the House adjourned.

LEADERS TO CONFER.

Democratic Statesmen Gathering in New York for Deliberation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Senators Brice, Gorman and Carlisle, members of a special advisory committee appointed by the Democratic Senatorial caucus, have gone to New York. Senator Hill will probably follow to-day.

The object of the visit to the metropolis is to confer with ex-Secretary Whitney and such members of the National Democratic Executive Committee as can be seen, to supply Mr. Cleveland with any information he may desire as to the policy of the party in the upper house at this session, and compare views as to the necessity for holding an extra session. Speaker Crisp will go to New York to-morrow to be present at the Reform Club dinner.

No little mystery surrounded the departure of the party, and there is much speculation here as to the result of their labors in New York.

FOR ASSISTANT TREASURER.

Genio M. Lambertson, of Nebraska, Will Probably Succeed Nettleton.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The most prominent name before the President for appointment to the Assistant Secretaryship of the Treasury, made vacant by the resignation of A. B. Nettleton, is that of Genio M. Lambertson, of Lincoln. He was offered the position before Judge Crounse was appointed, but declined, owing to the ill health of his wife at that time.

Mr. Lambertson is about 45 years old, and a lawyer by profession. He now holds the position of U. S. District-Attorney for Nebraska. He has been a member of the Legislature, and acted on several occasions as special attorney for the Department of Justice.

He is supported by the entire Nebraska delegation in Congress.

PRESIDENTIAL POSTMASTERS.

A Number of Names of Appointees Sent to the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The President has sent to the Senate, among others, the following postmaster nominations:

Maine—William R. Rich, Berwick.

New Hampshire—Charles E. Slate, Winchester.

Massachusetts—James B. Parsons, Attleboro Falls; Winfred A. Torrey, South Braintree; Joseph Pettee, South Abbington Station; James C. Cooper, Chester.

Connecticut—Hubert E. Carpenter, East Hampton.

New York—Mrs. Julia A. Caney, Amsterdam; William H. Stickles, Philmont.

A Question for the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Secretary of State Foster being asked whether a modification of the treaty of 1817 with regard to armed vessels on the lakes would be an advantage to this country, replied: "That is not a question for the State Department to answer, but rather for the Senate to consider."

Gen. Boscerans' Condition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—General Boscerans' condition is about the same as it has been for the past three days. This morning he was able to sit up and partake of breakfast in his room.

Gov. Flower Declines.

ALBANY, Dec. 9.—Gov. Flower will not be present at the dinner to be given President-elect Cleveland by the Reform club in New York to-morrow night. He says that his annual message is occupying his whole time, and that he cannot leave it.

To Release Canal Boats.

ALBANY, Dec. 9.—Superintendent of Public Works Hannan has ordered the water let into the upper level of the Erie canal so that the 14 boats caught there can get out to the river and thence to New York city.

Stormy Weather in Germany.

VIENNA, Dec. 9.—Three persons were frozen to death in a storm near Reichenburg, yesterday. Bitter and stormy weather is reported from almost all parts of the Empires of Austro-Hungary and Germany.

The Bird will go into the Cage!

DIRECTIONS.—Place one edge of a visiting card along the line between the bird and the cage, and rest the tip of your nose against the other edge of the card. Hold the card so that no shadow falls on either side. Watch the bird a moment, you will see it go into the cage.

You will not believe this until you try it; neither will you believe that Cleveland's baking powder is absolutely the best until you try it. Try it!

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—The Georgia militia may disband because the Legislature refuses an appropriation for an encampment.

—The Mediterranean moth has appeared in the flour mills of California, causing a loss of thousands of dollars.

—The lawyers who secured Mrs. Florence Blythe-Hinckley an inheritance of $4,000,-000, will divide $1,000,000.

—White Caps are driving the negroes from plantations owned by Hebrews in Amite, Lincoln and Franklin counties, La.

—Dr. Philo R. Hoy, one of the best known physicians of Wisconsin, died suddenly at Racine, yesterday, aged 76 years.

—John F. Calligan, a miner in the Jackson mine at Loanaconing, Md., was killed yesterday by a fall of breast coal.

—Frank Kerner committed suicide in the Berks county, Pa., jail by hanging himself. He was serving a 12-year sentence for the murder of his wife.

—It cost William E. Russell nothing to be re-elected to the Governorship of Massachusetts, according to his affidavit.

—The strike in the Maring-Hart window glass house at Muncie, Ind., whereby 300 employes were affected, has been adjusted, and the men have returned to work.

—A $10,000 fire occurred in the stable of A. L. Tiplin at Newark, N. J., yesterday. The live stock was all saved, but the building and contents were destroyed.

—"Dr." Hale, a quack doctor from Philadelphia, was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment in London for obtaining money from patients under false pretenses.

—While Jacob Stout and Jonathan Roland were helping to erect a boiler at the Diamond steel werks, Reading, Pa., it fell. Stout was killed, and Roland was fatally injured.

—By a fall of roof coal in Lackawanna colliery, at Olyphant, Pa., David Davis was instantly killed and John Williams received injuries which may prove fatal. Both were miners.

—At Biddeford, Me., Michael Hocter, aged 16, was fatally shot by a younger sister, who playfully pointed a rifle that she thought was not loaded at his head and pulled the trigger.

—Volney E. Cushing, of Bangor, Me., Prohibition candidate for Governor of Maine in 1888, left Clark's tavern in Boston last Tuesday, since which time he has not been seen.

—Francois, the Anarchist, charged with the explosion in the Cafe Very, Paris, was taken from London to Paris under close guard, his extradition having been granted by an English magistrate.

—The appeal of Mrs. Deacon against the jurisdiction of the court at Grasse to try her on the charge preferred against her by her husband, came up at Aix, and was postponed until Feb. 1.

—Hon. Samuel Osborne, jr., of Edgartown, Mass., owner of the bark Mary Frazier, seized by the Portuguese in 1888 while coasting off the Azores, is in Washington to bring the matter before the Secretary of State.

—Hon. Rutherford B. Hayes was re-elected president of the National Prison Association and Rev. John L. Milligan of Allegheny, Pa., was chosen secretary, at Baltimore, Md.

—Seventy-four convicts in the Penitentiary at Chester, Ill., refused to do some extra work yesterday, and it became necessary to place them in solitary confinement.

—Joseph C. Willard and Frank McWilliams, both young men, are under arrest on the charge of flooding St. Paul, Minn., with bogus checks. Willard has made a partial confession.

—Near Brenham, Tex., 16 persons were hurt, one fatally, in Tuesday's cyclone. Near Denison, Tex., a cattleman named Wismer was killed by a stroke of lightning.

—Serious allegations of fraud are made against the Powerville Felt Roofing company, limited, and its officers in a bill attaching creditors filed in Chicago, by Frank P. Judson and the Bankers' National Bank.

—George Bagley, the United States Express company's faithless messenger, by advice of his attorney, pleaded guilty at Davenport, Ia., to the theft of $100,000, which he retained in his possession only 24 hours before his arrest. Sentence was reserved, but it is thought he will be imprisoned for a term not to exeed five years.

His First Accident and His Last.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 9.—Michael Ruddy, one of the oldest miners in this region, met with the first accident in his 40 years experience yesterday afternoon. A fall of the roof of coal caught him. He was so badly crushed that he will die.

Texas Silver Convention.

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 9.—The following resolution was adopted as the sense of the silver convention in session here: "We demand of the Congress of the United States the restoration of the double or bi-metallic standard, and the immediate passage of a bill for the free and unlimited coinage, at a ratio not to exceed 16 to 1, of gold, the silver coined to be a full legal tender for all debts.

Cohn Did Not Commit Suicide.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—The Coroner's jury which investigated the death of John H. Cohn, the wealthy Philadelphia lawyer, returned a verdict to the effect that death resulted from an accidental shot fired by his own hand. There was no testimony to show that Cohn had contemplated suicide.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Saturday: For New Jersey, Fair; Westerly Winds; Colder Saturday Morning; Slightly Colder Saturday Evening.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Don't miss the special sale of English broken candy at Tier's to-morrow.

—Oscar Terry has opened a high quality sea-food market at 22½ North avenue.

—Up to noon to-day Rogers's bicycle census was: No. of wheels, 221; riders, 371.

—Holiday novelties in endless variety at Lederer's, 9 West Front street. Prices to suit all.

—A fresh supply of Huyler's delicious candies, received to-day, is now on sale at the Central pharmacy.

—The place to buy your oranges, nuts, raisins, etc., is at the United Tea and Coffee Growers' association.

—The *Evening Post* refers to judge W. A. Coddington as a "popular young lawyer who has a large career before him".

—When you are shopping to-morrow, go to J. F. MacDonald's. He has a full stock of fine goods at surprisingly low prices.

—All strangers and fellow-Endeavorers are cordially invited to attend the Park Avenue Baptist Christian Endeavor meeting this evening at 8.

—That tempting display at Packer's is a centre of attraction. The china and glassware in the dining-room scene is from Gavett's elegant stock.

—The Elizabeth *Journal* shows how much it knows of Plainfield politics in the statement that judge Codington the present incumbent was reelected.

—A "little beauty" Mason & Hamlin organ suitable for a child's Christmas gift, can be bought at Hulett's for $30. It is as handsome an organ as any made.

—R. W. Rice & Co., the borough grocers, are selling Cassard's delicious hams. They are strictly first-class, and are sure to please you. Try half of one as a sample.

—A Fanwood fireman had a narrow escape from death at the burning of the Robertson house yesterday. The roof caved in with him, and he just saved himself by the skin of his teeth.

—The fair for the benefit of a poor crippled boy, held at 110 East Front street by Nellie Meschutt, Louise Wilbur, Georgie Derby and Lucilia Rockwell, cleared $16, which is very well for the little people.

—The official returns of Somerset county as filed at the county clerk's office, Somerville, have a discrepancy in the vote of North Plainfield. Sheriff Dilts received a majority of 77 in that township, and the official returns as filed only show 14.

—Edsall announces in his new advertisement to-day that he can make it decidedly to your interest to purchase from his immense stock of new and beautiful goods. He says his house excels all previous efforts in the display of articles for presents. Prices are the lowest.

—"The Power of Gold" with its real mules and canal boat, horse and cab and wealth of other realisms, has been secured for a night at Music Hall, Wednesday of next week. It is now in Brooklyn playing to the biggest houses known, and the week after it is here will open in New York for a long run.

—It was to Plainfield's disgrace that Music Hall was not packed last evening upon the appearance of Laura Schirmer-Mapleson and her fine company in English opera. The hall was only half filled, and Col. Mapleson and his artists went away with the expressed conviction that the people of this city have no tastes above "nigger minstrels" or "Uncle Tom's Cabin".

—"Tales from Town Topics", No. 6, increased in size and containing an original novelette entitled "The Sale of a Soul", has made its appearance. The novelette relates a bright story of high and low life in New York and London, and the selected matter is the best that has appeared in the old numbers of *Town Topics*. Altogether the book is a desirable entertainment.—*Town Topics*, 21 West Twenty-third street, New York.

—Signor Tomasi, musical director of the opera "Fadette" at Music Hall last night, selected a beautiful Starr piano from F. M. Hulett's elegant assortment for his use during the evening. He pronounced it an unusually fine instrument, and the critics of the audience remarked its liquid melody. The opera was very good. The solo parts were admirably taken, and the chorus was rich and strong. The entertainment was a genuine treat.

Disaster to the Tin-Plate Industry.

The steam lighter *Lizzie M. Conklin* careened at her dock at Elizabethport this morning, and dumped her cargo of "block plate" into the Sound. The plate was consigned to the new tin-plate factory at Elizabeth, and the loss is $10,000.

One of the Victims Dead.

George B. Lawson, a victim of yesterday's collision on the Jersey Central, died this morning at 10:30. The other patients are slightly improved.

A Hustler.

Hulett, the hustling piano man, is selling so many pianos that he hardly gets a chance to eat or sleep.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1236 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

MACCLYMONT IN JAYTOWN.

A Plainfield Artist Entertains the Farmers.

W. E. MacClymont took 15 Plainfield people to Westfield last evening, to hear his piano recital and concert. Edward C. Pease came home from New York in a hurry and went without his supper to sell tickets, and after all his trouble and worry found only one customer awaiting him. The imported piano from New York was delayed by the truck getting stuck in a sewer ditch at Roselle. The driver seemed to be dazed—possibly on account of the fog. Arthur Serrell and Mr. Chapman were the only ones aside from the performers in full dress; they went down to usher, but found themselves out of a job. After the piano got there, the belated performance began. The audience was made up of the 15 Plainfielders and 30 Mt. Ararat farmers. The Plainfielders broke their shins stumbling over the broken board walks of the unlighted streets. The uncultured Westfielders did n't seem to appreciate the music, which was very good. Mr. MacClymont made the mistake of going to a country village to display his talent and of not advertising in his home papers. His concert assistants were Milton H. Gruet, violinist, Raymond W. Smith, tenor, and Frank E. Drake, accompanist, all from Newark. Mr. MacClymont's closing number, "La Reveil du Lion", was especially fine. A feature of the occasion was the young Westfield boy who fell all over himself acting as "supe" on the stage.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

L. H. Biglow has again been secured as a vocal solist for the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday.

The Rev. J. A. Cubberly has resigned the pastorate of the New Market Baptist church to accept a call to a church in Ohio.

J. L. Anthony last night attended, in New York, the staff dinner of the First Brigade, N. G. S. N. Y., of which he was for years Lieut.-Col.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Schipper, who were married in Brooklyn last week, will give a reception at their home on West Seventh street some time next month.

Frank P. Haffner, having left Wetumpka lodge, 3401, K. of H., of which he was treasurer, has transferred his membership to Tuscarora lodge of New Market.

George W. Rockfellow of the Plainfield health board is in attendance at the annual meeting of the New Jersey State Sanitary association at Lakewood to-day and to-morrow.

The Rev. Dr. Bolles will lecture interestingly on "The Thames, from Source to Sea", in All Souls' church this evening The admission fee of 25 cents makes this a cheap and profitable journey.

Frank Vosseller of this city has been given a position as recorder under county clerk Gerber. This is an office remunerated per folio. Ex-councilman Elmore D. Moffett retains the salaried position.

Frank French and his sister Maude, whose birthday anniversaries were yesterday, were agreeably surprised last evening by a number of their young friends at their home, 18 Craig place.

Master Robbie Meeker, son of the street commissioner, is convalescent from an attack of tonsilitis. The physician has ceased his visits to the house, and the little fellow is up and around his room.

The Rev. Demetrius Elias Visharioff, a nobleman of Macedonia, will preach in the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening. He will appear in the costume of his country, and will give some account of religion in Macedonia.

Mrs. Abram King died this morning at 9:30, after a short illness of pneumonia. She was a member of the First Baptist church. Her loss will be mourned by a husband and two daughters, and she will be sadly missed by a wide circle of friends.

A select few of the many friends of John H. Case gave him a birthday surprise at his home, 2 Spooner avenue, Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served, and dancing and games were enjoyed until a late hour, when the guests departed having spent a most enjoyable evening.

The receptions told of in THE PRESS yesterday, to be tendered their friends by Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Schipper on their return from their wedding trip, will take place at their home, 115 West Seventh street, January 11 and 18. The bride was Miss Eechen of Brooklyn. The wedding took place at her home last Saturday evening.

The Plainfielders in the Wreck.

Elmer E. Runyon, Theodore J. Miller and Mrs. Vail are stiff and lame from their bruises received in yesterday's railroad accident, which was so fully reported in these columns last evening. Aaron Peck of Grove street was another Plainfielder who was shaken up by the collision. He was in the aisle rushing towards the door when the crash came, throwing him flat on his back. When he got up, a man staggered past him with his head wrapped in a newspaper and the blood streaming down from his chin.

It is too bad to spend half of a short life distressed with neuralgia, when a 25 cent bottle of Salvation Oil will cure it quickly.

Pretty strong reasons for trying Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. In the first place, it cures your catarrh—no matter how bad your case, or of how long standing. It doesn't simply palliate—it *cures*. If you believe it, so much the better. There's nothing more to be said. You get it for 50 cents, from all druggists.

But perhaps you won't believe it. Then there's another reason for trying it. Show that you can't be cured, and you'll get $500. It's a plain business offer. The makers of Dr. Sage's Remedy will pay you that amount if they can't cure you. They know that they can—you think that they can't. If they're wrong, you get the cash. If you're wrong, you're rid of catarrh.

Here are some of the symptoms of Catarrh: Headache, obstruction of nose, discharges falling into throat, sometimes profuse, watery, and acrid, at others, thick, tenacious, mucous, purulent, bloody, putrid, and offensive; eyes weak, ringing in ears, deafness, offensive breath; smell and taste impaired, and general debility. Only a few of these likely to be present at once.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—R. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

THE LAND OF TEA.

William D. Murray Gives Some Personal Experiences of Japan and Mr. Taft Illustrates Them.

President William D. Murray of the Y. M. C. A. entertained and interested an appreciative audience of young men at the association rooms last evening. The subject of the talk was Japan and it was beautifully illustrated with the aid of a fine magic lantern owned and operated by A. A. Taft. Following is the substance of Mr. Murray's remarks, the report of which was taken for THE PRESS by one of the youngest graduates of the Y. M. C. A. class in stenography:

"Japan has about 40 million people and is about the size of California. They have about 206 people to the square mile, while in this country we have only 18 to the square mile, which fact accounts for their poverty.

"The climate varies. Most of the people live along the part south of Yokohoma. In the northern part, where it is cold, you find but very few people.

"The government is something like England's in that they have a king, who is hereditary. He is the 123d of his line. Japan traces its history to 600 B. C. For a long time they had two rulers, one the ruling general called the Shogun, the other the king, who stayed in his palace most of the time. In 1868 the office of the Shogun was abolished and now the king goes around among the people like an ordinary ruler. Soon after there was a desire on the part of the people to have some part in the government, and in 1889 they had a constitution made, similar to that of the United States, and since that the Japanese people vote very much as we do in this country, except that they have to own some land. They also have the two houses which make the laws of Japan.

"Since 1868 they have made very great progress and they now have 20,000,000 miles of telephone wire; and 20,000 miles of telegraph. In some cities they have electric lights in the streets.

"They are a people much given to education. They had in 1890, 2,900 elementary schools, and 3,200,000 pupils in their schools. They have in Tokio a grand imperial university with 130 instructors and several hundred pupils They have about 450,000 soldiers and had a very large army in 1890. They have lighthouses along their coast and a large number of ships, most of which they have imported, and in 1890 they imported $45,000,000 worth of goods and exported a large quantity.

"Most of the boats which you see are very strange in appearance and seem very unwieldy, so much so that the government is now offering a premium to all those who will build boats in the shape of foreign ones.

"The houses of the city of Yokohoma, like most all the rest of Japan, are very closely grouped together. This is one of the open ports where foreigners can live. The Japanese government has declared that foreigners can live in only six cities in Japan—Tokio and Yokohoma being two of them. If a foreigner wants to visit in Japan, he has to go up to Tokio, the capital city, and tell the government where he wants to visit, and get a passport for one, two or three months.

"Tokio, the capital city, has a stream of water passing through the centre of it, and most of the people of Japan bathe as much as three or four times a day.

"Most of the houses are built a story and a half high and are made of wood, with thatched roofs, while some of the more wealthy have procured tiled roofs.

"Tokio being the capital city, is the finest, the Imperial Museum being one of the great attractions. Here was a collection in which we were much interested, especially in the sign posts announcing a reward for every Christian captured.

"The bank of Tokio is different from the general run of houses. It is neither foreign nor native architecture, being kind of a compromise.

"In all their villages, their streets are not laid out like our streets are, at right angles, but seem like cow paths, running in all directions.

"One of the things that the Japanese cannot get along without is their tea. Everywhere you go you see people drinking tea. If you go in a store, after making your purchases, the proprietor will perhaps ask you to come and have a cup of tea. If you stop to rest along the roadside, it is not very long before you see several little girls coming towards you, each with a little cup of tea.

"The Japanese do not figure like we do; they have what is called a counting frame. They use it for addition, subtraction, division, and every kind of figuring. If you go to a station and get three tickets at 10 cents each, the man will not say 30 cents, but will get out his frame and tell by that how much they are.

"Along the streets of Japan you see many beggars, for bread is scarce and people send their children out as acrobats to bring in what money and food they can get.

"The Japanese do everything backward to what we do. The carpenters, instead of pushing a saw, pull it, and the same way with the planes. They put their horses in the barn with their tails where we would put their heads, and they begin to read at the other side of the page from what we do, and several things they do very different from what we do.

"The principal food of Japan is rice, and they give most of their time to its cultivation. They do not lay out their fields in the way we do, but simply in any way. They spend a great portion of the summer in the black mud in the swamps in weeding their rice fields."

He spoke of their houses being scrupulously clean, described the interior of the houses, told of their construction, the different articles of furniture and their way of eating and serving their meals.

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D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

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U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Langer, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
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Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
E. A. Thorne, Secretary.

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That's What Land Used to be Given for, in the Good Old Days—Interesting Relics of Old-Time Transfers.

Heirs were formerly more free-hearted than now. One hundred years ago land was conveyed for not merely filthy lucre, but for good will, friendship and affection. There was brought to the Somerset county clerk's office about two weeks ago, several very old deeds ranging in date all the way from one hundred to one hundred and fifty years back. They were the property of J. Voorhees of Middlebush, and passed the title of property which has been in the Voorhees family for time immemorial. For all these years the deeds have been in possession of the family and have never been recorded. To preserve them a record has been made of them in the last book of deeds for Somerset county. Under the law of this State the old deeds must now be left in the office of the county clerk, because after ten years have passed and deeds are not recorded, the law regards the original conveyances as the best evidence in matters of real property, and therefore gives the custody of them to the county officer. Perhaps it is well that they were not recorded when written, as in that event they must have been destroyed with the other records at Millstone when the clerk's office of this county was burned by order of Lieut.-Col. Simcoe of the British army about the year 1780. Previous to the records being made in Millstone, it is said, all papers were filed at Perth Amboy, although there is some dispute on this point. However, they were made in Perth Amboy, Bordentown or Trenton in the early part of the seventeenth century. At one time during the early history of New Jersey the records were filed in New York city, as proved by reference to some old deeds. The only conclusion, therefore, is that in those days it made no real difference where the deeds were filed, but the filing was done at the convenience of the grantee. The surrogate of Somerset has in his possession an old conveyance of one Brokaw to Pieter Hoff dated 1750. This conveyance was made to the great-grandfather of his grandfather, in which a reference is made to a deed made in 1707 and recorded in New York city. But to return to the old deeds filed at Somerville two weeks ago. It is not an uncommon occurrence to have old deeds brought in for record, but it is rather odd that after a hundred years they should be brought to light and put upon the latest conveyance books. There are thirteen of the Voorhees deeds in all, and are in a most dilapidated condition, worn by age, and yellowed by passing years. They have been most carefully handled. They are now all entered in the books, and have been placed in one of the little sheet-iron boxes above the books, where they will remain forever. A glance through them is a feast for the relic hunter. The oldest, dated June 5, 1703, is the only one written on parchment. The sheet is about two feet square, with uneven ragged edges and written with a dark brownish ink that reminds one of ink made of berries. A great deal of labor has been expended on this old deed, as each word begins with a large flourishing capital and is very carefully executed. There is no way of telling who executed it, but it is reasonable to suppose that he who took the acknowledgment, Col. Henrey Vilken, is the man. Let us take a more minute view of this paper. It was made by Pieter Cortilliou et als to Cornelius Wychoff, June 5, 1703; the acknowledgment was taken the same day, but it was not recorded until Oct. 4, 1892, one hundred and eighty-nine years after, quite a while to deliberate whether or not it is best to have a paper recorded. Is it any wonder the law keeps them in its possession when a man is as careless as this? The conveyance begins, "Now this indenture witnesseth on the 5th day of June in the second year of the reigne of our Soverign Lady Ann now of England and Queen and in the year of our Lord 1703. Between Pieter Cortilliou, Stoffe Probasco, Theodore Polhemus, Hendrike Lott, Hendrike Hendrikat, Jacques Cortilliou, Denyse Tutnss all of the Island of Nassau in the Colony of New York and Cornelius Wychoff of the same place of the other." "In consideration of a certain sum of good and lawful money of New York." "All that lot of land known by the No. 5 lying on the *reare* of Raritan Lotts being part of a certain tract of land part in the county of Middlesex and part in the county of Summerset, in said province of East New Jersey."

Just how the maker of this deed dated 1703 arrived at the dividing lines of the two counties is not understood, because the lines of the two counties were not laid down according to the New Jersey statutes until the years 1709-1710. There is one other deed among the collection which shows that ye people of ye olden time were not as grasping, or as afraid that they would not get their rights upon the death of a parent or relative, as at the present day. Perhaps this was due in a degree to a lack of legal talent who could tell them just what their rights really were. At any rate, there were few broken wills those days, and less unhappiness among relatives. The conveyance which recites the above-mentioned generosity was dated in 1746, and was made by Cornelius Whychoff, John Wychoff, Pieter Jacobs, Gurtye wife of John Bennett, and Amatyge wife of Jacob Van——. The deed begins "To all Christian *People*—shall come greeting". "Now know ye that we" (the above named) "by and with the consent, good liking and approbation of their said husbands do jointly and severally for and in consideration of *good will and affection* which they have and do bear toward their brother John aforesaid, do freely, willingly, amicably, condescend and agree in the manner following, that is to say: He shall have the use of fifty acres at the *rere* of the plantation, for life, of the deceased our father". Nowadays it is a rare thing when a man or woman can be found who is large-hearted enough to give away his right to property. There are some, but now when a deed is drawn of this kind it must be for some valuable consideration to be valid. Therefore the sum of one dollar is the usual consideration.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

"YOUNG MRS. WINTHROP."

Final Dress Rehearsal to Take Place This Evening.

Local society is eager for the amateur performance of "Young Mrs. Winthrop" by the Union County Country club, tomorrow evening, at the Casino. It had been feared that John R. Blake, who is cast for the leading male role, would be prevented from appearing by reason of illness, but he has fortunately recovered. Following the same wise plan that was carried out last year, the Union County Country club has effectually guarded against the necessity of a postponement on account of such forced retirement of any member of the cast, by having a fully-prepared substitute for each part, ready to replace anyone thus prevented from appearing.

The play of "Young Mrs. Winthrop" may be considered a fair test of the ability of Plainfield's society amateurs, and they may well be gratified if they achieve success in so ambitious an undertaking. Their efforts will be watched with interest by a large and fashionable audience.

A private performance, or dress-rehearsal, of the play, is to be given this evening, to which a very few friends of the performers have been invited. The members of the cast will partake of a supper in the dining-room of the clubhouse immediately after the performance to-morrow night, by invitation of Harry G. Runkle.

A few tickets for the performance are still to be had at Reynold's drug store.

Praise for a Plainfielder.

[Westfield Standard.]

W. E. MacClymont is organist of the First Baptist church of Plainfield, where he has a chorus choir of twenty voices. His free organ recitals are well known and enjoyed. Mr. MacClymont has been before the public as a pianist and organist for the past twelve years, and is well known among the musical people not not only in Plainfield but in New York, where he is a member of the Manuscript society, American Composers' Choral association, and other organizations. He is also well known as a teacher of piano and organ, as in Plainfield he has a large class of pupils. Mr. MacClymont is the conductor of the Mendelssohn Male chorus which is to give three concerts at an early date.

Pennsylvania Tours to Florida.

The Pennsylvania railroad company announces its series of personally-conducted tours to Florida for January 31, February 14 and 28, March 14 and 28. The party will travel by special train of Pullman sleeping and dining cars, and they will go through via the Atlantic Coast line on fast schedule. The tourist agent and chaperon will conduct each tour in both directions, except that passengers on last tour will return independently by regular trains, and all the details will be carried out in that superior style for which these trips have become celebrated.

Excursion tickets, including railway transportation, Pullman accommodations and meals *en route* in both directions, will be sold from all principal stations on the system. They will be good only on the special trains, or on regular trains to the nearest point of connection with the special trains, and will only be accepted for the return trip on the regular returning train of that tour, except for the fifth returning, which will be good by regular trains. They will admit of a stay of two weeks in Florida, except in the case of the fifth tour, which has a longer return limit, tickets being good for return passage until May 30, 1893. For information detailing the tours application should be made to Geo. W. Boyd, A. G. P. A., Philadelphia.

District Lodge to Meet in Plainfield.

Grand chancellor C. W. Kilbourne, of the New Jersey Knights of Pythias, has called a district meeting in Perseverance lodge room, Plainfield, for December 23, comprising lodges from Elizabeth, Roselle, Keyport, Scotch Plains and the two Plainfield lodges. Interesting addresses on the order in general will be made by grand and other officers after the lodge business. A general good time will be had, and visitors will be suitably entertained.

Democratic Plainfield.

(Somerville Messenger.)

The Plainfield Democrats nominated William A. Coddington for city judge, and he was elected by the flattering majority of 151. This is surely our year, and we can elect our nominees anywhere.

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EX-REV. PECK WRITES A LETTER.

He Does n't Deny the Charges of the Health Board, But Says He Is Ready to Help Suppress Nuisances.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In your issue of Monday, Nov. 28, an article published in your paper under the head "Illegal Sewers" contains the following statement:

"The North Plainfield authorities are now after the ex-Rev. Peck, who owns the brick row on Grove street. Sewage from Peck's sess-pool oozes through into the brook. Peck has been ordered to remedy the trouble. He is dilatory. The board will give him one more notice, and then if he does not do the right thing they will correct the nuisance at his expense."

You are wrong in this respect. Ex-Rev. Peck, as you are pleased to call him, does not own the property in question, but has it under his charge.

Perhaps your article does not convey the right impression. When the houses were under construction, sewage was one of the points which Mr. Peck tried to have as perfect as possible. He consulted with different plumbers and made a contract with A. M. Griffen for the work. The plan adopted under the advice of men experienced in such matters of drainage, was to build one large sess-pool 8 feet wide by 16 feet long by 4 feet in depth, with an overflow to carry off water to drain into another sess-pool to be 8 feet wide by 12 feet long by 4 feet in depth, which latter sess-pool is not within 5 feet of the brook. The first sess-pool, in which solid matter is deposited, is not less than 12 to 20 feet from the brook. The soil is gravelly; the sess-pools are constructed according to the suggestions of practical plumbers.

Mr. Peck has no desire to do anything in any way which would be illegal or prove to be a nuisance. He will cheerfully cooperate with the health authorities in any way to abate any nuisance, on the property under his care, if any exists.

Complaints have been made to Mr. Peck on account of stenches arising from the brook. Immediately on the report he requested Mr. Griffen to see what the trouble might be. Mr. Griffen took Mr. Peck and a gentleman with him to Stiger's lane and showed him where a sewer emptied into the brook, and Mr. Griffen assured Mr. Peck that within a short distance over twenty sewers pour into the brook from Plainfield. Furthermore, he took him to a lot in the rear of the property on Grove street and pointed to an open sewer which emptied into the brook from Plainfield.

Mr. Peck consulted a prominent lawyer of Plainfield in regard to the matter. The reply given was: "Mr. Peck, you cannot fight a corporation, nor can you fight the city of Plainfield. To my certain knowledge the city of Plainfield receives money for permission to connect with the sewer which empties into the brook through Stiger's lane."

In your article you say that "Counselor Reed is hunting up a law for prosecution." Mr. Peck will be only too glad if counselor Reed is successful in the matter. [The reference to prosecution was in connection with an entirely different case.—Ed.]

Has not the time come when the city of Plainfield should obey the law of the State and that provision should be made for proper drainage, not only for the city of Plainfield but for the borough of North Plainfield? Mr. Peck will most heartily join and be glad to pay his share of the expense to accomplish the result.

The borough of Roselle has recently voted to build a main trunk sewer for the drainage of property in that borough, at which election *resident property-holders* were entitled to a vote. Between 20 and 30 women went to the poles and voted for the sewer, much to the delight of Mr. Peck, whose wife, owning property in Roselle, had no right to a vote because a non-resident.

If the same law will apply to the borough of North Plainfield I think I can safely say that the owner of the property, the wife of Mr. Peck would only be too happy to cast a vote for proper sewage.

Why not call the attention of the State board of health to the matter if there be no other way to stop the nuisance?

AARON PECK.

Winter Excursion Book of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

A very valuable book for those contemplating either an extended winter trip or a short visit to the sunny South has just been issued by the Pennsylvania Railroad company. Many useful suggestions and information are contained in the little volume, which is copiously illustrated and provided with a valuable map of all the territory under consideration. Copies may be obtained at the ticket offices of the company, or upon application to Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, 233 South Fourth street, Philadelphia.

A Beautiful Piano.

In the window of the handsome music store of F. M. Hulett is a magnificent baby grand piano of the famous Kranich & Bach make. This is said to be very fine manufacture.

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This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price, 50c. and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Avenue, opposite railroad station. 5-16-y

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

WRECK OF A FREIGHT TRAIN.

Another Accident on the New Jersey Central.

Another wreck occurred on the Central railroad at Claremont at 5:20 this morning. This time it was a Lehigh Valley freight train. While running at a high rate of speed west-bound, one of the forward trucks of a freight car jumped the track as it crossed the switches near the tower, throwing the car from the tracks and displacing several other cars, throwing them in a diagonal position across all the tracks. The wreckage blocked all the tracks effectively, and the Washington Blue Line and all passenger trains were switched off on the Newark and New York branch, and went by the way of Newark. It was reported that the brakeman was injured.

Travel was delayed two hours, and the absence of fog prevented more serious difficulty, as several passenger trains followed close behind and on the same schedule.

Naval Officials Dine in Plainfield.

The Ordnance Board of the United States Army visited the Pond Machine Tool Works in this city yesterday afternoon, and besides enjoying a detailed study of every department made an official inspection of the government work being done by the company for the ordnance United States arsenal. The company has for many months been building giant lathes to turn out the big government guns. After the inspection, the officers were given a dinner by Mr. Maxwell for the company, at the Union County Country club-house. Those present were Major Comly, commandant of Governor's Island and of the New York arsenal, where the tests of the new guns are made, Captain Heath, Captain Morrison, Captain Crozier, Lieut. Wheeler and Lieut. Greble, with E. L. Maxwell, A. C. Stebbins, D. W. Pond and H. S. Manning from the company. The dinner was fully up to the club standard, and that is encomium enough.

Another Sociable "Tea".

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Demarest proved themselves most excellent entertainers at their home, 14 Craig place, last evening, when they threw open their doors to the Ladies' Christian Work society of Trinity Reformed church, and their friends. The event was one of the sociable "teas" of the society. Considering the weather, the attendance was large. Everyone was in high sociable humor, and the evening was most pleasantly passed. Refreshments were served in abundance. As doorkeepers, Messrs. F. A. Church and Bert Demarest were a great success. They received each comer, introduced him, and reminded him of his "obligation" in great shape. A pleasant portion of the evening's entertainment was the instrumental music and college songs.

The Guests Beat Their Hosts.

The Somerset bowling club's team from Somerville, went to Dunellen last evening and met their friends, the enemy, of that township, with the following result:

SOMERSET.		DUNELLEN.	
C. VanArsdale	115	C. D. Taylor	162
G. Miller	156	U. G. Tingley	105
McAllen	99	J. Lanagan	141
Goodman	129	N. Giles	119
Brown	126	A. Palmer	85
Smith	172	W. Giles	152
Pierce	157	G. Taylor	120
W. Miller	108	C. Giles	150
W. Brown	122	E. Young	152
W. Gulick	151	J. McCann	126
	1335		1312

Bowling at the Crescent Club.

Last night's practice game among the League bowlers resulted as follows:

VanDervoort	157	Sutphen	139
Bedford	160	Codington	124
Brett	129	Buckle	137
Rogers	151	Woolston	123
Stevens	158	Mundy	141
	755		664

Costing Thousands to Get Another Way Over the Brook.

It is said that the commissioners will allow J. C. Dyer about $4,300 for his property on Craig place, North Plainfield, through which will run the extension of Madison avenue to Duer street. Mr. Dyer wants $9,000 for his whole possessions there—dwelling house and all—but by law the township can only purchase the land. The fences, flagging, house, etc., Mr. Dyer can move away. The award seems to be a just one.

A Socialist Wants to Argue.

Chas. H. Matchett of Brooklyn, the Socialistic Labor candidate for vice president at the last election, will speak at Odd Fellows' Hall, Second street, at 8 tomorrow evening, in the interest of the Socialistic Labor party. Everybody is invited, and any who may feel disposed to debate the matter with the speaker will be afforded an opportunity to do so. Fair play is guaranteed to any respectable opponent.

Afraid of Her Husband.

Officers Kiely and Frederickson, at the request of Mrs. Walden of Spooner avenue, arrested her husband for being drunk and disorderly and trying to break in where she was. Mrs. Walden says her life is in danger from him. Walden is in the city jail awaiting a hearing this afternoon at 5 when his wife will be able to have her witnesses present.

Still Further Improvement.

Geo. H. Babcock has decided to make his new stores on West Front street near Madison avenue 160 feet in depth. This will necessitate the old Laing's hall being removed 50 feet farther to the rear.

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20th Day of December Next

The names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal

In cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

Fourth Tuesday In November Next

(the 22d), and sit from 2 o'clock p. m until o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,
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Administrators' Sale.

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The undersigned administrators of Job Male, deceased, hereby give notice that the articles comprising the art collection of Cloisonne, known as the "Schoonmaker collection, purchased by the late Mr. Male for over $9,000, will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidders on

Thursday Afternoon and Evening,

DEC. 15th inst.,

At Carey's Auction Rooms,

Corner of West Front street and Grove street, Plainfield, N. J., beginning at 2 o'clock p. m.

The articles are those previously exhibited at the Job Male Art Gallery, and will be on exhibition at Carey's auction rooms beginning Thursday morning, December 8 instant, at 9 o'clock. Catalogues may be had on application to either of the undersigned, or to the auctioneer.

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9 35 A. M. FAST LINE, with Pullman Vestibule parlor and sleeping cars, daily for Pittsburg, Columbus, Cleveland, Indianapolis, Chicago and St. Louis, daily, except Saturday for Toledo.

12 03 P. M. WESTERN EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, dining car to Philadelphia daily for Pittsburg, Chicago, Cleveland Cincinnati, Memphis and St. Louis, daily except Saturday, for Toledo.

9 43 P. M. PACIFIC EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, daily for Pittsburg, Memphis, Chicago, and Toledo, daily except Saturday, for Cleveland and Columbus.

For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1 06, 6 07, 7 09, 9 06, A. M., and 9 39 P. M. On Sunday at 1 06, 6 09, 9 45 A. M., 9 09 P. M.

For Philadelphia—1 06, 6 07, 7 04, 9 06, 9 55, 10 06, 11 07 A.M.; 12 05, 1 39, 4 04, 5 17, 7 40, 8 45, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 06, 6 09, 9 06, 9 55, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40 7 47 and 9 39 P. M.

FOR ATLANTIC CITY.

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For Trenton—1 06, 6 07, 7 10, 7 39, 9 06, 9 55, 11 07 A. M.; 12 05 1 39, 3 45, 4 04, 5 17, 6 07, 7 40, 9 43, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 06, 6 09, 9 06, 9 55, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 7 47 and 9 39 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—1 06 A. M.; 5 04 and 5 17 P. M.

For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P. M.

For Flemington—7 39 A. M.; 2 04 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden via Trenton—7 39, 11 07 A. M., 1 39, 5 04, 7 40 P. M. Sundays at 10 41 A. M. and 7 47 P. M.

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For further information, see time tables to be had at the ticket offices.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 6 36, 6 05, 8 29, 9 09 7 36, 7 56, 8 14, 8 37, 9 31, 9 44, 9 59, 10 04, 10 27 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 13, 1 02, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 48, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 12 11 28 P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 8 52, 11 16, 11 45 A. M., 12 05, 1 42, 3 30, 6 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 23, 9 23, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 30, 9 55, 10 09, 11 35 A.M., 1 05, 1 35, 3 30, 3 35, 4 05, 4 33, 5 05, 5 35, 6 50, 8 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 45, 9 50, 10 30, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 3 35, 4 10, 5 40, 8 05, 9 15, 10 00 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 10, 9 17, 9 42, 11 a.m. 12 27 1 39, 2 23, 3 45, 4 26, 5 03, 5 30, 5 34, 6 04, 6 20, 6 38, 7 14, 8 30, 9 27, 11 15, 12 05 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 28, 9 34, 11 15 A.M., 2 05, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 20, 7 08, 7 35, 7 35, 7 48 8 20, 9 08, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 54, 12 28, 3 05, 3 35, 4 50, 5 24, 6 05, 6 45, 12 08, P. M. Sunday, 8 25, 11 15 A. M., 12 08, 2 16, 4 50, 6 45, 8 02, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—9 45, 5 28 A. M., 2 05, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 39, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 6 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 43 A. M. for Flemington, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 30 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 30 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays to High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 5, 11 06, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 07, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 9 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 5 38, 8, 11 06 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16, 5 57, 7 05 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 06 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 20, 9 45, 10 45, a. m., 1 50*, 3 04, 5 24*, 6 20*, 8 50, *9 07 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 45, 11 15 a. m., 3 05*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 20, 9 45, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 50, 3 04, 5 24, 6 20, *9 07 p. m., 1 17 night. Sunday—9 45, 11 15 a. m., 3 05*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 45, a. m., 9 16, 4 13, 5 24* (6 20* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night. Sundays—9 45 a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 14* (6 55 Baltimore only) p. m., 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 30, 11 00, a. m., 1 30, 3 15*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 9 02, 8 45, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 9*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 9 20, 9 20, 11 18, a m 1 25*, 4 20, 5 12, 11 45, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 3 15*, 4 20, 5 15*, p. m.

1Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 00, 9 02, 10 12, 11 50, a. m. 3 08, 4 08*, 4 40, 5 54, 6 50, 9 02, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m. 4 08*, 8 12, 7 07, 9 00* p. m.

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DEMOCRATIC SACHEMS

Conference in New York Over the Situation.

SENATORIAL CONTESTS DISCUSSED.

Messrs. Brice, Carlisle, Gorman and Whitney Will Meet Again To-day—President-Elect Cleveland at the Conference—He Is Believed to be Opposed to an Extra Session of Congress.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Senator J. G. Carlisle of Kentucky, Senator A. F. Gorman of Maryland and Senator Calvin S. Brice of Ohio, the Committee of the Democratic Caucus in Washington who have been in conference with Democratic leaders here, will meet again to-day.

The Senators did not call on Mr. Cleveland, but it is understood that the President-elect called at Mr. Whitney's house and saw them there.

Ex-Secretary Whitney last night communicated the fact that the only question considered related to the Senatorial contests in Nebraska, Kansas, Montana, Wyoming and California.

The extra session, tariff, silver question and Speakership were deferred. Mr. Whitney said a vigorous effort will be made to prevent the Republicans from "stealing" the Senatorships, as he expressed it. Senator Gorman made a similar statement.

While the Senators were conferring with Mr. Whitney, Congressman Breckenridge had a talk with Mr. Cleveland.

He said to a reporter last evening that he is opposed to an extra session and his views are believed to be in accord with those of the President-elect.

Mr. Breckenridge thinks that the initiative in legislation should come from the President, whose suggestions and recommendations should be adopted, and, from what he said, the inference was drawn that Mr. Cleveland does not believe in an extra session.

The Kentuckian said no fight would be made against Crisp, but he believed a Speaker should be elected whose views are in complete accord with those of the President.

THE ALLEGATIONS DENIED.

Bay State Paupers Not Being Dumped Into New York City.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 10.—Superintendent of Indoor Poor Wrightington was seen at his office in the State House last evening and made acquainted with the substance of the allegations from New York that Massachusetts was dumping her paupers into that State and city. The reporter showed Mr. Wrightington the despatch from New York alleging that that city was getting more than her share of the pauper population of the Old Bay State, and also alleging that the officials of this State were aiding and abetting these paupers to take up their residence in New York.

"I do not care to talk to any extent," said Mr. Wrightington, "unless there have been special charges made, but I never knew of any paupers being sent to New York or anywhere else from this State that did not belong where they were sent. There is certainly no systematic dumping of the poor of this State onto the city of New York."

MRS. MAYBRICK DYING.

Reported That the Imprisoned Woman Cannot Survive Much Longer.

LONDON, Dec. 10. — The Baroness de Roques has again visited her daughter, Mrs. Maybrick, at Woking Prison.

The Baroness reports that the condition of Mrs. Maybrick is worse, that she is unable to retain food, and is prostrated with spasms of the heart.

The Baroness has no hope that her daughter will survive.

It has been learned that Mr. Foster, the American Secretary of State, has instructed the American Legation here to intervene on behalf of Mrs. Maybrick with Rosebery, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

The Home Office refuses to give out any information about Mrs. Maybrick.

Kentucky Fair Appropriation Contest.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 10.—The contest over the World's Fair Appropriation bill for $100,000 has been decided by the Court of Appeals. The court, with a dissenting opinion by Judge Pryor, and a separate opinion by Judge Sennett, reversed the lower court, and refused the maadamus on the ground that the bill was not passed in conformity with the constitution.

Senator Gibson Much Better.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 10.—Senator Gibson's condition is considerably improved to-day. The attending physicians say there is hope of his recovery, unless a change for the worst comes within the next forty-eight hours. He partook freely of nourishment to-day and seemed to be gaining strength. His relatives and friends are now hopeful of his recovery.

Accident to a Revenue Cutter.

BOSTON, Dec. 10.—United States Revenue cutter Dexter, which has been repairing here, broke her seacock yesterday and commenced to fill rapidly, the water reaching her fireroom doors before a tug with pumping apparatus arrived. She was cleared with some difficulty and placed on the Marine railway. The accident was caused by corrosion.

Killed by a Falling Tree.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., Dec. 10.—While cutting mine props at Thompson, on the Jefferson branch of the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad, yesterday, Fred Crozier was crushed and instantly killed by a tree falling. He was 25 years of age and had been married but a few months.

Gold in Forbidden Lands.

EL RENO, O. T., Dec. 10.—The gold excitement in the Wichita mountains, about 75 miles southwest of here, is increasing in volume. The new Eldorado lies within the forbidden territory belonging to the Kiowa and Commanche Indian reservation.

Explorers Murdered.

HAMBURG, Dec. 10.—Intelligence reaches here in private letters that all the members of the Jacques Joubert Bia Expedition to the Upper Congo have been massacred by the natives.

Price of Whiskey Advanced.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 10.—The Whiskey Trust has advanced the price of whiskey 2 cents a gallon.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.
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PARKHURST TO BYRNES.

The Clergyman Again Scores New York's Police Superintendent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Dr. Parkhurst has given out a statement in reply to Superintendent Byrnes in which he says:

"In his latest statement Mr. Byrnes jumps from vituperation to theology. It possible he is a worse theologian than he is a Police Superintendent. There is such a thing as the gospel and there is such a thing as the law. Both are good when kept distinct, but both are spoiled by being mixed.

"The gospel requires us to deal leniently with sinners. Mr. Byrnes deals leniently with sin, which is another matter. His business is to take iniquity and make it execrable in the public estimation; which is exactly what he is not doing and has not the slightest idea of doing.

"His business is to make law majestic. He makes it contemptible. He plays with infractions of it, and, unless the March grand jury were utterly at fault, he stands at the head of a department that coins wealth ont of the very vices it is constituted to suppress.

"We cannot have an effective police department until the animated head of it is a moral inspiration to the force."

CONVICT BURKE DEAD.

He Was Sent Up for Life for Implication in the Cronin Murder.

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 10.—Martin Burke, convict No. 45, who was received here Jan. 14, 1890, with Patrick O'Sullivan and Dan Coughlin for the murder of Dr. Cronin in the Carlson cottage in Chicago, died in the prison hospital last night of consumption.

He was admitted to the hospital Sept. 20. He made no confession, but on the contrary protested his innocence to the last.

Of the three men given life sentence for the murder of Dr. Cronin, Daniel Coughlin is the only one now alive, Patrick O'Sullivan having succumbed to consumption six months ago.

Burke is the 14th person connected with the Cronin trial who has died since that famous case ended.

When the news of his coming death was made public last month every known means was resorted to to secure a confession which would lift the blood-stained curtain from the Cronin mystery and reveal the inner workings of the deadly conspiracy in all the hideous detail.

He always maintained, however, that his sentence was an unjust one and that it did not lie in his power to place the crime on those who should be burdened with it.

AFTER 33 YEARS.

Mrs. Polly Frisch Pardoned from Prison by Gov. Flower.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 10.—Gov. Flower has pardoned Polly Frisch, who in 1859 was indicted in Genesee county for killing her husband and two children by poisoning them with arsenic.

Four trials were had, upon the last of which she was convicted and sentenced to be executed.

An application was made to Gov. Morgan for clemency. He caused an investigation to be made by an expert, who reported that the prisoner was insane, and her sentence was thereupon commuted to imprisonment for life.

She was at first sent to the prison at Sing Sing but afterwards was transferred to the Kings County Penitentiary and has now served an imprisonment of more than thirty-three years.

Dr. Homer L. Bartlett has assured the governor that she is now sane and her friends are ready to give her a home.

A New Power Company Formed.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 10.—A company, with $1,000,000 capital, has been formed to construct a dam across the Housatonic river between Oxford and Monroe or Newton, for the purpose of creating an immense water power which, in turn, is to be used in the generation of electricity for power purposes at long distances.

The Bogus Diploma Factory Located.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 10.—The man Van Angelbach recently mentioned in a London cablegram as connected with a diploma factory, has been located at Pella, Iowa, where he has been operating for some time, granting certificates to many applicants. He will be arrested.

Chili Will Now Protect Our Sailors.

VALPARAISO, Dec. 10.—The authorities intend to take every precaution to protect the sailors of the white squadron of the United States when they are on shore. An extra police guard will be on duty at the low portion of the town where loafers and unemployed sailors resort.

Yale and Princeton Return Thanks.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 10.—Managers of the Yale and Princeton football teams have sent a congratulatory letter to the University Athletic Club of New York praising the association for the satisfactory manner in which the Thanksgiving Day match was carried out.

Detectives Can't Find a City Clerk.

LONG ISLAND CITY, L. I., Dec. 10.—City Clerk Burke is still keeping in hiding to avoid the service of Judge Bartlett's order of peremptory mandamus to have the election returns corrected in eleven districts. Detectives have been unable to find him.

Horses and Cattle Perish.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 10.—The large barn of Finlayson, Bonsfield & Co. was burned to the ground at an early morning hour. A valuable horse and colt, twelve head of cattle and fifteen hogs perished in the flames.

Amsterdam's Treasury Bankrupt.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., Dec. 10.—The city treasury of Amsterdam is bankrupt. The Common Council is in a dilemma to raise money to pay the city employes. Every one whom the city owes is howling for

MARSHAL HILLIARD INDIGNANT.

He Speaks His Mind Concerning the Trickey-McHenry Affair.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 10.—When City Marshal Hilliard was spoken to in relation to the alleged McHenry proceedings in the grand jury room, he was in an indignant frame of mind.

He said he cared nothing about Detective McHenry's private affairs nor about the detailed statements that passed between the reporter and detective. He did want to report, however, that as far as McHenry's relations with the government case against Miss Borden were concerned they were perfectly honorable and satisfactory to the authorities. The attempts made to throw discredit on the government because of its connection with the Trickey-McHenry affair would certainly fail.

"The story as published does not begin to represent the evidence presented to the Grand Jury and the root of the trouble lies far deeper than even hinted at in the published reports."

The Marshal went further and said attempts were made to bribe the officers in this city during the early stages of their investigation, and he based his statements on those made to his men. How to prevent such attempts is a serious problem. He could only place the words of his men against those who approach them.

When he was asked if the whole of the Trickey-McHenry case before the jury would ever come out, he said:

"The story is known to two or three men besides myself, and I am quite sure I shall say nothing until the Borden cases have been settled. If I were McHenry I would certainly give to the public all that I know of the transactions after the main cases are tried.

"You can take my word for it that when he does speak neither the Government nor McHenry will be the sufferers."

HALL AND FITZSIMMONS.

Articles Satisfactory to all Concerned, and the Fight Now Certain.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 10.—Hall's articles to fight Fitzsimmons differ but little from those originally forwarded to him.

He agrees to make a satisfactory deposit with the club, guaranteeing his appearance, and also provides that the club shall deposit $5,000 to be divided between the pugilists in case anything happens to prevent the match.

He also fixes the weight at 160 pounds. There is nothing now in the articles to which either the club or Fitzsimmons will object, so that the match is now regarded as certain.

The club has given its word to heed the request of the Carnival societies, and will arrange the sport to either take place two weeks before or the same period after the Mardi Gras.

MAY IMPEACH MAYOR GOURLEY.

Pittsburg People Angry Because Disorderly Houses Are Not Closed.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 10.—A movement is on foot in the West end and South side to impeach Mayor Gourley, Chief Brown, Roger O'Mara and other officers of the Department of Public Safety for allowing the laws and ordinances against disorderly houses to remain inoperative and a practical dead letter for the past five years.

Considerable money has been subscribed for the employment of counsel, and a prominent South side minister is authority for the statement that the suits will be pushed unless some decided action is taken toward suppressing the houses.

Failure of a Fraudulent Firm.

HAMBURG, Dec. 10.—A sensation has been caused here by the suspension of Carow & Bartels, stock brokers. Carow has absconded. Bartels has surrendered. The frauds extend over a long period. It is alleged that yesterday the firm obtained from banks by fraudulent representations securities to the value of 400,000 marks. The liabilities amount to 7,500,000 marks.

Big Natural Gas Well.

BUFFALO, Dec. 10.—The Erie County Natural Gas Fuel Company, which supplies this city, has just struck one of the biggest natural gas wells ever found in their territory on the Canadian side of the river. Experts estimate that the flow will be at least ten million feet daily. Arrangements for the shooting of other wells are being made.

Mrs. Cleveland to Visit in Buffalo.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., Dec. 10.—Mrs. Cleveland leaves here to-day for Buffalo and will stay there for at least three weeks. Last night she was given a parting dinner. It was fully expected that Mr. Cleveland would be present, but at the last moment word was received from New York that he could not get away.

Hail Stones Like Cannon Balls.

BRENHAM, Tex., Dec. 10.—A number of hail stones were brought in town yesterday which fell during the cyclone Tuesday. Although two days old, they weighed more than a pound, and when they fell embedded themselves six inches in the ground. They penetrated roofs like cannon balls, and a large number of stock was killed.

St. Mary Market Gang Convicted.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 10.—The Fitzgerald case, which has been on trial for a week, was brought to a conclusion last night by the conviction, without capital punishment, of the accused members of the St. Mary Market gang. They are John Donelan, Dennis Donohue and Joe Johns. The jury was out little over an hour.

Damages Secured After 18 Years.

BOSTON, Dec. 10.—In the United States Circuit Court, in the case of Alfred Vallance vs. the Boston & Albany Railroad Company, the jury has given the plaintiff a verdict of $7,500 for the loss of an arm. The accident occurred eighteen years ago.

WANDERED AWAY AGAIN

Second Disappearance of Julia Hall from New Canaan.

NEIGHBORS SCOURING THE COUNTRY

Since Her Return the Young Woman Has Been Acting Strangely—Yesterday She Slipped Away from Home—Thought That She Is Insane.

NORWALK, Conn., Dec. 10.—Miss Julia Hall, daughter of A. L. Hall, president of the New Canaan National Bank, has again disappeared, and the whole town, headed by Rev. Mr. Rower of the Methodist Church and the girl's father, has organized and is searching the woods and adjoining towns.

On Thursday evening Nov. 24, Miss Hall, with a shawl thrown loosely over her head, stepped quietly out of the back door of her home and was not found until the following Sunday afternoon, when her friends traced her to the Neptune House on the Glen Island Ferry road in New Rochelle, where she had wandered during what was said to be temporary aberration of the mind.

Since she returned to her parents, Miss Hall has acted strangely. Yesterday afternoon a friend of hers, a Bridgeport young lady who has been visiting the family for several days, left for home. She had been gone scarcely an hour when it was discovered that Miss Hall was not in the house and, as a close watch had lately been kept over her movements, her absence created great alarm.

Her whereabouts not being learned by members of the family, the neighbors were again appealed to and are now scouring the country for miles around.

Last spring, owing to ill health, she was obliged to give up a position which she had long held in the borough postoffice, and also that of librarian of the Free Reading room.

She is a lady of culture and education, a prominent and active member of the Methodist Church and Epworth League and a leader in the society of her native town.

For several weeks she has had occasional attacks of some trouble which seemed to affect her brain, and it is feared that she is insane.

BOUGHT BY A SYNDICATE.

Brooklyn Street Railroads Passing Into Control of One Corporation.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 10.—It is reported that a syndicate, with a cash capital of $22,000,000, has already secured control of the Brooklyn City Railroad company, which operates a dozen or more lines, for $10,000,000. The syndicate is also said to be negotiating for the Franklin and Dekalb avenue lines.

If the syndicate is successful it will reorganize with a stock of $29,000,000.

The parties in the syndicate are said to be Chris Magee of Pittsburg, the Arbuckles, certain Pennsylvania railroad officials, the estate of William L. Scott, William C. Whitney; Drexel, Morgan & Co., J. & W. Seligman, Belmont & Co., Nathan Phelps, and the First National Bank of New York City.

Weaver Gets the North Dakota Electors.

BISMARCK, Dec. 10.—The official returns on the recount of the votes of Nelson county give a sufficient majority to elect all the Weaver electors. The pluralities are: Burnet, 15; Williams, 59; Pondestvedt, 88. The only unsettled contest is in Emmons county, but a recount there would slightly increase the Weaver plurality.

A Cook Fatally Burned.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 10.—Mrs. Nellie Sullivan, a widow, night cook at McNeney's restaurant, was fatally burned at midnight. While throwing grease on the fire, her clothing caught, burning her in a horrible manner. Her hair was burned off and she was terribly burned about the body and back.

Held Up by Highwaymen.

PASSAIC, N. J., Dec. 10.—James Wynne and Henry Train of this place, while on the way home last night from Jersey City, were held up by highwaymen. The robbers compelled them to surrender their money and valuables at the pistol's point. The highwaymen escaped.

Rolling Mill Combine.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 10.—A syndicate of capitalists in New York are pushing a deal to purchase entire all the rolling mill and blast furnace properties located in this vicinity and unite them in a mammoth combination under one management.

Deputy Sheriffs to Guard Imported Miners

MONONGAHELA CITY, Pa., Dec. 10.—A. C. Wolf, R. L. Thompson, Marshall Cox and Joseph Swihart have been sworn in as deputy sheriffs and sent to the Cincinnati mines, near Courtney, to protect the men imported by operators in that neighborhood.

Cotton Factories Booming.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Dec. 10.—There is a large advance in the cotton factory stocks in Augusta. Some of the securities have advanced as much as $20 a share in the last two weeks. The big boom in cotton is the cause.

Rector Ahlwardt Gets Five Months.

BERLIN, Dec. 10.—Rector Ahlwardt was adjudged guilty of libelling the Loew firm of gunmakers and Lieut.-Col. Kuhne, as charged by the prosecution, and was sentenced to five months' imprisonment.

Bridge Jumper McLaughlin Insane.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Daniel McLaughlin, the Englishman from Roanoke, Va., who jumped from the Brooklyn Bridge on Thursday last, has been declared insane by the experts in Bellevue hospital.

Emin Pasha Dead Again.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Post says that a report of Emin Pasha's death has been received in London. According to this report Emin was killed last March near the Ituri river by the Manyema.

Twenty Thousand Christmas Trees.

RONDOUT, N. Y., Dec. 10.—More than twenty carloads of Christmas trees have been shipped to New York from different points in the Catskills. Each car holds about 1,000 trees.

Pendsylvania's State Debt.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 10.—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund announce that during the year ended Nov. 30, $1,417,806 of the State debt was redeemed.

Everything used in making Cleveland's baking powder is named on the label. Cleveland's is simply a pure cream of tartar powder. No alum, no ammonia.

Food raised with Cleveland's Baking Powder does not dry out quickly, but keeps moist and fresh.

PRIMROSE MINE FIRE.

Discovered Just as the Men Were Separating for Their Work.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 10.—At an early hour fire was discovered in the airshaft of the Lytle Coal Company's colliery, located at Primrose, a mile and a half west of Minersville.

A gang of men had been lowered to the foot of the slope and were separating to their work in different parts of the mine, when the fire was discovered near the foot of the airshaft.

The alarm was immediately given and means at once taken to subdue the flames before they gained too much headway.

This is the same colliery which was flooded on April 20 by the bursting in of a body of water, by which ten miners were drowned.

A Lightship Master Dismissed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Secretary Foster has dismissed from the Lighthouse service Barzilla Howes, Master of the Scotland Lightship at the entrance of New York harbor. Howes was charged with complicity in allowing his men to be swindled by a boarding house keeper.

The Rock Island Strike.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 10.—The Rock Island has an agent at Council Bluffs engaging new telegraphers and sending them to offices in Nebraska and Iowa. Trains are running much as usual, according to the railroad officials.

Two Buried in a Sewer.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 10.—While building a sewer James Beal and August Ross were buried alive by the caving in of the sewer trench. The bodies were not recovered until an hour and a half had passed. Both men were suffocated.

Russian Judge Murdered.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 10.—Maj. Gen. Droscowsky, a special judge sent to Tashkend to try various offenders, has been murdered in his house.

The Monterey's Trial Trip.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The trial trip of the Monterey, built at the Union Iron works, San Francisco, will occur Dec. 15.

Home Rule Bill Drafted.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Irish Home Rule bill has been drafted and circulated among the members of the Cabinet.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—The expected strike of the Savannah, Florida & Western railroad engineers has been averted.

—The Presbyterian women of Cincinnati are overwhelming Professor Smith with flowers during his heresy trial.

—South Dakota, Northern Nebraska and Western Iowa are suffering from a scarcity of coal due to the recent blizzard.

—The Grand Trunk Railway's property at Rockland, Me., has been attached for $325,000 supposed to be for the State tax.

—Archbishop Katzer of Milwaukee does not agree with Monsignor Satolli's indorsement of the Fairbault School System.

—Morris F. Tyler, a leading lawyer of New Haven, Conn., has been elected Professor of Jurisprudence in the Yale Law School.

—The heirs of Albert Guntrup, who was killed in the Ravenna, N. Y., disaster, July 3, 1891, have settled with the Erie company for $8,000.

—The Yale football eleven were the guests of H. H. Higginson of Harvard, at a dinner in Boston last night in company with the Harvard team.

—Samuel H. Crane, proprietor of the Elliot House in New Haven, Conn., is dead. He was well-known in hotel and theatrical circles all over the country.

—The passenger steamer General struck upon Swallow Rock in the Athens channel opposite Hudson, N. Y., Thursday evening and narrowly escaped a frightful accident.

—A mortgage of $15,000,000 to Adrian Iselin, Sr., and George G. Haven of New York, has been made by the Metropolitan West Side Elevated Railroad company of Chicago.

—Charles E. Whitehead, son of ex-Judge Henry M. Whitehead, committed suicide by shooting himself on Thursday afternoon in a secluded part of the woods near Stapleton, S. I.

—The case against Rev. Levi Bird of Auburn, N. Y., for libelling the Aldermen of that city came to an end by his lawyer making for him an abject apology, in which he intimated that Mr. Bird's mind was diseased.

Tardy Election Returns in New York.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 10.—The Secretary of State is still waiting for Kings, Ulster and Allegheny counties to file their election returns, and until they do so there is no absolute result upon the election to be obtained.

Sisters Burned to Death.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, O., Dec. 10.—The dress of Mrs. E. S. Almutt caught fire from a stove Thursday night and she was burned to death. Her sister was fatally burned while attempting to extinguish the flames.

Gen. Rosecrans' Condition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—General Rosecrans rested easier than usual last night and is a little better this morning.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Red Cross bazar netted more than $300.

—Buy your Christmas goods at home, of PRESS advertisers.

—A fine assortment of holiday goods may be found at Swain's.

—A missionary lecture will be given in the First Presbyterian church Wednesday evening.

—At Rand's you will find a fine stock of stationery, games and toys, suitable for holiday gifts.

—The handsomest stock of pianos can be found at Hulett's 74 West Front street, Schepflin's block.

—Dr. Huribut—"In the Bible school, I believe in putting the women in charge of boys, and men in charge of girls."

—It is a fact; you can get the best makes of pianos, and at lower prices than can be had anywhere else, at Hulett's.

—A regular communication of Anchor lodge, F. & A. M., of this city, will be held in Masonic Hall, Tuesday evening next, at 7:45.

—The Central railroad adjuster was in Plainfield to-day settling with those who claim any damage by the collision of Thursday.

—Dr. Huribut says that he does n't know of anything that will give a man more exercise than to put him in charge of a live class.

—U. B. Crane, the Park avenue hatter and furnisher, has solid sole-leather trunks and real alligator hand bags at New York prices.

—A decorative text has been painted on the arch above the pulpit in the Congregational church. It will be the text for the sermon to-morrow.

—Searchers after Christmas gifts will find just what they want at Reynolds's pharmacy. The assortment is as large and varied as in New York.

—The Y. P. S. C. E., connected with the Park Avenue Baptist church has changed the time of meeting from Friday to Sunday evening at 6:45 p. m.

—Never was known before: Plainfield has never had a finer music store than that of F. M. Hulett. He has the most complete and the largest stock.

—A fair that is sure to be enjoyable to all who attend will be held at Bethel chapel Dec. 15 and 16, by the Earnest Workers, assisted by the Auxiliary society.

—Orange is to have a cable road up the mountains, with fine observation cars Such a road here would speedily build up the Watchung heights back of North Plainfield.

—Every trolleyman, conductor, policeman, postman, fireman, in fact, every man who is compelled to be exposed to the elements, should see a pair of those water-proof, cold-proof, cork-sole shoes at Doane & Edsall's.

—The item going the rounds of the State press headed "Gov. Werts's Wife" was stolen bodily from the columns of THE PRESS, where it originated. Why don't the scissors-thieves give proper credit to their journalistic brothers.

—The Fanwood fireman whose narrow escape from death was reported in these columns yesterday, had fastened a chain and rope to a section of the roof, and was standing on the roof when it caved in. He grabbed the chain as he fell, and slid down the rope out of danger.

—The bazar of the Women's Friendly society, at 17 Grant avenue, which was to have closed last night, will by special request be continued for to-night. It will be open after 4. The fair is proving very successful. The room is handsomely decorated, and the ladies have been greatly complimented on their work.

—The report that the "Moriac house", supposed to have been at one time Washington's headquarters, is being torn down to make room for the contemplated buildings at the corner of Front street and the Madison avenue extension, is untrue. It is to stay where it is for a time at least, and will be used as a carriage repository for A. Sequine.

—Twelve varieties of oysters were set forth this morning by Rogers of 42 West Second street, to tempt the palates of his high-class trade. There were all kinds from the plump and juicy Lynn Havens of Virginia to the well-salted Carnasies of Long Island. Rogers will supply all the lobsters, salmon and oysters for to-night's dinner at the Casino given to the amateur performers.

—At the Park Avenue Baptist church the attendance at all the services has largely increased since the Rev. J. W. Richardson became their pastor. At a recent prayer meeting nearly forty took part. These meetings are very interesting and helpful. Sunday before last the baptismal waters were disturbed. To-morrow evening others will be baptized. Ten new members were received into the church last Sabbath and the interest is increasing.

—"The Power of Gold", which will be presented at Music Hall next Wednesday evening, is a new play to this city, dealing with current London life and telling a story of present interest. The scenery is quite massive, dealing mainly with tenement houses, blind alleys, a lunatic asylum, a foundling hospital and the Regent's canal. The company carries all its own scenery and properties including a pair of mules that draw the canal boat, and a horse and cab.

—An excellent addition to Plainfield's fire department would be a chemical engine. In other cities three-fourths of the fires are put out by this useful apparatus, and many an incipient blaze in Plainfield could be extinguished without flooding the house as is unavoidable with a big hydrant stream. The engine's carbolic gas not only promptly smothers all fire but cools the superheated air so that the firemen can live where with an ordinary stream they could not.

The healing and purifying qualities of Salvation Oil render it the best article for the speedy cure of ulcerated sores. 25c.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Ex-mayor Place will speak at the Mt. Pleasant school-house to-morrow evening.

L. Warren Randolph will lead the meeting in the W. C. T. U. rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4.

Captain Morrison will be the speaker at the Memorial chapel meeting in Washingtonville Sunday evening.

Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Wills of La Grande avenue, is seriously ill.

Miss Edith Clapp entertained a company of friends with a sheet-and-pillow-case party at her home, Mercer avenue, last evening.

Wm. W. Harris, of West Second street, while fishing at New Market, yesterday, caught with a hook and line, baited with a worm, a carp weighing 4 pounds and 3 ounces.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Dr. Lewis's church are profuse in their praise of the excellence of the Rev. C. E. Herring's address to them this morning, on the occasion of their anniversary exercises.

Miss Mary Malles, a missionary worker to Japan, addressed a meeting in Grace church guild room yesterday afternoon, giving an interesting account of her labors in the Land of the Rising Sun.

A Mild Protest Against Bad Boys.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I write to get thee to put this in thy paper, that the trustees of public schools have their teachers examine the boys to discover the bad ones that throw snow balls and stones against people's doors and windows, and will cripple some old people that tread on them, and litter up porticos, and broke an old lady's window glass, and on stormy days the wind comes fiercely in. It is the duty of officers to protect the inhabitants of a town and such boys be punished, putting people to expense. The duty of teachers is to find out bad boys and have them reproved.

INSURED ONE.

Dirty Courier Chickens Come Home to Roost.

The regular Plainfield correspondent of the New York *Tribune* had nothing whatever to do with the story published in the *Tribune* about the diphtheria scare in Plainfield, which Oliver B. Leonard refuted the next day. The *Tribune* clipped the story from the Newark *Daily Advertiser*. Who the *Advertiser's* correspondent may be now no one knows, but a member of the *Courier* staff had the correspondence for a long time, and was either discharged or has it yet.

The editor of the *Courier* should n't quibble too much over what is published in the *Tribune*. Bad Plainfield news in New York papers is generally traced back to its origin in the *Courier* office.

A Pleasant Surprise.

Some thirty-five friends of Miss Mabel Force "surprised" that maiden last evening at her parents' residence, the Mansion House, Bound Brook. To say that it was a "surprise" to Miss Mabel is only drawing it mild. With music, dancing, refreshments, and such pleasant chit-chat as only young folks know how to indulge in, the evening passed pleasantly away. Among those present were the Misses M. Smith and Ida Henry of Bound Brook, Misses May Stroud and Teresa Roberts of New Brunswick, Misses Minie Achison, Sadie Keenan, Edith Huribut, Florence Duck, Jesse Coddington, Etta Raybert, Clara Williams, and Miriam Wilcox; and Messrs. Coddington, Charley Layton, Millard Achison, Andrew Phifer and Howard Woolston.

After the Chicken Thieves.

Borough magistrate Crosley reports that marshal Pangborn is hot on the chase of the ringleader of a gang of chicken thieves. They already have proof enough to lay their hands on an accessory, and will soon have all the persons concerned in the tolls. They are also after the "fence" who disposed of poultry to purchasers as fast as stolen. At the request of Mr. Crosley, to serve the ends of justice, names are withheld for the present.

Saved His Life.

Marshal Pangborn found a farmer from over the mountains asleep in a gutter last night, and to save him from frost-bites and pneumonia locked him up. This morning the granger paid magistrate Crosley a fine to reward the borough for its care of him.

BY THE WAY.

—An election of officers of Plainfield council, Royal Arcanum, will be held at its rooms next Monday evening at 8.

—The C. Y. M. L. were defeated by the Alcyones in last night's bowling tournament contest. An enjoyable collation followed the game.

Look out for cheap substitutes! Beware of new remedies. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has stood the test for nearly fifty years.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease, Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will sure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Ave., opposite railroad station. 5-15-y

SETTLING WITH THE INJURED.

Damages Paid—The Culpable Trainmen Discharged.

Stephen Brodski, the Somerville-bound Hungarian who was thrown from the wrecked Jersey Central train Thursday, and severely hurt in the head, to-day signed a receipt releasing the railroad company from all liabilities.

The consideration was $5, paid by detective Large.

The railroad company yesterday held an examination of the two train crews, and discharged brakeman Hubert of the High Bridge train, and suspended engineer Durant of the Long Branch train unconditionally—Hubert for stopping his train as he did, and Durant though he was one of the best engineers of the road.

The railroad company's detectives are in town trying to settle with the Plainfield's injured.

Christian Brotherhood Like Unto Plainfield's.

Referring to the recent burning of the Unitarian church of Plymouth, Mass., a correspondent writes:

In the midst of the blazing ruins the standing committee of the Universalist church wrote a letter begging us to accept the use of their church for the next Sunday morning and as long as we desired it in the afternoon.

An hour after, when only smoking ruins were left, the Methodist sent their message of the same tenor—followed by the Orthodox and Baptist churches—so you see how the progressive thought has permeated their creeds, etc., for the Unitarian is no longer a name of reproach—nor are we too heretical to be called brothers. The feeling of good-will and deep sympathy obtains in every quarter. Even a Catholic was heard to say that he would rather any church in town should be in ruins than the Unitarian First church. The Universalists gave their church to us last Sunday morning, as I said. Mr. Lombard occupied the pulpit, and they came to hear him and join with us. Hereafter we will hold meetings there in the afternoon. Great wishes are expressed that the new building shall be a memorial structure of stone. Is it not pre-eminently fitting that the *First church in all the land* should be so?

Coddington's Brilliant and Aggressive Campaign.

(*New York Evening Post.*)

The Democrats scored a notable triumph in the annual charter election at Plainfield. The city has been the boast of the Republicans as an impregnable stronghold, but the Democrats gave proof of what determined effort can accomplish. The contest was for the office of city judge. John Ulrich, the Republican nominee, had served in that capacity, and was considered a strong nominee. William A. Coddington, the Democratic candidate for the judgeship, made a brilliant and agressive campaign, and the way he won votes among the Republicans is shown in the wholesale cutting of Ulrich. That candidate ran far behind in his ticket in every ward, and was defeated by 151 majority in a city which has given a Republican majority of 411.

One of the Hospital Patients Able to go Home.

J. F. Feindel of Somerville, who was injured in the collision at Claremont Thursday noon, is a son-in-law of Nicholas Garretson, the wholesale grocer of New York. The first intimation Mr. Feindel's wife and father-in-law had of his misfortune was when they received a telegram saying that he was injured and had been taken to the Jersey City hospital.

His wife was nearly distracted and at once began preparation to go to him. Later a telegram came saying that he was not severely hurt, only bruised about the head and legs. The other injured man reported as being of Somerville does not live there. Mr. Feindel was able to go home yesterday.

New Officers of the United Workmen.

At a regular meeting of Central lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., held Thursday evening Dec. 8, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Master Workman—Thaddeus C. Smith.
Foreman—Charles B. Randolph.
Overseer—Caleb H. Mills.
Recorder—Lewis R. Blackford.
Financier—Henry Liefke.
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Guide—Thomas S. Randolph.
Outside Watchman—George W. Clark.
Inside Watchman—William H. Lunger.
Trustee—Benjamin J. Allaband.

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—Mrs. Emma E. King, who died at 9:30 yesterday morning, was insured for $1,000 in the Prudential Insurance company, and at 6 last evening superintendent E. W. Pepper paid the claim in full.

KOCH'S DISCOVERY.—The *tubercle bacilli* were discovered by Prof. Koch, to be constantly present in all cases of consumption. Where the blood is impoverished or impure, there results that constitutional condition known as scrofula, which is characterized by the liability of certain tissues to become the seat of chronic inflammations.

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DEATHS.

KING—In North Plainfield, Dec. 9 of pneumonia, Mrs. Emma E., wife of Abram B. King, aged 34 years.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend her funeral from the First Baptist church on Monday afternoon, Dec. 12, at 2.30.

Also the members of Winfield Scott Relief Corps No. 10, G. A. R., and Friendship Lodge No. 3, Daughters of Rebecca, I. O. O. F.

Administrators' Sale.

T. J. CAREY, Auctioneer.

The undersigned administrators of Job Male, deceased, hereby give notice that the articles comprising the art collection of Cloisonne, known as the "Schoonmaker collection, purchased by the late Mr. Male for over $9,000, will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidders on

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Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.

Henry H. Lowrie, W. M
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

Sons of St. George—No Surrender Lodge, No. 349—Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month, at Sons of Temperance Hall cor. Front street and Park avenue. Englishmen and sons and grandsons of Englishmen are cordially invited to join. Chas. Burnes, President, Samuel Smith, Secretary. 8 31 y

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 188, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis B. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.

A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. B. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.

A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Hester Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.

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Some Things it Behooves the Democrats of Plainfield to Consider and Act Upon.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—To recite a panegyric on political nominating conventions would not only prove it a dull subject, but would fail of its object, the purpose of such assemblies, as a general thing, failing of effect when there is noticed an absence of candidates of known integrity and ability, notwithstanding the quantity and quality of fulsome praise and laudatory remarks bestowed upon candidates unworthy of even a consideration in regard to representing anything more serious than themselves. It can be perceived, therefore, that two elements in a convention should necessarily prevail, if success in an election is to be achieved, viz:—the selection of men who not only represent a party's principles and laws, but men in whom can be found qualities pre-eminently fitting them for an administrative office, and in whom fidelity to party interest can be exacted at all times, even to the sacrifice of self interest and comfort, especially where conservation of the people's rights are involved. Equally necessary for success is the untiring energy of and display of sagacity in party leaders; but most important of all is the exercise of discretion in choosing those leaders—leaders who will be prone to see and take advantage of every sign of weakness in an opponent; to force nominations regardless of adverse majorities, and by the operation of care and watchfulness, make the improbable possible.

In the recent charter election held in our city, two facts have been clearly demonstrated:— First, that the Republican party of Plainfield as at present constituted and organized is vulnerable, and the second, that the Democratic party, as at present controlled, has been tried and found wanting. The late canvass of the Democratic party was not a canvass of that party, but a personal one by its only accredited candidate, who by the development of extraordinary perseverance and energy, backed up by a large amount of moral stamina and staying qualities, and combining good citizenship with personal regard of his townsmen, attained a result surprising to himself as well as his friends, the most sanguine of whom, while anticipating a reduction in the normal Republican majority, were not prepared for the astounding majority of nearly 200 in his favor.

That a mistake was made seems to be generally conceded in not having a full Democratic ticket nominated by the convention called for that purpose on the night of Friday, November 25, the night *before the last day* (?) of legally filing nominations in the office of the city clerk—procrastination, in this instance perhaps, being responsible for the loss of one or more city offices to the Democratic party of Plainfield, or, at least, the tacit acknowledgment of victory in reducing the usual Republican majority. The nominating convention was presumably a Democratic convention—it cannot be said that it was not ostensibly a Republican-Democratic convention. It was a Democratic convention so far as the nomination to the city judgeship was concerned. To the delegates who came together on that night expecting to nominate a full city ticket it was a matter of serious thought and consideration, but to others present as spectators, or as advisors, the proceeding seemed a huge joke, if the risible qualities exhibited can be taken as a criterion. Possibly the amusement was furnished by the learned parliamentary ruling of the chairman to the effect that, all nominations made should be accompanied by the statement that the delegate presenting such nomination should possess positive knowledge of the candidates acceptance of the nomination. Probably an affidavit accompanying said nominations would have been sufficiently conclusive to satisfy the most precise? Or perhaps the entertainment arose from the fact of an accomodating spirit surrendering the rights of the delegates by placing in nomination as presiding officers for the night one or more names, *not delegates to the convention*, the qualified delegates unwittingly electing the names placed in nomination without question of good faith on the part of the gentleman who "pulled the string".

It therefore behooves Democrats of Plainfield who have the interest of their city at heart, who believe that that interest can best be conserved by a change in the present ruling policy, by the ascendency of the Democratic party in city, as well as State and National affairs, to renewed activity under the inspiration of forces that do not delay important and necessary action until its effect is well nigh valueless.

JEFFERSONIAN.

Juniors' Efforts for the Church Fund.

A fair and entertainment will be held on Tuesday evening of next week, under the auspices of the Jr. C. E. society of Trinity church for the benefit of the church fund. No fee will be charged but donations will be acceptable.

The fair will be from 6 to 8, and the entertainment from 8 to 10, with the following programme:

Duet....Miss Ada Miller, Miss Laura Emmons
Song....Miss Laura Wikoff, Miss Sadie Holmes
Duet....Miss Maud VanDyke, Achsah Holmes
Recitation.....Six little girls
Duet.....Olive Newell
Reading.....Miss Cresse of Newark
Song.....Miss Blair
Reading.....Miss Cresse

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Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning to insure publication.

[THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT.]

Services will be held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest to-morrow at 11 a. m.

Meetings will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms to-morrow at 9:15 a. m. and 4 p. m.

At Bethel chapel, to-morrow, there will be morning service at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8.

In the Warren Union mission chapel to-morrow there will be Sunday-school at 2:30, song service at 7:45, and devotional service at 8.

Mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph's church to-morrow at 8:30 a. m., and High Mass at 10:30. Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m. and vespers at 8.

In the Crescent Avenue church [the Rev. Wm. R. Richards, D. D., pastor], services will be held to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., with Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.

In All Souls' church to-morrow services will be held at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The pastor, the Rev. Hobart Clark, will preach. The Sunday-school will meet at 11:45 a. m.

Services will be held in the German church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m; no service in the evening. The sermon will be by the Rev. F. Koechli. Sunday-school willl meet at 9:15 a. m.

In the Congregational church to-morrow the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor, will officiate. There will be morning service at 10:30, Sunday-school at 2:45, and Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:30.

At St. Mary's church to-morrow masses will be celebrated at 7:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 a. m. Vespers will be held at 8 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

The meeting for boys, conducted by Frederick Moon will be held in the Warren Mission chapel to-morrow afternoon at 4:15. The talk will be illustrated in a manner peculiarly interesting to boys.

The services in Hope chapel to-morrow will be: Communion of Lord's supper, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; song service and preaching, 7:45 p. m. G. Kennedy Newell, pastor, will preach.

German Lutheran services will be held by St. Peter's congregation to-morrow in Warren Mission chapel at 10:30 a. m., and Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. The Rev. Edward Kionka, pastor, will officiate.

In the Third Street mission to-morrow there will be Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m., young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m., and evening service at 7:45, at which time the Rev. James Adams, of Newark, will have charge.

In the Monroe Avenue chapel to-morrow there will be morning service at 11, with preaching by James McGee, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8, with preaching by the Rev. Theo. S. Henderson.

In the Park Place M. E. chapel to-morrow there will be Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m., class meeting at 7 p. m., and evening services, conducted by C. A. LaBoyteaux, at 8. Good singing is promised by a large chorus choir.

In the First Baptist church to-morrow there will be: 9:30 a. m., prayer meeting for God's blessing; 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., preaching by the Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school and class for men.

The Rev. Demetrius Elias Visharioff, a nobleman of Macedonia, will preach in the Methodist Episcopal church to-morrow evening. He will appear in the costume of his country, and will give some account of religion in Macedonia.

In the Trinity Reformed church to-morrow the pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. The evening subect will be: "The Railroad King Dethroned". The Sabbath-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In Grace church to-morrow, the Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, will officiate. There will be early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a.m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11; Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 4:30.

In the Church of the Holy Cross to-morrow the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector, will officiate. There will be celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 a. m., morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and afternoon service at 4:30.

Services at the First Church of Christ to-morrow will consist of preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by the pastor, the Rev. B. W. Hand. There will be Lord's Supper at 11:45 a. m. The evening theme will be "Death-Bed Repentance". Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m.

L. H. Biglow will sing and young men will speak at the meeting for young men to be conducted by Seely Edsall at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow at 4:15 p. m. There is a large attendance and much interest in these meetings every week. All men whether members of the association or not are cordially invited to be present.

Services in the First Presbyterian church to-morrow will include morning service at 10:30, with the theme, "The Sun of Righteousness"; evening service at 7:30, with the theme, "Spiritual Fogs and Moral Wrecks"; the Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor, will preach; Sunday-school will be held at 2:30 p. m.; the Y. P. S. C. E. will meet at 7 p. m.

In the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow, the Rev. J. W. Richardson's themes will be: 10:30 a.m., "Fishing in Deep Water"; 7.44 p. m., "The Verdict of the Ages". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m., and Y. P. S. C. Endeavor meeting at 6:45 p. m. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the close of the evening sermon.

In the Church of Our Saviour, to-morrow, the Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector, will officiate. There will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m., and evening prayer at 4:15. Two free stages will leave the railway station on North avenue in the morning, for the church, at 10:30, and return at the conclusion of the services.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

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Reading's New Terminal Station.

The Reading officials at Philadelphia fix upon Jan. 1 as the date of opening the big terminal station at Twelfth and Market streets. The cramped quarters at Ninth and Green streets and the meager facilities offered for the accommodation of waiting passengers have had the effect of turning away considerable traffic from the road, particularly on the New York branch. Already there is a rumor that the road is anxious to secure the whole block west of Eleventh street to the present site and running from Market to Filbert street, a distance of 330 feet. This rumor is positively denied at the office of the company, but persons interested say that its denial is a matter of course on account of the increased values it would give the several properties. Meanwhile the city has assessed all the properties in the vicinity of the new station from ten to twenty-five per cent.

Another Foreign View of It.

[*New Brunswick Times.*]

The election in Plainfield on Tuesday was an interesting affair, the Democrats having made no nomination, leaving the field entirely to the Republicans. But it was a fight to the knife, a fierce Republican fight, resulting in the defeat of their great leader, John Ulridge, and the election of Wm. R. Coddington, Dem., judge of the city. Ulrich is the present city judge.

Shiloh's Cough Cure

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20th Day of December Next

The names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal

In cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

Fourth Tuesday In November Next

(the 22d), and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1, 1892. 10 6 tf

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Or single surface checks.....25 cents
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It Is Said to Be Especially Troublesome to Prospectors.

Reputed to Be the Spirit of an Old Navajo Indian Who Was Murdered by White Men—What the Specter Looks Like.

Haunted houses are common; haunted men have been reported occasionally, and in the highest flights of romance the haunted mine figures. But of all the "haunts" testified to by reliable witnesses, says the New York Advertiser, that of the "lost mine" in the Santiago mountains, near Las Cruces, N. M., holds its place most persistently. Railroads and modern science have no effect on it; the most skeptical white materialists realize the presence just as powerfully as the Indians did fifty years ago.

The ghost is that of an old Navajo Indian, who knew the location of the mine and was killed by the first white prospectors for refusing to reveal it. His name was Jacopo, or is rather, for he is still on deck, and the latest view of him was by Henry Williams and George Goggans, two men from Milwaukee, who recently made a fishing and hunting tour, in the Madre de Dios, a small stream flowing through the Santiago valley.

Two nights in succession both dreamed of seeing a strange-looking Indian. The third night they watched and saw him in the spirit or flesh. Next night he came again in their dreams and warned them not to seek the lost mine. They had never heard of it before, and of course wanted to find it at once. They started into the mountains, but soon Mr. Goggans fell and sprained his ankle badly, whereupon the old Indian issued from the rocks, laughed in derision and "vanished like a puff of smoke." They had to ride back to Las Cruces for surgical aid, and decided not to hunt for the lost mine any more.

Col. Jenkins and Fred Lathrop, of Las Cruces, have also seen the Indian, and the former gives this account:

"I was accompanied by a young man named Houston, Wat Houston, from Tennessee, who had no fear of ghosts. I had heard of the phantom that haunted these mountains, but put no confi

SEEING THE SPECTER.

dence in the story, feeling myself equal to any specter that I might see. Well, Houston and I were riding down a gorge half way up the range, when all at once I saw an Indian standing about twenty feet ahead of us. He was drawn up to his full height and was in full war dress, eagle feathers, paint, etc., and was eying us from under his bent brows as if trying to make us out.

"My horse caught sight of him at about the same time and began to rear and plunge in such a manner as to preclude all progress on my part; but Houston rode on, though his animal resented it also. I watched the young man approach the stately figure in the road, and then all at once saw Houston shoot out of the saddle over the horse's head and fall in the road. He lay perfectly motionless, while the figure of the Indian vanished, even as I looked at it. I then rode forward and, dismounting, looked at Houston, to find that he was dead with a broken neck. I had to put the body on his horse and lead him back to town."

This was in 1873, and misfortune attended Col. Jenkins every time he went to find the mine. Fred Lathrop tells of meeting the old warrior resplendent in war paint and feathers. "I was amazed," he adds, "that I was able to see objects in the road beyond him just as if he had not been there, though the figure, when looked at closely, seemed as palpable as any other thing about me. I paused, nearly scared to death, as I do not mind confessing to you, and too much bewildered to even turn my horse around.

"The Indian then came forward and took my bridle in his hand and led the animal about. While it was held by the ghost the poor horse kept starting and was bathed in perspiration all over. The phantom continued to lead the horse for the space of one hundred yards, while I sat frozen with terror, unable to resist or remonstrate. When we reached a road that circled the mountains without passing over them the ghost gave me a farewell wave of the hand and was gone as an image from the mirror."

Shortening the Time.

Friend—Doesn't the ride back and forth to the country every day seem very long?

Mr. Suburb—Long? It's too short. When I take the train in the morning, I know I've got to pitch in and work like a horse the moment the train reaches the city. That makes the ride seem too short, doesn't it?

"I presume it does. But how about the ride back?"

"Well, I always remember after I start that I've forgotten something my wife wanted particularly, so that ride is always over too quick."—N. Y. Weekly.

Trouble Beginning Early.

Happy Bride—Why, mamma, what are you crying for? Everything is so lovely and everybody's been so good to me! Come and look at my presents dear.

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How Could He Forget?

The little girl ran flying down the front steps and called out with an agonizing cry:

"Papa! Papa!"

Papa had started down town. He stopped and waited.

"What is it, Bessie?"

"I want to kiss you good-by."

"Well, dear, why don't you kiss me?"

"I will," said the little girl, with trembling lip and quivering chin, "as soon as I can make the pucker!"—Chicago Tribune.

For Change of Raiment.

He—Do you know, that as long as I have known you, I have never seen you dressed in white.

She—Indeed! Are you, then, so partial to the color?

He—Not exactly that; but whenever I see a girl dressed in white, I am always tempted to kiss her.

She—Will you excuse me for fifteen minutes?—Truth.

Wallie and Jack.

"You and Jack sit next to each other in school, don't you, Wallie?"

"Part of the time."

"Only a part?"

"Yes, sir. Jack's standing in the corner most of the time."

"And what do you do then?"

"Oh, I generally stand in another corner."—Harper's Young People.

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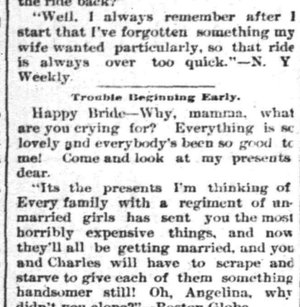

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 27, 5 28, 6 05, 6 28, 8 09 7 25, 7 50, 8, 8 15, 8 27, 8 31, 8 45, 9 22, 10 04, 10 27 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 52, 1 02, 2 20, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 04, 7 05, 9 05, 9 30, 10 12, 11 28, P. M. Sunday—3 01, 5 02, 11 42, A. M., 12 25, 1 45, 3 20, 5 16, 7 10, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 30, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 18, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 48, 9 23, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 52, 1 02, 2 20, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 04, 7 05, 9 05, 9 30, 10 12, 11 28, P. M. Sunday—8 01, 9 02, 11 42, A. M., 12 25, 1 45, 3 20, 5 16, 7 10, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 55, 10 05, 11 35 A.M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 53, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 55, 8 40, 10 05, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 30, 4 10, 5 40, 6 08, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 15, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m., 12 27 1 50, 3 12, 4 48, 5 06, 6 20, 8 54, 6 04, 6 30, 7 15, 7 54 8 20, 9 37, 11 13, 12 42 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 28, 9 54, 11 13 A.M., 2 08, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 16, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 20, 7 08, 7 28, 7 35, 7 48 8 20, 9 05, 9 47, 11 28 A. M., 12 34, 1 38, 3 04, 3 35, 4 50, 5 32, 6 35, 8 41, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 9 26, 11 15 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 08, 8 08, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 6 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 26, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 28 A. M. 2 08, 6 30, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 30, 11 15 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 6 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua,

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

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12 27 p. m., way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

8 55 P. M. for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

9 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 9 09 p. m. Sundays to High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 8 52, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 57, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 29, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 1 59*, 3 04, † 5 24*, 6 26*, 8 50, *9 27 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48, 11 15 a. m., 3 02*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 29, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 59, 3 04, 5 24, 6 26, *9 27 p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday—9 48, 11 15, a. m., 3 02*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 2 24, 4 18, 5 24* (6 39* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48 a. m., 2 16, 4 18, 5 14* (6 55 Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05, a. m., 1 30, 3 15*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 10 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 8 30, 9 30, 11 18, a m 2 39*, 6 20, 8 18, 11 45, p. m. Sunday—8 55, 9 40, 2 15 a. m., 8 15*, 6 20, 8 18* p. m.

† Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, † 05, 9 05, 10 13, 11 59, a. m., † 08, 4 08*, 4 45, 8 34, 6 50, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 12 56 a. m., 4 08*, 8 42, † 07, 9 00* p. m.

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11 16 y eod

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Lawyer Beck on the Alleged Poisoning of Non-Union Men at Homestead.

A DOCTOR AND A DRUGGIST SAID TO BE INCRIMINATED.

Mr. Beck, Who Is Counsel for the Carnegie Company, Reports That at Least Six Mill Laborers have Died from Poison—A Number of Arrests to be Made in a Few Days—Robert Beatty, Who Was Arrested in Louisville, Directly Charged With the Crime.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 12.—E. I. Beck, counsel for the Carnegie Steel company, limited, was seen this morning and confirmed the story of the poisoning. He says his information is that at least six deaths resulted from poisoning. A Homestead druggist and physician are implicated.

The powder was given to a dog and it died in a few minutes. A number of arrests will probably be made in a few days. Coroner McDowell has not yet been notified.

He will go to Homestead this afternoon, however, to investigate the cause of the death of Isaac Juries, who died suddenly about two weeks ago. Juries was a witness in the Critchlow case.

If the detectives in the employ of the Carnegie company are to be believed a vast conspiracy of murder has grown out of the Homestead strike. It was a plot, they say, to poison by wholesale the non-union workmen at the Carnegie company's steel plant, and the developments implicate members of the Amalgamated Association and officials of other labor organizations.

As a result of the plot it is alleged that thirty or forty persons already have lost their lives, and scores are still suffering in hospitals and at their homes from the effects of drugs. To-day nine more persons are under arrest, ostensibly on trivial charges, but really to avert suspicion until all their alleged fellow-conspirators have been secured.

The many cases of illness in the mills at the time of the occupation of Homestead by the military were attributed to bad river water, yet despite the efforts to better the supply the sickness continued. It was two months ago that the first suspicion was entertained that the people were being poisoned, but it was not until Saturday that the evidence was deemed strong enough to warrant legal steps.

The object of the plot, it is said, was to make life in the mills unendurable. The price to be paid when the mills were closed was $5,000. Robert J. Beatty is now under arrest in Louisville on the charge of poisoning non-union men at Homestead. He had previously been arrested in Pittsburg but escaped.

The information on which the original arrest was made was sworn out by J. H. Ford, a Pinkerton detective, and charges the prisoner with administering a deadly poison to William E. Griffith, chief cook in the mills.

It was learned last night that special officers have been investigating the matter for two months, and have worked up a good case against several of the union men, as well as against cooks who were employed in the mill with Beatty. It is understood Beatty supplied all the cooks with the poison they used, and was middle man between those engaged in the conspiracy.

INDIAN DEPREDATIONS.

Outrages on American and Spanish Settlers in Mexico.

CHIHUAHUA, Mex., Dec. 12.—The Yuaqual Indians, to the number of 2,000, have banded with several hundred Mayo Indians and many outrages have been committed by them on the American and Spanish settlers in the valley of the Yuaqui and Mayo rivers during the past three weeks.

Near the village of Rio Dico the hacienda of Pablo Munosta, a wealthy Spaniard, was attacked and in the engagement two sons of Munosta and six Mexicans were killed. The handful of Mexican soldiery in that section are unable to accomplish anything in the way of bringing the Indians under subjection, and they have not yet had the courage to meet the red men in battle. A force of 500 troops will be immediately sent to the scene of the depredations.

A Church in a Steamer.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Bishop Paret, of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Maryland and the District of Columbia, will soon have built for him a steamer the inside of which will be fitted as a church. The steamer will carry the Bishop and his assistants to the oyster dredging grounds on Sunday, where services will be held.

Murphy's Race For the Senatorship.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 12.—A well informed Democrat and intimate friend of Chairman Edward Murphy says that Mr. Murphy has at present 70 members of the Legislature pledged to vote for him in the caucus which would select both the Speakership and Senatorship nominees.

Indian Agent Reported Shot.

GREAT FALLS, Mont., Dec. 12.—It is rumored that there has been trouble among the Indians 125 miles east of here and that Agent Simons was shot while trying to pacify them. It is impossible to get any reliable information from the agency.

Archduke Franz's Journey.

VIENNA, Dec. 12.—The physicians of the Archduke Franz Ferdinand say that he will be able to start on his tour next Wednesday, and the Empress Elizabeth is being made ready to sail Wednesday evening or Thursday morning.

Judge Dean Will Resign.

ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 12.—Hon. John Dean of Hollidaysburg, Republican Supreme Judge-elect of Pennsylvania, will send in his resignation as Resident-Judge of Blair county to Gov. Pattison, to take effect January 1.

To Be Surrendered to Germany.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Secretary J. W. Foster has issued a warrant for the surrender of Karl Schaefer, under arrest in New York City, charged with forgery and the utterance of forged paper in Nurtemburg, Germany.

Don't Fear a Strike of Conductors.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—P. L. Ewing, superintendent of the Rock Island, says that the report of a strike of conductors west of the Missouri river is absolutely untrue.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE MONTANA STATUE.

Another Story to Show that the Honor Was Sold, Not Transferred.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 12.—Unless Ada Rehan or some equally gracious presence comes between the men who are working to the end that her statue, in burnished silver, may dazzle the world at Jackson park next summer, there is strong probabilities of serious trouble.

A promoter named Rose declares that early in the present year J. O. Harvey, a solicitor, proposed that they enter into partnership with the purpose of selling the honor of posing for the silver statue where it would do the most good and bring the largest sum.

To that end he says Harvey went to New York to confer with Augustin Daly and offer him the honor for Ada Rehan in consideration of the sum of $4,000.

When Harvey returned from New York he told Rose that he was able to obtain but $3,500 from Daly, but there was a possibility of obtaining $4,000 from the State of Montana. Rose further says that from that time he was frozen out of the scheme and that Harvey refused to divide with him.

Sep. 19 he went to an attorney and had his grievances put into the most scathing language, threatening Harvey with exposure if he refused him a share in the emoluments of the scheme.

Harvey denies it and calls Rose a blackmailer.

BRITISH STEAMSHIP WRECKED.

The Captain and Seven Men Perish—The Others Rescued After Hard Work.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The British steamer Dilsberg, from Civita Vecchia for Middlesborough, was wrecked off Long Sand near Harwich, last night.

In response to her signals a lifeboat was sent out. The ship was already going to pieces and Capt. Davies had already died of cold in the rigging. After prolonged efforts the ship was boarded but only one seaman was found and he died of exposure before he could be removed.

It was subsequently learned that 14 of the crew had put off in a small boat after the vessel struck and by six hours of hard work had reached a lightship in safety.

Six of the crew were washed overboard shortly after the ship struck and were lost.

CHASED THEM 100 MILES.

A Valuable Bloodhound at Last Shot By Fleeing Horse Thieves.

BLUFFTON, Ind., Dec. 12.—A few days ago two strangers drove through Liberty Centre, this county, at full speed, their horses covered with sweat. A shot was heard some distance out of town shortly afterward.

A bloodhound was found and it has been discovered that the strangers were horse thieves from Hudson, Mich.

The thieves had been tracked over 100 miles by the hound, which was valued at over $200.

The thieves have so far eluded arrest, and it is thought that they have made away with the the team they had before now. The team was valued at $400.

MRS. MAYBRICK'S CONDITION.

British Government Announces That It Is Not Critical.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—In response to the representations of the United States Government, the British Government has informed the United States Legation that no ground can be found for the belief that Mrs. Maybrick's condition is critical or threatens to become so.

In case she becomes worse, the government will inform the Legation immediately.

Rock Island Strike Not Settled.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The report sent out that the strike of the Rock Island operators had been settled and that the men had returned to work, is denied by L. M. Coons, Chairman of the Grievance Committee. Mr. Coons says the message was sent out by the railroad officials in the hope that some of their men might return to work, but he denies that it has had any such effect.

Baron Reinach's Death.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—Dr. Brouardel denies the rumors that he has already found evidence that Baron Reinach's death was due to unnatural causes. The viscera and the brain were last night brought to the Toxicological laboratory at Paris. The "Libre Parole," nevertheless, persists that the examination revealed that death was due to aconite poisoning.

Took Rat Poison, but Will Recover.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 12.—Gus Magrath, employed in the kitchen of Mrs. Clark's boarding house, Clinton street, took "rough on rats" yesterday. He threatened three policemen with a knife when they held him so Druggist Gibian could give him an emetic. He was taken to the City hospital and will recover.

Healy and Others Stoned.

DUBLIN, Dec. 12.—While returning to Ennis from an election meeting, Timothy M. Healy and other members of Parliament were attacked with stones and other missiles. The carriage windows were smashed and the woodwork was broken. P. A. Chance, M. P., was injured.

Fight Between Slavin and Goddard.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 12.—The Olympic Club has agreed to hang up a purse of $10,000 for a fight between Slavin and Goddard, on March 1 or 3, and Slavin has signified his willingness to accept.

Charged With Bigamy.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Dec. 12.—Henry S. Bogardus, of Catskill, has been arrested for bigamy on complaint of Minnie Bogardus, who claims to be his first and legal wife.

Predicts Defeat for the Military Bill.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—In an article headed "Shipwreck" the "Tageblatt" says that the defeat of the Military bill is already a foregone conclusion.

MASSACHUSETTS MORTGAGES.

The Per Capita Indebtedness is $144 and is Exceeded Only by Kansas.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Massachusetts is the first Eastern State whose statistics of mortgages have been completed by the census office. It is shown that during the past decade 250,222 real estate mortgages were made in Massachusetts, representing an incurred indebtedness of $508,455,550.

The debt remaining in force Jan. 1, 1890, is $323,277,668, secured by 178,202 mortgages, and of this debt $42,441,247 incumbers 920,312 acres, and $280,836,421 incumbers 132,683 lots. During the decade there has been an increasing mortgage movement, beginning with an incurring debt of $28,176,133 in 1880 and ending with $75,526,544 in 1889, while the population increased 25.57 during the same period.

The per capita indebtedness of Massachusetts is $144 and is exceeded only by Kansas.

Monuments for Dead Generals.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The commissions to select models for the statues of Gen. Hancock and Gen. Logan, to be erected in Washington, has rejected all the models submitted on the Hancock monument as unsatisfactory. A model was agreed upon for the Logan monument, but the artist's name will not be divulged at present.

Appeal of New York Press Club.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The members of the New York Press Club are working enthusiastically to complete the $100,000 which must be paid on Jan. 1, to secure the site for the new Press Club building. Of this sum $60,000 has been raised. An appeal to the public to help the work that the Press Club is now engaged in, has been issued.

To Oppose the Standard.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 12.—A new company, of which F. P. Hayes, the deposed president of the Pennsylvania Gas company, is said to be at the head, will ask permission to lay pipes and supply natural fuel gas in this city in competition with the Pennsylvania, otherwise Standard Oil company.

Tammany Society in New Haven.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 12.—Arrangements have been completed for the formation of a Tammany society in this city, which is to be modelled after the famous New York political organization. The association will start with 1,000 of the most prominent Democrats of New Haven.

A Widow's Appeal to Sec. Noble.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Secretary Noble is in receipt of a letter from a widow in a little town in Ohio asking him if he could not arrange it so that she might marry and still keep her pension. She says she is too old to get a husband unless she has some inducement to offer.

Found Dead in the Erie Canal.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 12.—The body of William Mitchells of Frankfort Hill was found in the Erie canal near Ilion yesterday. He had been in the water several days and bruises raise suspicions of murder.

Knitting Mills Sold.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 12.—B. Mulcahey and Hugh Graham have sold the American Knitting Mill to the Cohoes Knitting Mill for $45,000. It is said the mill will start up about Jan. 1.

The Men to Resume Work.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 12.—The trouble between the manufacturers and employes at the Cohoes Rolling Mill is said to have been settled and the men will go to work at once.

Sylvester D. Hill Insane.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Sylvester D. Hill, a well-known government contractor, has been sent to the Asylum for the Insane at Middletown, Conn.

A Minister Buys a "Gold Brick."

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 12.—Rev. John Dailey, a local preacher of prominence, has been swindled out of $2,000 by the gold brick method.

Pennsylvania Canal Closed.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 12.—The Pennsylvania Canal has closed for the season. The number of boats shipped during the year was 2,184.

Postal Exhibit at the Fair.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Postoffice Inspector Conrad has been assigned to take charge of the United States postal exhibit at Chicago.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Only one Chinaman at Seattle, Wash., has registered under the Geary act.

—Abbe Benedictine Smith, who was well known in America, is dead in Rome.

—Jacob Coles' livery stable at Wilkesbarre, Pa., with all its contents including 21 head of horses, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss $13,000.

—Democratic electors of Kansas met in conference at Topeka to perfect plans to secure proper recognition from the incoming national administration.

Fred Schuesler and Frank McAff quarreled at Lima, Ohio, over money matters, when the latter picked up a club and crushed Schuesler's skull, killing him instantly.

—A number of the firms manufacturing the cheaper grades of jewelry in Providence and Attleboro are on the verge of bankruptcy on account of numerous failures in the trade in the West during the past week.

—Brakeman Frank Gorman, who caused the wreck on the New York and New England road on Saturday near Providence, R. I., has been let off with a dismissal. Gorman's excuse was that he was sleepy from overwork.

AFFAIRS OF THE NAVY

Secretary Tracy Makes His Annual Report.

19 NEW SHIPS PUT IN COMMISSION.

Eighteen Nearly Finished—Made Independent of Europe for Armor or Ordnance—Developments in Manufacture—Estimates for the Coming Fiscal Year.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The annual report of the Secretary of the Navy will be submitted to Congress to-day. It is a voluminous document but a very interesting and important one.

During President Harrison's administration the following vessels will have been added to the Navy: Chicago, Yorktown, Petrel, Charleston, Baltimore, Cushing, Vesuvius, Philadelphia, San Francisco, Newark, Concord, Bennington, Miantonomoh, Bancroft, Machias, Monterey, New York, Detroit, Montgomery.

This makes a total of nineteen vessels of the new navy put in commission during this administration, of an aggregate tonnage of 54,832 tons, mounting altogether two 12-inch, six 10-inch, sixteen 8-inch and eighty-two 6-inch guns, all of which, with the exception of five of the earliest, have been manufactured in this country. Three new steel tugs have also been constructed and put in service during this period.

Eighteen vessels are in process of construction and certain to be completed, should their armor be delivered, within the next year, of an aggregate tonnage of 93,497 tons, and mounting altogether twelve 13-inch, six 12-inch, sixteen 10-inch, thirty 8-inch, thirty-two 6-inch, thirty-eight 5-inch and thirty-four 4-inch guns, all of which have been or are to be manufactured in this country.

During this period twenty-five vessels will have been launched, thirteen of them, including the three tugs, during the current year, and of all the new ships the construction of which has been begun during the present administration only two will remain on the stocks on March 4 next.

An exhaustive review is given concerning the developments in the manufacture of armor, torpedoes, rapid-firing guns and explosives.

The progress both in ships and in ordnance, by which the United States has emerged from its condition of helplessness at sea, and by the employment of its own resources, has distanced its more experienced competitors, marks an epoch in the naval development, not only of this country, but of the world.

In connection with the development of nickel steel for armor, the Department has undertaken a series of experiments in the application of this material to other purposes of construction which promise important results.

The estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, for the Navy and the Marine Corps, including those for public works and for increase of the Navy, amount to $24,471,498.21, being $2,713,141.59 less than those for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893.

The estimates for the running expenses of the Navy and Marine Corps for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, amount to $14,767,841.21, being $135,943.59 less than the estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893.

The estimates for the increase of the Navy amount to $9,703,657 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, and are $2,577,198 less than those for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893.

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MISS HALL RETURNS.

She Refuses to Tell Where She Has Been in Hiding.

NORWALK, Conn., Dec. 12.—Banker Russell L. Hall's daughter, Miss Julia Hall, who disappeared from her father's home in New Canaan last Friday afternoon, returned last night at 11 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. Bower, the pastor of the New Canaan Methodist church, who was at the head of a party of over 100 citizens organized to search for the demented young lady, never lost hope that she would be recovered alive, but her father's less buoyant spirits seemed to have completely deserted him. He moaned and cried in his anguish that his daughter had wandered off into the woods and there taken her own life.

In appearance Miss Hall has not suffered much during her fifty-four hours absence, and save for a few evidences of slight mental and physical exhaustion, in her eyes, particularly, one could hardly believe that she had been away from the ordinary surroundings of a young woman in good circumstances for so long a time.

When the first feelings of joy and thanksgiving had passed after her return an effort was made by Mr. Hall to draw from his daughter some information as to where she had been and why she had gone away in such an unceremonious manner.

Miss Hall was decidedly taciturn, even to her father, and to all inquiries she paid not the slightest heed and neither by word nor gesture vouchsafed reply.

PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS.

December Returns to the Department of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The December statistical returns to the Department of Agriculture relate to farm prices. The value of corn is 39.3 cents per bushel, decreased by the surplus of the previous crop and early distribution. It is 60 to 70 cents in the Eastern States and 55 to 60 in the Middle States.

The average price of wheat is 83.2 cents. The next lowest price was 84.6 cents in 1884. Prices in Eastern States are from 85 to 91.

The average value of oats is 31.6 cents, nearly the same as last year, as is that of corn. Rye 54.8 cents. Barley 57.6 cents. Buckwheat 53.4 cents. Potatoes 67.3 cents per bushel, against 37.1 cent last year. Hay $8.49 per ton, nearly the same as in 1891.

The condition of winter wheat, on the first day of December, averaged 87.4 against 85.3 last year.

The condition of winter rye is but little better, averaging 89.4

EUROPEAN WAR TALK.

Excitement on all Sides Over the Alarm Sounded from the Reichstag.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—All Europe to-day is talking of war. Everybody believes that Emperor William's ambitions are about to break loose and that his cravings for glory on the battle field is to be satiated or forever destroyed.

All this excitement was caused by General Von Kaltenborn-Stackhous' words in the Reichstag, Saturday, when in introducing the Military bill he made a long and earnest speech in its support, declaring with an energy that could only have been inspired by the throne itself that Germany must be prepared to enter at any moment into a final war which would dwarf all preceding wars in the magnitude of the forces engaged and of the issues to be decided.

THE SPEAKERSHIP.

Not Much Opposition to Mr. Crisp's Re-election to That Position.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Talk of opposition to the re-election of Mr. Crisp to the Speakership does not seem to grow, and the idea that another man should rule the House is not received with that enthusiasm expected by its most ardent advocates.

Mr. Breckinridge of Kentucky and Mr. Wilson of West Virginia are the two most formidable rivals of Mr. Crisp, but it is believed that Mr. Wilson lends no sanction to the use of his name in this connection, while Mr. Breckinridge is saying nothing.

READING R. A. STATEMENT.

Over $17,000 Paid Out in Benefits During the Month of November.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—The statement of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Relief Association for the last month shows payments aggregating $17,268.

There was paid out on account of deaths, $7,750. On account of accident disablements, $5,748.60; and for sick disablements, $3,764.40.

There were 17 death claims paid, ten resulting from accident and seven from natural causes.

The total number of disablement cases reported during the month was 920.

Speaker Crisp Was Not in a Hurry.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Speaker Crisp says that the report that he left the Reform Club banquet Saturday night before the dinner was concluded, is incorrect. He was temporarily called from the hall but on his return found that his seat had been occupied and took a chair near his former location and remained until the banquet was concluded.

Jersey is $1,000,000 Richer.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 12.—The New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals has decided the South Cove water front controversy between Jersey City and the Central Railroad, in favor of the city. The city recovers property worth $1,000,000 or more.

Broke Through the Ice.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Dec. 12.—Ellsworth Kuhn, 14 years of age, while skating on the Hudson river here in the afternoon, broke through the ice and was drowned. Two other boys were rescued by heroic work on the part of their companions.

Does Not Have to Be a Lawyer.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 12.—The Supreme Court has decided that a county attorney does not have to be a lawyer as long as he has legal assistance, and where he is recognized as county attorney by the judge of the district court. The case decided was where a murder case was appealed on the ground that E. A. Holderman, the Populist County Attorney, had not been admitted to the bar.

More Trouble for the Fair People.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Opposition by organized labor to the award by the World's Fair management of the contract for printing the official catalogue to the W. B. Conkey Company has become widespread and aggressive, and serious results may follow, as it is believed an effort will be made to defeat the proposed fight for Sunday opening.

Mutiny on the Ship Willie Reed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Capt. Yates, of the ship Willie Reed, in port here, says that when the ship reached the Straits of Sunda the crew became drunk and mutinous. Two of the ringleaders were shot and slightly wounded, and when the ship reached Kobe they were turned over to the United States Consul, who sent them to jail.

A Girl's Remarkable Escape.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 12.—Mamie Sweet, aged 12 years, daughter of the head waiter at the Wyoming House, leaped from a seventh story window at her home on Lackawanna avenue to escape punishment for having wrongly delivered a package for her mother. She fell 125 feet and suffered no injury other than a dislocated shoulder and a severe cut on one leg.

Here's a Chance for an Artist.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The Department of Agriculture wants an assistant artist for the division of Illustrations and Engravings, at $1,200 per annum. The applicant must pass a Civil Service examination on letter writing, water color painting, drawing and shading in lead pencil, and pen drawing of biological objects.

Trying to Save a Boy's Life.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 12.—Gov. Flower will not decide the application for a commutation of the death sentence of Peter Schultz, the 16-year-old Brooklyn boy who caused the death of an infant, until he has consulted with the judge who heard the case.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Tuesday: For New Jersey: Generally Fair; Threatening Weather in the Southern Portions Tuesday Afternoon; Variable Winds.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The first assembly of the season will be danced at the Casino to-night.

—Up to noon to-day Rogers's bicycle census was: Wheels, 448; riders, 672.

—The furniture store men have agreed to keep their stores open evenings until after Christmas.

—Interesting information for housewives is contained in the advertisement of Rice & Co. to-day.

—Better bargains can be had at Hulett's on pianos than can be had anywhere else. 74 West Front street.

—Christmas gifts in variety may be selected from the stock at Stephenson's, 53 West Front street.

—A pleasant time is assured the boys who attend the entertainment at the Boys' club to-night at 7:30.

—Do you want to buy a first-class piano or organ? If so, don't forget to call and see the fine display at Hulett's.

—The Crescents will bowl the Elizabeth Field club in the *Journal* trophy tournament to-morrow night, instead of the Y. M. C. L. Saturday night.

—Sherwin is ready for the Christmas trade on shoes, slippers, etc. When you spend your money for presents of this kind you are selecting something that will be useful.

—While the play progressed at the Casino, Saturday evening, either the hack drivers or miscreants outside the building, ate and carried away all the ice-cream from the freezers that awaited time for dessert.

—Vanderbeek & Sattels have been established in their present business for 40 years. Those who buy pianos and organs on the installment plan will do well to consider this. They carry all leases and contracts in their own name. 33 Park avenue. 2t

—Ballantine & Co., of Newark, the celebrated beer makers, announce elsewhere in THE PRESS that Frank Linke is no longer served by them and that their famous "Export" and other brands can only be obtained of William Cawley, Somerville, who proposes to start a branch here.

—There should be a full house at Music Hall, Wednesday night, when "The Power of Gold", a new melodrama, will be played. One of the great scenes is the passage of a canal boat through a lock. "The Power of Gold" is a "howling" success. Theodore Roberts as an English thief, is immensely applauded, and Chas. Frew takes cares of the comic business of the piece.

—In the cast of "A Breezy Time", to be played at Music Hall, Friday evening, there are five comedians and four comediennes. The principals are E. B. Fitz and Kathryn Webster. A great deal of original and tuneful music has been composed specially for the production. "A Breezy Time" is a veritable mint of mirth, and it depends for success on legitimate ability on the part of the performers rather than upon "suggestiveness".

—"The Power of Gold", a dramatic picture of current London life, controlled by Walter Sanford, will be played at Music Hall Wednesday evening. The elements are about the same as those found in London melodramas, and they are arranged with a skill gained by long and close observation of the particular public to be appealed to. It is replete with realism and effective with congenial assemblages. As an example of stage-craft applied to the amusement of the multitude it is a success.

—Call at Vanderbeek & Sattel's new piano and organ warerooms, (up-stairs), 33 Park avenue, where you will find the best assortment of pianos and organs ever offered in this city. They can sell at lower prices than anyone else for two reasons. First, they buy for cash. Second, they have no rent to pay. They are thus enabled to reduce the cost of instruments by just so much. To those contemplating the purchase of a fine holiday present we would say when shopping, call and see for yourself. 33 Park avenue, Plainfield. 2t

—The unequivocal success of the October performance of "Patience" at Westfield, has created a widespread demand for its repetition, in obedience to which the opera will be repeated in the hall of the Westfield Athletic club-house, with the original cast, on Thursday. Encouraged by the flattering reception of their first effort, the ladies and gentlemen comprising the cast and chorus have formed a permanent association, under the title of the Alcæus society, having for its object the studying, and when occasion arises, the performing of various light operas and other musical works. The membership of this society is limited to 40, is complete, and consists of a number of soloists of merit and an efficient chorus of well-balanced voices. The society meets weekly for study, and is at present at work on the "Mikado", to be produced in January or February.

Chicken Thieves Committed.

By skillful detective work, marshal Pangborn discovered the identity of the gang of poultry thieves that has been raiding borough henneries. Saturday night he arrested two of them, and both were committed to the Somerville jail by Judge Crosley to await the action of the grand jury—Peter Ritter for stealing the fowls, and Lewis Claus as an accessory for selling them. A third man accused has taken the alarm and disappeared.

Chronic coughers are stupid bores and should be forced to use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the only infallible remedy.

MR. CLEVELAND HAD NO FAITH

In the Boasts That New Jersey Could be Persuaded to Swing Away.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Is there any possible or satisfactory way of deciding this bet that a friend has made with me: "New Jersey was so much in doubt before election, that Mr. Cleveland himself had given it up?"

TARIFF REFORMER.

We think we can settle that claim most thoroughly and satisfactorily by the following quotation from a letter of Mr. Cleveland's received three days before election:

J. A. Demarest, Esq.

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I have never had any faith in the boasts which have from time to time been made, that New Jersey could be persuaded to swing away from her Democratic moorings, and I look for a result which will bring rejoicing to Democratic hearts and emphasize the stanch Democracy of your State.

Very truly yours,
GROVER CLEVELAND.

STREET RAILWAY EXTENSION.

Every Section of the City Should Be Reached by the Electric Cars.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—What's the matter with our street railway? Has it come to a dead stop at its last terminus? Cannot public opinion get at another block or two, or must we poor mortals who are not so fortunate as to own a carriage still "walk by faith", until those obstructionists, to this great improvement which is so greatly desired by the walking fraternity of which there is a very large majority, shall be removed by Providence or some other legal source? It does seem that the great comfort and convenience which this short line has demonstrated to the public travel should overcome every little petty objection that heretofore existed among persons exercised by purely selfish motives. Certainly the greatest good to the greatest number ought to actuate the motives of every citizen. We hope to see this grand enterprise so satisfactorily begun, which we are satisfied will build up our city and add to the comfort and convenience of its citizens, soon extended. It is as great as, if not greater than, any other enterprise that has ever been started in our city.

A PEDESTRIAN.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cadmus and baby Helen, of 78 Duer street, are home again from Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Leggett and Master Bertram are visiting Mr. Leggett's brother at Asbury Park.

The special cover for the Christmas number of *Harper's Weekly* just out, is the work of George Wharton Edwards of this city.

J. Ran Dunn, who went to Ashville, N. C., some six weeks ago, has secured a position at the Mountain Park Hotel, Hot Springs, N. C.

City judge-elect Coddington will be sworn into office between 4 and 5 this afternoon. His term begins the first Monday in January.

Cards of invitation are out for a reception to be given by Mrs. William E Lowe and Mrs. Howard Fleming, at the home of the latter, from 4 to 7.

Elcy Ann Craig, age 61, died at the residence of her brother, Joseph J. Randolph, 13 Elmwood place, yesterday. Funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3.

Grover Cleveland's little daughter has a namesake in Plainfield, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Stryker, 66 New street. Ruth's birthday was Thursday, when she tipped the scales at 7 pounds.

Mrs. William Morgan, sister of Samuel D. and Augustus Frazee, of this city, died this morning at Morris Heights, N. Y., after a lingering illness. Her remains will be brought to this city for interment.

The death of Mrs. Harriet F. Smalley occurred yesterday, at the home of Charles H. Buckalew, her brother-in-law, 10 West Fifth street. She was 55 years old. The funeral will be at 2:30 to-morrow afternoon.

SETTLING WITH THE INJURED.

The Railroad Company Finds the Plainfield Victims Disposed to Show Fight.

Miss Kingston, a dressmaker for Mrs. C. M. Fine, whose leg was scratched in the Greenville collision, was paid $20 by the railroad company in full for damages. Others of the injured were approached, but without success, and the company will probably have to stand several suits for damages. Among those who declined to accept the company's terms were Theodore J. Miller, Elmer E. Runyon and G. W. V. Moy.

Gala Times at the Rink.

The crowds present at the Crescent rink last Saturday made one think of old times—the crowd in the evening being the largest of the season except on Thank-giving. In the afternoon an additional attraction was the first trial heat for the school championship one mile skating race for a gold watch, which is to be awarded in the final race Christmas night.

Polo and Indoor Foot-Ball.

The two above games are being arranged for at the Crescent rink, the Military Academy scholars hoping to secure next Thursday night for a game of each sport with two strong outside teams.

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EVERY ONE A STAR.

Highly Creditable Production of "Young Mrs. Winthrop" at the Casino.

The annual amateur dramatic entertainment of the Union County Country club, given at the Casino Saturday evening, was notable, first on account of the large and brilliant audience present, which was a representative fashionable gathering of Plainfield's best society, and second by reason of the excellent entertainment offered by those concerned in the stage performance.

The play of "Young Mrs. Winthrop" was performed in a highly creditable manner throughout, and the usual mishaps and general nervousness which often mar first-night performances, even when given by veteran actors, were noticeably absent from last Saturday evening's representation. The general effect was of a smooth and enjoyable performance, each part of which had evidently been carefully prepared, while every detail necessary to insure the comfort and pleasure of the spectators had had due attention.

The stage settings were remarkably handsome and elaborate, and it was plain that a skilled hand had been employed in arranging whatever would enhance the artistic effect of the actors' environments and accessories. In one scene, the action occurs at 2 a. m. on the night of a fashionable ball in the gay world. From the enjoyable excitement of this festive affair, *Constance Winthrop* returns to find, in the silence and oppressive darkness of her home, a foreboding of the grief which soon crushes her, in the death of her child as dawn approaches. This scene was one of the most striking and effective of the entire performance. As the curtains opened the stage was seen to be in darkness, save for the flickering light of a half-extinguished wood fire at one side. As *Constance* entered and stood in a pensive pose in the red glow of the fire-light, her opera-cloak thrown back, showing her robed in a handsome ball dress, and decked with a blaze of jewels, the picture presented to the eye was a charming one, while the impressive pause of silence which preceded her opening speech was filled by the gentle and pathetic strains of Jungman's "*Heimweh*", softly played by the orchestra as an appropriate accompaniment to the scene.

Of the cast it may be said that Mrs. J. Parker Mason, in the title-role of the play, gave a performance of her difficult part that was remarkable for an amateur actress. The part calls for the display of a wide range of emotion, and for its adequate interpretation requires considerable real dramatic strength. Mrs. Mason gave a forcible and artistic portrayal of the character, her fine stage presence, well-modulated voice and expressive face being important factors in the success which she unquestionably achieved.

The companion-part, that of *Douglas Winthrop*, was played in the right spirit by John B. Blake, his best work being in a strongly-emotional scene. Here he succeeded admirably in a realistic simulation of the broken voice and tear-blinded eyes of a man under the pressure of strong grief.

In effective contrast to these more serious bits of acting, some amusing comedy-scenes were cleverly played by Mrs. Charles E. Brooks as a light-hearted and effervescent young heroine of the divorce-courts, and by William B. Cook in the character of a bluff old lawyer.

A pair of juvenile lovers, impersonated by Harry Sargent and Mrs. William L. Saunders, contributed some sprightly semi-sentimental scenes of love-making. Mrs. Saunders deserves special mention for her portrayal of *Edith Gray*, a blind girl. The characteristics of a blind person were faithfully reproduced—the hesitating walk, the wide-open, unseeing eyes, the eager recognition of persons and objects by touch or hearing—all were reproduced with sympathetic and artistic fidelity. In one scene, the blind girl suddenly discovers the presence of someone in the room in which she had thought herself alone. Reaching out her hand, she whispers, "Let me guess who it is!" It is her lover, who then silently touches a finger, only, to the blind girl's outstretched hand. She at one cries, "*Herbert!*" dropping, in her confusion, a rose she has been holding, which he, knowing he is unseen, silently kisses before restoring it to her. This brief interval of by-play, as done by Mrs. Saunders and Mr. Sargent on Saturday evening, was a most delicate and natural bit of acting.

Mrs. Medina was a lovable old lady, as *Ruth Winthrop*, and Charles E. Brooks was satisfactory as an old family doctor. Roger Erickson enacted a dignified butler, and Miss Massett was an attractive maid.

The entire production was directed by Harry S. Blake, of New York, with J. Parker Mason as stage-manager, Charles J. Fisk in charge of the properties and accessories, and Louis J. Cornu, of the Standard Theater, New York, as musical director.

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SMALLEY—In this city Dec. 11, 1892, Mrs. Harriet F Smalley, in her 55 h year

Funeral services at the residence of her brother-in-law, Charles H. Puckal w, No. 10 West 5th street, Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 2:30 p. m.

CRAIG—In this city Dec. 11, 1892, Elcy Ann Craig, in her 61st year

Funeral services at the residence of her brother, Joseph J. Randolph, No. 13 Elmwood place, Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 3:00 p m.

Administrators' Sale.

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The undersigned administrators of Job Male, deceased, hereby give notice that the articles comprising the art collection of Cheloonne, known as the "Schoonmaker collection, purchased by the late Mr. Male for over $9,000, will be sold at public vendue to the highest bidders on

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D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 158, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres.

Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.

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Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

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A. Kleinecke, Regent.

H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

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THE GREENVILLE COLLISION.

Superintendent Olhausen's Statement About the Responsibility.

The statement of the Central railroad officials concerning the collision at Greenville places the blame mainly on the engineer, Oscar Durand, of the Long Branch train. Mr. Durand was for a number of years a resident of Elizabeth, and is a man in whom the highest confidence is imposed. He is, as Mr. Olhausen, the superintendent, admits, one of the best engineers on the Central railroad, and very popular among its patrons.

The statement of trainmaster Frech was that no one was to blame, but superintendent Olhausen is reported to have said that it was clearly disobedience of orders on part of engineer Durand. Mr. Olhausen said the block system in use on the Central railroad is practically perfect, and if the employes obeyed orders any such accident would be impossible. This is the first of the kind in a very long time.

"We cannot make men infallible, nor careful and of good judgment,"—said superintendent Olhausen.—"We select our employes for their qualities of caution and good discretion and bind them with rules which would make accidents impossible. If a man does not follow the rule, we are helpless. Durand disobeyed orders in running at a rate of speed which made it impossible for him to stop at the Greenville signal. Hubert used very bad judgment in stopping the High Bridge train as he did, considering the circumstances of the dense fog. There is no rule covering such a case. But no matter how or where the train had stopped, the block system would have entirely protected it had orders been properly obeyed.

"We had another collision on the road the same day under similar circumstances of disobeying orders. That was a rear-end collision. Asked why he did n't stop at the danger signal, the engineer said he was talking to his fireman as he ran by it and did n't see it. He ran by a second time while he was 'looking at his time card'. We are helpless in such cases."

Wolcott Balestier's Colorado Novel.

In the December *Century Magazine* is printed the first instalment of "Benefits Forgot", a novel from the pen of the young American author Wolcott Balestier, whose early death in Dresden a year ago cut short a career which such friends as Henry James, Edmund Gosse, and W. D. Howells believe would have brought the highest credit to American literature.

The scene of "Benefits Forgot" is laid in Colorado. Balestier twice visited that State, and to the end of his brief career his last sojourn in the West remained his most vivid and fascinating experience. The large issues of life in Colorado moved him profoundly, and though an Eastern man by birth and a resident of Europe at his death, it was to Colorado that his imagination turned, and it is to that State his notable work belongs.

At Leadville, in 1884, he made the first rude sketch of the novel which has now begun to appear in *The Century*. It was there that he found the large and vital background for the virile types of humanity that his imagination was so fond of creating. The characters in "Benefits Forgot" are of a much higher type than Balestier has depicted in his short stories, "Reffey", etc.; and the towns of "Maverick" and "Topaz" are as real as Denver and Leadville,—although it is the Colorado of ten years ago that Balestier describes.

The manuscript of "Benefits Forgot" was sent to the editor of *The Century* by a common friend in England. The name of the author was withheld, and the story was virtually accepted for serial publication with no knowledge of the author. A short time after, Mr. Balestier was in New York, and while he was in *The Century* office arranging for the publication of "The Naulahka", which he and Rudyard Kipling had written together, the editor happened to mention, with praise, "Benefits Forgot", and in his half-concealed pleasure the "secret" of its authorship was forthwith revealed.

His death from typhoid fever came a few months later, and so it is that "Benefits Forgot" is a posthumous novel, and the last piece of writing from the pen of its talented young author. Balestier's sister is now the wife of Rudyard Kipling, and they are living at the Balestier homestead in Brattleboro, Vermont.

Hope Chapel Lost Twice.

The Arlington bowling team defeated the Hope chapel team in two games, Saturday.

FIRST GAME.

ARLINGTONS.		HOPE CHAPEL.	
Booth	88	Steward	88
Bertie	93	Cosle	73
M. Sutphen	121	Martin	98
J. Sutphen	87	Smith	90
C. Sutphen	126	Young	105
	515		454

SECOND GAME.

ARLINGTONS.		HOPE CHAPEL.	
Booth	74	Steward	98
J. Sutphen	107	Pierson	94
M. Sutphen	122	Firstbrook	96
Bertie	93	Weston	112
C. Sutphen	138	Marin	91
	534		489

"The Prodigal Father."

This evening, Messrs. C. B. Jefferson, Klaw & Erlanger will present at the Broadway theater, following "The Country Circus", for the first time in New York, a new comedy by Glen MacDonough, entitled "The Prodigal Father". The company will include George Denham, Miss Cora Macy, Geo. C. Boniface, jr.; Miss Hope Ross, Walter Pleugh, George Gaston, Miss Irene Francklyn and Miss Blanche Chapman.

"The Prodigal Father" has been touring the United States since Sept. 5, and has been cordially welcomed as a clean merrymaker in every city in which it has thus far been seen.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

GOOD SAMARITANS.

They Subscribe for a Poor Man's Losses While Watching His House Burn Down.

Frank Stansbury, colored, who used to be the star coachman of all Plainfield, but who of late has been a lawn gardener, was burned out this morning. He had a humble cabin on Westervelt avenue, beyond Mountain avenue. His wife was out washing, and he was down town to buy lumber to erect an extension to his dwelling. Fire started from an unknown cause, and before the fire department could reach the scene the building and all its contents were in ashes. Nothing was saved. The cabin of Den Sutphen adjoining was also destroyed; and a third building, also owned by Mr. Sutphen, was afire. This, however, was saved by the borough firemen.

There was not a cent of insurance, and Stansbury felt very bad. The generous-hearted citizens, however, knowing him to be honest, hard-working and reliable, promptly started a subscription to buy lumber to rebuild his home. Many gave cash, others contributed clothing and bedding. If any readers wish to give to a good cause, THE PRESS will be glad to receive and forward contributions for the fund.

The "Trenton Press" Suspends.

The *Trenton Press* has suspended publication and the affairs of the company are to be wound up and the debts paid as soon as possible. Those interested in the concern held a conference yesterday and concluded that owing to the fact that the paper was without an editor, and that there was no likelihood of Harry C. Valentine, the principal stockholder, being able to resume his duties for some time to come, there was no other alternative but to suspend publication. Mr. Valentine is now in Richmond, Va., sick, and has been so for the past three months. He was obliged to neglect the paper, and complications followed.

A Butler in Livery a Novelty in Plainfield.

Roger Erickson should be congratulated on the fact that his many friends in the audience at the Casino Saturday evening recognized him even in the unusual costume of a butler. That their loud mirth disturbed the players did not seem to lessen their enjoyment of their friend's strange garb. The seeming fact that a man-servant in livery is such an unwonted sight should be taken advantage of by some enterprising tradesman, who would undoubtedly make money by exhibiting one.

A Commuters' Club to be Incorporated.

Those favored ones who ride in the club cars between Plainfield and New York, are to be incorporated in an association known as the "Commuters' Club". A new car, 7 feet longer than the "Howard", is being built and those who now are spread over three cars will be accommodated in two palatial ones. The incorporation is for the purpose of taking the financial responsibility off the shoulders of two or three individuals.

The Signals All Right; the Men to Blame.

The New Brunswick *Home News* says: "Those accidents on the Central railroad on Thursday ought to convince the officials of that line that they can save money and human lives by putting in the block system of signals."

For the enlightenment of the *Home News*, it may be stated that the Central already has the best block system in the world. The trouble was that the trainmen were blockheaded.

Those Big Jars at Their Old Tricks.

The sun's hot rays were focused through a big globe of colored chemical in a show window of Leggett's pharmacy, yesterday, so that three holes were burned in a curtain.

Question as to the Title.

It is claimed that F. X. Schoonmaker collection of cloisonne was sold to Mr. Male with the understanding that it should remain a public exhibit and eventually become the property of the public library. There seems, however, to be no legal evidence of this, and the auction sale set for Thursday is therefore likely to proceed without obstacle.

Got All They Strived for.

(New York Herald.)

It was not a Republican victory in Plainfield, at all, as most of the newspapers seem to think. It was a pronounced Democratic victory. The Democrats fought only for the city judgeship, and they elected their man. Their Republican victim was ex-assemblyman Ulrich, the organizer of the State Republican League clubs.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad could hardly breathe. some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

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PRIEST CORRIGAN'S CASE

The Trial of the Hoboken Pastor Begins To-Day.

HIS CONTEST WITH BISHOP WIGGER.

Likelihood That the Case Will be One of the Most Important in the Catholic Church in Recent Years—Father Corrigan vs. Editor Walsh.

NEWARK, Dec. 12.—To-day in the pastoral residence of St. Patrick's Cathedral, in this city, begins the trial of Rev. Patrick Corrigan, pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Grace, Hoboken. The case will probably be one of the most famous in the Catholic Church in recent years. The whole country is interested in it.

At first the affair was a personal matter between Father Corrigan and Bishop Wigger. The priest attacked the recent German Catholic Congress at Newark. He said that its members were aiming to Germanize the country through the Catholic Church. Bishop Wigger resented this attack, declaring that Father Corrigan had insulted him, Archbishop Corrigan and the others who attended the Congress.

Father Corrigan then severely criticised Bishop Wigger's administration of the Newark diocese. The Bishop cited the priest for trial before the ecclesiastical court of the diocese. Father Corrigan was not silenced by the Bishop's action. He continued to write letters in which he reiterated his earlier statements.

Father Corrigan, it is said, voices the sentiments of the majority of the priests of the country who are not Germans. There is a bitter feeling between the Irish-American and German priests of the United States. Father Corrigan's stand at this time against Cahensly makes him the mouthpiece of the priests who are opposed to the attitude of the Germans. In his trial the contest between the two elements of the Catholic clergy will naturally come up, it is said. For this reason the case is one of national importance.

The Rev. J. J. O'Connor, Vicar General of the Newark diocese and professor of dogmatic theology in the diocesan seminary, is to be the judge. Father Corrigan is to be represented by the Rev. Dr. Richard Lalor Burtsell of Rondout, formerly pastor of the Epiphany church in New York, who was Dr. McGlynn's ecclesiastical lawyer in the deposed priest's controversy with Archbishop Corrigan.

For his action in the McGlynn case Dr. Burtsell was transferred from the Epiphany church to a country parish at Rondout. He is regarded as one of the ablest ecclesiastical lawyers in the country. Bishop Wigger will be represented by the Rev. Dr. S. S. Smith of Paterson, who is the author of a work on ecclesiastical law.

The charges against Father Corrigan are maliciously inciting odium against the members of the German Congress held at Newark, as Germans, and against Bishop Wigger, as Bishop of the Newark diocese. It is believed that Bishop Wigger will not appear at the trial. In diocesan trials the bishop generally acts as judge, but because Father Corrigan had attacked him personally Bishop Wigger decided not to be the judge. Father Corrigan protested against the appointment of Father O'Connor as judge, and asked Bishop Wigger to let Archbishop Satolli try the case. Bishop Wigger would not consent to these proposals.

Father Corrigan's statements regarding Editor Walsh, of the New York "Sunday Democrat," have excited particular comment. He said:

"I see by a morning paper that Michael Walsh, the disreputable greenhorn Irish journalist, continues his scurrilous charges against me in his capacity of 'orthodox Catholic' editor and defender of Archbishop Corrigan, Bishop Wigger and Mgr. Satolli.'

"It is a disgrace to have this man's name connected with the defense of any cause, much less with that of honorable men and distinguished ecclesiastics, and I would not have touched him at all had he not, by distorting and misrepresenting facts that were known only to Bishop Wigger and his chancellor, Rev. Denis McCartie revealed to some extent the source of his inspiration.

"Bishop Wigger unconsciously disgraced Seton Hall by conferring upon this bosom friend of his reverend chancellor—and presumably at the request of the latter—the title of L.L. D.

"During the late presidential campaign this man, who claimed an interest in two little obscure weekly papers, is charged with having offered one of them to the Democrats and the other to the Republicans, and he now claims that he has Archbishop Corrigan's influence in his aspirations to the office of Internal Revenue Collector, now held by Major Kirwin. This claim must be false, and a person of Walsh's antecedents is the last man that Mr. Cleveland would dream of appointing to office.

"His assertion that 'Archbishop Corrigan, Bishop Wigger and Mgr. Concilio have convicted the Hoboken rector of misrepresentation and lies' is false, and he knows that it is false, if he has any regard for the truth.

"The Archbishop has not disproved, or attempted to disprove, the truth of my statement of his strained relations with Bishop Wigger.

"Mgr. Concilio has not denied that he wrote a secret pamphlet to the Pope, and when I charged him with having accused the Irish, though he himself is pastor of an Irish parish while claiming to be a hot Cahenslyite, he did not dare to produce a copy of the pamphlet as a final settlement of the question.

"I have the authority of a distinguished Archbishop, now in Europe, that such was the charge. Let him produce the pamphlet if I have been misinformed.

"The charge that my statement of Bishop Wigger's treatment of Mgr. Doane is a lie, is also false. I am aware that Bishop Wigger, in a communication to the papers under his own name, has denounced my statement as an 'unmitigated falsehood,' but I am also aware that my statement is perfectly true to the letter and that Mgr. Doane, himself, has in his possession the proofs of my truthfulness."

Not His First Attempt at Arson.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Dec. 12.—Joseph Cheesbro, who set fire to Edward O'Connor's barn at Cromwell, Friday night, and was arrested in this city Saturday, is the same man who set fire to the Methodist church here some time ago.

Increase in Exportation of Breadstuffs.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—There has been a decrease of nearly $7,000,000 in the exportation of breadstuffs from the United States during the last month as compared with November, 1891.

All our city fathers say: Use Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain, for rheumatism and neuralgia. 25c.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

The Roasting Does It.

An imperial cereal is Roasted Oats, the fine new breakfast food which has already found favor among good housewives. The flavor is delicious, the grain is wholesome and nutritious, and the roasting process has effectually killed all possible deleterious germs. The cooking of the oats is on exhibition to-day and to-morrow at the grocery of Neuman Bros., and will be at George W. Bockfellow's Wednesday and Thursday, and at J. A. Smith's Friday and Saturday. Call and sample the peerless production.

Union Doesn't Want Bayonne.

There is a movement on foot to annex Bayonne to Union county. It is probably suggested by the linking of Bayonne in the Eighth congressional district with Union. The natural boundary line between Union and Hudson counties is the bay that separates Bayonne from the territory beyond, and the New York *Herald* thinks that there is small likelihood of the annexation scheme succeeding.

News of the Sportsmen.

Messrs. Thomas Keller, Nief Apgar and Capt. William Crammer started yesterday for North Carolina on a two weeks' hunting trip.

The game season closes with Dec. 15. The black bass season closed Dec. 1.

Daniel Terry, A. Trust, Douglas Darby and several others, returned from a two weeks' hunting trip in Virginia last Saturday. They met with fine success among the quail.

Eruption of the Skin Cured.

Ed. Venney, Brockville, Ontario, Canada, says:—"I have used BRANDETH'S PILLS for the past fifteen years, and think them the best carthetic and anti-billous remedy known. For some five years I have suffered from an eruption of the skin that gave me great pain and annoyance. I tried different blood remedies, but, although gaining strength the itching was unrelieved. I finally concluded to take a thorough course of BRANDETH'S PILLS. I took six each night for four nights, then five, four, three, two, lessening each time by one, and then for one month took one every night, with the happy result that now my skin is perfectly clear and has been so ever since.

I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years; Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. W. Willard, druggist, Joliett, Ill

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THE BEST COUGH CURE

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TIMELY ADVICE.

See what we have before going to the city to purchase your Christmas gifts.

STEPHENSON'S,

53 WEST FRONT ST.

12 12 2w

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

A FINE violin for sale. Address M., care Press. 12 6 6

WANTED—Girl for general housework; reference required. 33 Sandford avenue. 12 10 3

FOUND—On North avenue, a silk umbrella with silver handle. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for advertisement.

A QUANTITY of money to loan at five per cent. in sums to suit, on bond and mortgage. Address P. O. box 312. 12 12 6

WANTED—Immediately, experienced nurse girl for three-year-old child Address F. M. B., care Press. 12 9 3

XMAS wreaths and roping, palms, etc., at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 12 10 3

UPRIGHT piano for sale; $60 asked; must be sold; no fair offer refused. as owner is leaving town. Address H. Ellis, North Plainfield. 12 10 3

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 15 Craig Place. 12 10 tf

LOST—Half grown black kitten with red ribbon around neck. Return to C. Thorp, corner 2d street and Central avenue and receive reward. 12 9 3

FOR SALE—Paff's hotel, Scotch Plains; would exchange for Plainfield business property. Paff, Scotch Plains. 12 5 10

GOOD rooms and board. 26 Central avenue. 12 3 27

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS p e 11 14tf.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

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ARE NOW
ON EXHIBITION.

Take your pick at prices you never dreamed of before from an endless variety of iron, tin and wood toys, all sorts of blocks and games, Japanese dolls, screens, trays, electric motors, fancy shell boxes, photograph and autograph albums, fancy plush and wood work boxes, "merry Christmas" novelties in place of cards, children's pianos, black boards, velocipedes, juvenile books, varied and exceedingly beautiful, 50 different styles of fancy china cups and saucers, plates and bread and milk sets, fancy scrap and other baskets, card and cutting tables with folding legs, shoe blackening cases and commodes, children's chairs and wash sets, tables, dishes in china and pewter, dolls and dolls' beds, chairs, furniture, drums, horns, sleighs, horses and carts, express wagons, doll's carriages, single and double rockers, tool chests, Christmas tree ornaments, wax candles, bisque figures, china and glass vases, silver plated ware 25 cent display, sheet music, plush goods in many designs, lamps for everyone, stationery, soaps, combs, brushes, plate and common mirrors, large framed pictures, Royal Tooth Powder, surpassing all others at less than half their cost, harmonicas and music boxes, pocket and table cutlery, elegant carving sets, day books, ledgers, memorandums, etc., banks of all kinds, steam engines, magic and other lanterns, toad novelties, singing birds, ten pins, Noah's arks, scrap books and pictures, and this only hints at our immense stock.

Come and see us and you are money in by odds. Large crayon portrait free, guaranteed to please, when purchases to the amount of ten dollars have been punched from card given on application.

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No politics about this. The protection of the hour is a protection against the cold blasts of winter. For a supply of cold weather Clothing, such as Heavy Weight Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Leather Coats, at lowest cash prices, call on

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11 1 2m

Christmas Gifts.

The latest novelties in Jewelry—beautiful designs in Stirling Silver, 14 karat gold and roll plate. Largest stock; greatest variety in the city at

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Have a fine new assortment of

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Also a fine line of Fancy Goods, Sliced Chutney (Bombay) Canadian Cheese, Anchvoiesin Oil, Edam Cheese.

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In gallons, half gallons, quarts and pints. R. & S. Flemington Sausage.

Telephone 75 B Corner Emily and Duer Streets.

Ready for Christmas!

You can't make any kind of a present that will be any more useful than some article of Footwear. We have got them, Slippers, House Shoes, Rubber Boots Overshoes, etc. You can't go amiss.

SHERWIN'S,

23 West Front Street. Strictly Cash.

Shiloh's Cough Cure

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price, 50c. and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Avenue, opposite railroad station. 6-16-7

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Tuesday and Saturday Nights and Saturday Afternoon,

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EVENING PRICES.

Package of 10 admissions for.....$1 00
Or single admission for..... 25 cents
Package of 10 surface checks for....$1 00
Or single surface checks..... 25 cents
Package of 5 skate checks for.....$1 00
Or single skate checks..... 25 cents

SATURDAY AFTERNOON PRICES.

Single admission.....10 cents
Single surface checks.....10 cents
Single skate check.....15 cents

NOTICE—Surface checks are sold only to persons bringing their own skates.

Grand Xmas and New Year's skating festival Dec. 26, and January 2.

Prepare for the great spectacular carnival, the date of which will be announced later.

11 28 tf

1892 TAXES!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of

THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD,

That the taxes assessed in said city for the year 1892 are now due and payable, and that if the said taxes be not paid by the

20th Day of December Next

The names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal

In cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

Fourth Tuesday In November Next

(the 22d), and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1, 1892. 10 6 tf

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We will sell 500 fine large Curtains, 3 yards long, at 50c. each.

We will sell 8-4 Turkey Red Table Covers at 90c. each.

We will sell Dress Patterns of 8 yards each for $3.98, former price 75c. per yard.

We will sell 10-piece English Porcelain Toilet Sets for $2.40 per set.

We will sell fine Chenile Curtains $1.89 each.

We will sell the best Germantown Yarn, Utopia and Arcadia for 13c. skein.

We will sell Men's all-wool Cardigan Jackets for $1.25 and $1.50, were $2.00 each.

We are selling Gloves and Mittens of all kinds for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children at reduced prices.

Our immense stock of Underwear to be sold and down go prices to what they cost to make.

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The finest line of Heating and Cook Stoves in the city. Parlor Stoves from $4.50 up; Cook Stoves from $12 up.

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MARKETS IN MOSCOW.

Peculiar Phases of Life in a Large Russian City.

A vast deal of business is done in Russia by peddling, writes Frank Carpenter in a letter from the old Russian capital. On many of the broad streets of Moscow there are long lines of open-air stands, and bare-headed Russian men and frowsy-headed women sell fruit, vegetables and knick-knacks under the blaze of the hot sun. There is an immense business done in little booths, and the so-called thieves' market is a fixed institution of every Russian city. This name has come largely from the guides, and there is no doubt that many of the articles sold are stolen. The truth, however, is that these markets are second-hand markets, and that many of the fine articles which these Jews and Russian second-hand dealers

A PEDDLER OFFERING PRETZELS.

sell have come to them in a legitimate way. This second-hand market in St Petersburg covers nearly a whole block. The buildings which constitute it are cut up into all sorts of angles by arcades and you go through narrow aisles out upon which look little cells packed full of second-hand goods and presided over by hard-looking women and villainous men. It is said that one's pocketbook is not safe in this quarter and that a stranger ought not to go through it alone. I had a guide with me, and though the crowd was rather noisy and somewhat impudent in their requests that I should buy of them, I saw nothing very dangerous or terrible. In some of these shops you will find the finest of silver plate. There are bushels of watches and old rugs which are almost worth their weight in gold. The dealers, however, thoroughly appreciate the value of their goods, and real bargains are scarce. Much of the stuff is said to be brought to the market by servants, and now and then you can pick up a piece of bric-a-brac or plate that has been stolen from one of the palaces. Russia has a system of pawnbroking, and the pawnshops are connected with the government. The money is loaned upon pledged articles at a fixed rate, and all pledges which are not redeemed are sold at auction. This takes away a great deal of the pawning from the Jews, and the result is that you see few pawnbroking shops with the golden balls above them here. The Jews, however, lend a great deal of money on mortgages, and the chief objection to them on the part of the Russians is that shortly after a Jew settles in a peasant village he is found to possess a mortgage on every piece of valuable property in the village. The Russians themselves live from hand to mouth, and both peasants and nobles spend their money as fast as they make it. They are great borrowers and are wonderfully improvident. The result is that the thrifty Jew has no trouble in getting away with them, and this is largely the reason that the czar and his government are anxious to get rid of him. There is a law in Russia that any Jew can be sent back to the place of his nativity if he moves thence without the permission of the government, and this is what is being done with the Jews who have emigrated from one part of Russia to the other. Many of the Jews, however, prefer in moving to leave the country, and it is from these we are getting a large number of our so-called expelled Jews.

THE QUEEN'S OSTRICH.

Peculiar Present Sent to Victoria by an African Potentate.

Queen Victoria is occasionally made to suffer for the fate that made her sovereign of Great Britain. Like the president of the United States, world-renowned generals and other dignitaries, the gifts which people choose to shower upon her royal highness cannot always be to her complete liking. For instance, a negro potentate has seen fit to send to England from the wilds of Western Africa an ostrich which he doubtless fondly hoped would become the queen's constant companion. The bird is rather an awkward but at the same time an extremely valuable pet. It is remarkable chiefly for its huge size and dark color. How the bird comes from a region of Africa not generally recognized as the home of the ostrich does not appear—nor why it comes to be of such unusual size and color. The queen's ostrich is computed at many times the value of an ordinary ostrich.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S OSTRICH.

THE CASAS GRANDES.

Prehistoric Ruins to Be Reproduced at the World's Fair.

Along the cliffs bounding many of the mountain streams in Arizona the explorer will find vast excavations made in the solid rock, and which at some time, long anterior to this, have been the abode of human beings. Fragments of ingeniously wrought pottery, ollas or jars, filled with charred corn and beans, are found about these mysterious caverns, and stone hammers and axes, besides other implements of the laborer, are often dug from the ground in the vicinity. These are the ruins of the cliff dwellers, about which so many conjectures have been made by scientists and so much has been written. First among these prehistoric relics, both in extent and state of preservation, are the famous "Casas Grandes." They are situated in the valley of the Gila, about twenty miles from the station of Casa Grande, on the Southern Pacific railway, and are by far the largest in extent and in the best state of

ANCIENT RUINS OF THE CASA GRANDE.

preservation of any prehistoric ruins in the United States. The features of the cliff ruins are peculiar and in all respects they are interesting, but the builders of Los Casas Grandes were to them as our Anglo-American people are to the native Indians of to-day. The "cliffs" were the abode of a hunted race who burrowed in their caves with the instinct of self preservation which comes to an animal when it would avoid its enemies; the dwellers of the valley lived in great magnificence, surrounded by their flocks, their herds and their fields of grain, devoting their attention to the development of their by no means crude arts and sciences.

In 1887 some of the prominent men of the territory petitioned the government to take some steps to protect the ruins from the ravages of time and weather. Their endeavors were successful and the department of the interior sent men to build a roof over it and such walls as would protect it from the sand and windstorms. This has been completed during the last year and the World's Fair association is making preparation to reproduce the ruin in Chicago next year. Among the prehistoric ruins of the United States this is the most prominent and most of all deserves the attention and interest of scientists. Though the narrative of its existence has gone forth to the world in many exaggerated forms, it has never been examined and passed upon by those who can give any reasonable opinion of its age and origin. With the story of the cliff dwellers, it is still a mystery and one that perhaps will never be solved. The hieroglyphics of the Egyptians have been read, but those of prehistoric America have not, and the mysterious ruin of the Casa Grande stands the monument of a people who, it seems, passed from existence almost in a day without a single definite conclusion to work their origin or extinction.

Couldn't Understand It.

Little Boy—Why mayn't I go to the concert with you and papa?

Mamma—It's classic music, and you couldn't understand it.

Little Boy—What kind of music is classic music?

Mamma—Well, it's German music.

Little Boy—Oh!—Good News.

Activity Explained.

First Citizen—The members of the board of health seem to be very active in trying to prevent the spread of cholera.

Second Citizen—Y-e-s, I guess they're afraid they might catch it themselves.—

NOTICE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1, 1892.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted at a special meeting of the directors of this Company, November 3, 1892.

RESOLVED, That in the judgment of this board it is advisable and most for the benefit of the Carolina Company that the same should be forthwith dissolved and to that end it is ordered that a meeting of the stockholders be held on Thursday, the 15th day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, at 10 a. m., at the office of the Company in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, to take action upon this resolution; and further, that the Secretary forthwith give notice of said meeting, and of the adoption of this resolution, with a notice of its ad option in the Plainfield Press, a newspaper published in Plainfield, N. J., for at least four weeks, once a week successively and by mailing a written or printed copy of the same to each and every stockholder of this Company in the United States. W. T. MINOR, Secretary.

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Union County Orphans' Court

On the application of Frederick J. Sauermann, administrator, etc., of Katharine Sauermann, deceased, for sale of land to pay debts. } Order to show cause

Frederick J. Sauermann, administrator, etc., of Katharine Sauermann, deceased, having exhibited to this Court under oath, a just and true account of the personal estate and debts of said deceased, whereby it appears that the personal estate of said deceased is sufficient to pay his debts, and requested the aid of the Court in the premises, it is, on this twenty-sixth day of October, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, ordered that all persons interested in the lands, tenements and real estate of said Katharine Sauermann, deceased, appear before the Court, at the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, on the fourth day of January next, at 10 a. m., to show cause why so much of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate of the said Katharine Sauermann, deceased, should not be sold as will be sufficient to pay his debts, or the residue ther-of, as the case may require.

By the Court,
11 1 6 caw GEO. T. PARROT, Surrogate

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Your library needs
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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 46, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 30, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 49 9 24, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 52, 1 02, 2 30, 3 13, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 02, 9 02, 10 12 11 28 P. M. Sundays—8 01, 8 52, 11 16, A. M., 12 38, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 55, 10 00, 11 35 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 36, 4 05, 4 53, 5 05, 5 36, 6 30, 7 30, 7 15, 7 55, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 20, 4 10, 5 40, 6 08, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 43, 11 a. m., 12 27, 1 58, 3 23, 4 45, 5 36, 6 05, 7 30, 8 34, 9 04, 9 20, 9 38, 10 25, 11 57 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 20, 9 34, 11 15 A. M., 2 08, 3 38, 5 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 08, 7 38, 7 45, 8 10, 9 05, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 2 00, 3 35, 4 50, 5 32, 6 30, 8 41, 8 45, 11 06, P. M. Sundays, 9 50, 11 30 A. M., 12 08, 1 10, 4 50, 6 40, 8 09, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 8 17, 9 43, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 36, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 29 A. M. 2 02, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 55, 9 20, 11 18 A. M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 55, A. M., 6 40, 7 50, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 6 20 p. m.

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5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

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6 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

6 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 29 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, and 9 05 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 27 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 8 27, 8, 11 09, a m 1,02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 5 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 27, 8 08, 9, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 57, 7 05 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 27, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 29, 9 43, 10 54, a. m., 6 20* p. m. (6 30* Baltimore only) 9 07* p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 43, 11 15 a. m., 9 09*, 9 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 29, 9 43, 10 54, a. m., 12 27, 1 59, 3 04, 5 54, 7 11 p. m., 9 07 p. m., 1 17 night. Sunday—9 34, 11 18, a. m., 2 02, 5 14, 6 55 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 43, a. m., 2 16, 4 18, 6 20* (6 30* Baltimore only) p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 43 a. m., 2 16, 4 18, 6 14* (6 55 Baltimore only) p.m. 1 17, night.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 00, 9 02, 10 15, 11 00, a. m. 2 05*, 4 55, 5 54, 6 55, 9 05, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 05 a. m. 6 05*, 8 35, 7 07, 9 05* p. m.

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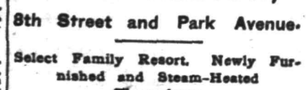

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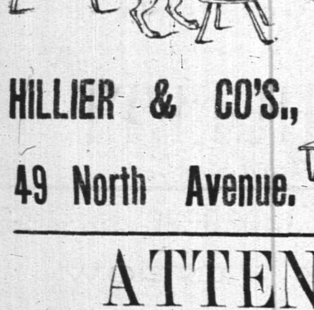

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Trans-Atlantic Lines to Abandon the Traffic.

CABIN RATES TO BE INCREASED.

The Columbian Exposition Likely to be Affected by the Action—No More Special Excursions—Brought About on Account of American Regulations Regarding Immigration—Canadians Pleased.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Mr. Peters, secretary of the North Atlantic Steamship Association, states that in view of the American regulations in regard to immigrants, the association decides to carry on its vessels only saloon and second class passengers from January 1 next. It is also decided to materially reduce the number of sailings during 1893 and to raise the saloon and second cabin rates in order to make up the loss incurred through abandoning the steerage traffic.

All special excursion rates for the Chicago Columbian Exhibition have been withdrawn by the association, and there is no doubt that this action will result in a large falling off in the number of foreign visitors to the World's Fair.

The only persons pleased by the steps are Sir Charles Tupper, Canadian High Commissioner, and Archie Baker, the European agent of the Canadian Pacific Railroad company. Mr. Baker said last night: "The United States closing down or greatly curtailing the steerage traffic cannot but assist the development of the Dominion."

The representative of the Hamburg-American line said that the United States Senate proposals would simply ruin the Hamburg shipping trade with New York as far as regarded passengers. He also predicted a certain amount of failure for the Chicago Exhibition if intending visitors were subjected to the same rules as those which are intended to apply to immigrants.

At the Guion line offices the impression seemed to prevail that the United States wanted to keep out paupers, and were going the wrong way about it. The proposals to restrict immigration wanted systematizing.

"It is a question of citizenship more than anything else," was the observation made. "Of course, if immigration is restricted it will change the character of the steamship business, and arrangements must be made by the different lines to carry a better class of passengers at better prices and more freight.

It was admitted that the restriction of immigration would injuriously affect every transatlantic liner.

Shooting Affray in Sparta, Ga.

SPARTA, Ga., Dec. 13.—A shooting affray occurred on the streets of this place yesterday. Dr. Gilmore, who wrote Third Party political letters under the nom de plume "Zollus," was killed; "Dude" West, a member of the Legislature, was shot in the arm; Ed Brown, assistant marshall, shot in a finger; Burt Amos, shot in the groin. Gilmore's sons were engaged in the shooting.

Phelps Dines a Count.

BERLIN, Dec. 13.—The Hon. William Walter Phelps, the American Minister, gave a breakfast to Count Schlippenbach, a nephew of Count von Waldersee. Among those who were present were Countess Sierstorpf, formerly Miss Carey, of Cleveland, O; Baroness Zedwitz, formerly Miss Caldwell, of Washington, D. C., and a number of other distinguished persons.

Engineer and Conductor Surrender.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 13.—Engineer Thompson and Conductor Ellison of the New England road, who are said to be responsible for the accident on that road at Southbury on Saturday morning, by which two men were killed, surrendered to Coroner Mix of New Haven county, at East Hartford, yesterday.

The Bancroft's First Trial Trip.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Dec. 13.—The Government training ship Bancroft left the dock at Moore's ship yard, Elizabethport, at noon, on its first trial trip. She went through the Kills to New York bay, thence to Sandy Hook, and from there three miles out to sea. Everything worked satisfactorily.

Divorce Granted to Mrs. Jackson.

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 13.—In the Supreme Court the divorce case of Sarah T. Zabriski Jackson vs. Frank W. Jackson was heard and the petition granted entirely upon depositions. The plaintiff is a prominent society lady, and she charges her husband with desertion, non-support, and cruel treatment.

Mrs. Huldah Yale Beecher Dead.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 13.—Mrs. Huldah Yale Beecher, a widow of the late Benjamin Beecher of this city, died yesterday, aged 82 years. She was a direct descendant of Elihu Yale, the wealthy London merchant, whose liberal benefactions are commemorated in the name of Yale University.

Socialist Riot at Ghent.

GHENT, Dec. 13.—While the police were attempting to suppress a Socialistic street demonstration outside the Catholic Club, the Socialists retaliated, using revolvers, hammers and knives. The Commissary of Police was wounded in the thigh. Five constables and thirty rioters were seriously injured.

New Cotton Mill at Great Barrington.

GREAT BARRINGTON, Mass., Dec. 13.—A syndicate of Great Barrington and New York business men have purchased some land on the Housatonic river, here, and will at once erect a wooden cotton mill, three stories high. The mill will employ about 150 hands.

Office for Miss Anthony.

ALBANY, Dec. 13.—Miss Susan B. Anthony of Rochester, the well-known woman's suffrage advocate, has been appointed Manager of the State Industrial School by Gov. Flower.

Liberal Member Returned.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Thomas Buchanan, Liberal, has been returned to the House of Commons from the Eastern Division of Aberdeenshire, vice Peter Esselemont, Liberal, resigned.

M. Coppee Ill.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—The Paris correspondent of the "Daily News" says that M. Francoise Edouard Joachim Coppee, the poet, is seriously ill with bronchitis.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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PROF. SMITH DECLARED GUILTY.

But by So Small a Majority That He Will Hardly be Expelled.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 13.—The second and third charges upon which Prof. Henry P. Smith was found guilty yesterday afternoon relate to the views held by him on inspiration.

The second charge was that he taught contrary to the Word of God and the Confession of Faith, that the Holy Spirit did not so control the inspired writers in their composition of the Holy Scriptures as to make their utterances wholly and absolutely truthful, i. e., free from error when interpreted in their natural and intended sense.

The third charge accused him of teaching an inspiration of the Scriptures in a sense different from that taught by the Scriptures themselves and by the Confession of Faith.

In view of the close vote (second charge—guilty, 36, not guilty, 20; third charge—guilty, 32, not guilty, 26), it is surmised that the penalty of excommunication will not be recommended, and possibly not even more than an admonition, as the committee is made up to include several supporters of the accused.

TRIED TO KILL A PRIEST.

Attempt Upon the Life of Father Brady of Wilkesbarre.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 13.—An attempt was made last night to assassinate Rev. Father Brady, a Catholic priest at Beaver Meadows. The priest was sitting near a window reading when he was suddenly startled by the crashing of a bullet through the window pane.

He instantly dropped his book and rushed into the street in pursuit of his would-be murderers. On account of the darkness of the night the priest could not follow the person who fired the shot.

The authorities were immediately notified and a diligent search is being made for the would-be murderer. The priest has always been on the best terms with the people hereabouts and no cause can be assigned for the attempt upon his life.

MR. BLAINE'S CONDITION.

Reports from His Home Say He is Better—The Alarming Rumor Denied.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Reports this morning from the Blaine mansion are to the effect that Mr. Blaine is better and that the alarming report yesterday was greatly exaggerated.

The report had it that Mr. Blaine had suffered a relapse and that the distinguished statesman was dying.

It was further reported that when an old friend called at the house he was unable to see Mr. Blaine. This friend asked why he was refused admission and was told that Mr. Blaine was too ill to see any one; in fact, that his condition was serious and that the family feared the worst.

Senator Gibson Much Worse.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 13.—A change for the worse took place in the condition of Senator Gibson last night and his death is now momentarily expected. His condition has been such for several days past as to cause some hopes of his recovery, but those hopes have been entirely dispelled by this change.

The Jubilee Pilgrimages.

ROME, Dec. 13.—The Vatican has made final arrangements as to the dates of the jubilee pilgrimages to this city next year. The pilgrimages will be made in two series, the first to begin in January and end in May and the second to begin in September and end with the year.

Ordered Released from Prison.

HARTFORD, Dec. 13.—The State Board of Pardons has ordered the release from State Prison of Horace G. Peckmett, sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment for rape committed in New London county five years ago. He is dying of consumption.

Farmers Aiding Striking Operators.

HORTON, Kas., Dec. 13.—Farmers of this region have joined hands with the striking Rock Island operators, and are shipping their grain and cattle on competing lines, although in many cases they are greatly inconvenienced thereby.

Onyx Mines Closed.

PHŒNIX, Aris., Dec. 13.—The Cave Creek onyx mines, located near this city, have been indefinitely closed. Their owners state that work will remain suspended until it is known what action Congress will take on the tariff.

The Henry M. Whitney Now in Repair.

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—The extensive repairs to the steamer Henry M. Whitney, recently sunk in the harbor by collision with the steamer Ottoman, have been completed, and the steamer has left for New York.

For a Match on the Thames.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Bubear and Hosmer have signed articles for a match on the Thames to come off January 30, the match to be for 400 pounds and the "Sportsman" challenge cup, value 200 pounds.

Cordage Company in New York State.

ALBANY, Dec. 13.—The National Cordage Company filed a notice to the Secretary of State that they would do business in this State and the Secretary has granted a certificate to them.

Expect an Attack from Desperadoes.

PUEBLO, Col., Dec. 13.—The city is in the midst of great excitement, it being reported that "Buck McGonegal's" desperate band of outlaws is preparing for an attack upon the city.

A Woman Dead from Exposure.

HARTFORD, Dec. 13.—Florence Smith, a destitute woman, 26 years old, was found dead in the East Hartford meadows yesterday. The body was frozen stiff, and from the first examination it seems that death must have resulted from exposure.

THE CORRIGAN TRIAL

Bishop Wigger Was Willing to Let Mgr. Satolli Preside.

BUT THE HOBOKEN PRIEST REFUSED

Nobody Knows When the Next Session of the Court Will be Held, as a Committee Is Now Considering the Claim That Vicar General O'Connor Is Biased.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 13.—The trial of Father Corrigan began at 2:30 yesterday afternoon behind closed doors in the large room of the Episcopal residence. Among the churchmen present were Rev. Dr. Lalo Birtsell of Rondout, Chancellor McCartie, pastor of St. Michael's Church; Rev. Dr. Sebastian S. Smith, pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Paterson, and many others.

It was just before 2 o'clock when Father Corrigan arrived with his counsel, Father Burtsell, at Bishop Wigger's Episcopal residence, 25 Bleecker street.

As soon as the court was seated Dr. Burtsell arose, and for his client, objected to Vicar-General O'Connor sitting as judge on the ground that he is biased. Father O'Connor is a member of the Bishop's household. Dr. Smith asked that the reasons for the objections should be made known. Dr. Burtsell answered that he had the reasons written out and then in his possession, but he refused to read them in the presence of Vicar-General O'Connor.

Dr. Smith then stated that in accordance with the law governing such cases Dr. Burtsell should select one priest and he himself another, the two to choose a third, if necessary, to hear the reasons in support of the claim of bias, and the witnesses who would prove them, and report their finding to the Bishop.

Dr. Burtsell, at the suggestion of his client, chose Rev. Dr. Patrick F. McSweeney of St. Brigid's Church, New York, a priest outside of the diocese, and Dr. Smith chose Mgr. Doane of Newark. Dr. Smith greatly desired that they should meet to-morrow and report to the Bishop one hour after the meeting, but it was at length agreed that they should meet at St. Patrick's rectory in Newark on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock and report to the Bishop on Monday next.

Father Corrigan will bring four or five witnesses before them. Nobody now knows when the next session of the court will be held. The Bishop will fix the day after he has decided whether the claim of bias shall stand.

The next matter which transpired at the session of the court was a surprise to the defense. Dr. Smith arose and said: "I may here state that the Bishop is now willing that the case should go before Mgr. Satolli at once for adjudication."

"This is irrelevant," responded Dr. Burtsell; "we have not brought up Mgr. Satolli's name here."

Father Corrigan then said: "When I wrote to the Bishop suggesting the name of Mgr. Satolli and those of Father Hennessy and Dean McNulty as judges in this trial, he refused to entertain the idea, and I now do the same."

At this point Dr. Smith suggested that Father Corrigan should be sworn to secrecy, and after a long discussion by the counsel the court rose.

Father Corrigan has made public the letter in which he replied on Nov. 21 to Bishop Wigger's demand that he retract the statements published by him in the "Freeman's Journal" on Oct. 9 and Nov. 12, and to apologize to Archbishop Corrigan and others for them.

Father Corrigan says he had made no false statements. He had a right as an American priest to express his views on important national, as well as religious, questions, "and to resent the insult offered to American prelates by ecclesiastics who assembled in a purely English-speaking diocese, and as a professedly foreign element."

Father Corrigan says he meant no offense to the Bishop as Bishop of the diocese.

Bad Cave-in on the Lehigh.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 13.—Another bad cave-in occurred yesterday on the Lehigh Valley railroad near Lost creek, 300 yards east of the Packer No. 2 colliery. Without warning about 80 feet of the surface, with the two tracks, disappeared in a cavity 70 feet deep. It will be several days before traffic can be restored, and in the meantime passengers will be transferred at the cave-in.

The New Spanish Cabinet.

MADRID, Dec. 13.—Gen. Severa has been appointed Minister of Marine. The announcement of the new Cabinet is well received. In the Cortes yesterday ex-Premier Canovas announced that he would abstain from factious opposition. Premier Sagaster announced his intention to retrench in every department.

West Virginia's Vote.

WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 13.—Cleveland's official plurality in this State, as given out by the Secretary of State, is 4,168. The vote in the State is as follows: Cleveland, 84,468; Harrison, 80,286; Bidwell, 2,120; Weaver, 4,165. McCorkle, Democrat, for Governor, has a plurality of 3,918.

Cleveland Buys a Team of Horses.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—President-elect Cleveland has purchased a pair of magnificent chestnut horses at Geneva, N. Y., for $2,200, which are to take the place of the famous seal browns used during Mr. Cleveland's first term as the carriage pair.

Feared He Had Been Left Out of the Will.

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., Dec. 13.—Charles McLean, 21 years old, committed suicide at Alpine, after several unsuccessful attempts, because he thought his father, who had died the previous evening, had left him unprovided for in his will.

DOINGS OF CONGRESS.

Anti-Option Bill in the Senate—House Proceedings.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The Senate spent three hours and five minutes in session, the five minutes being devoted to executive business, behind closed doors, on the subject of the appointment of an interstate commerce commissioner.

The anti-Option bill made its appearance twice—the first time being when at the close of the morning hour, it was laid before the Senate as "unfinished business" and when, with the consent of its manager, Mr. Washburne, it was temporarily laid aside to allow another matter then under discussion to be finished.

As it was evident, after nearly another hour, that a conclusion of that matter might be delayed too long, Mr. Washburn interposed, and had the anti-Option bill again presented for action. It was suggested by Mr. Harris that the print of the bill did not show (in distinctive types) the measure as it came from the House, the amendments already agreed to in the Senate and the amendments that are still pending, and that it could not, for that reason, be acted on intelligently, a new print was therefore ordered and the bill went over till to-day.

The session of the House was short, little of interest occurring except the dramatic episode which opened its proceedings in the spontaneous ovation tendered to Speaker Crisp and Amos Cummings' resolution to investigate the alleged misuse of the mails. District Day brought about an early adjournment.

GLADSTONE MAY BE ORATOR.

Efforts Making to Have Him Speak at the Opening of the Fair.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Perhaps William Ewart Gladstone will be the orator of the day at the formal opening of the World's Columbian Exposition, May 1. Mr. Gladstone's name has been seriously considered by the Ceremonies Committee, and Secretary Culp believes the committee can secure the famous Briton.

Some weeks ago the name of Emile Castelar was prominently mentioned. That a Spaniard and so eminent an orator as Castelar should be chosen, seemed eminently acceptable, but it was found that although Senor Castelar left nothing to be desired in the direction of eloquence, when it came to speaking English, he was at a disadvantage.

Mr. Gladstone, although far past the eightieth mile post, is nevertheless still a sturdy and active man, and it is said would not hesitate to cross the ocean on an occasion like the opening of the World's Fair.

North Dakota Car Famine.

FARGO, N. D., Dec. 13.—There is a dearth of cars in North Dakota. From every little town and elevator station the cry is going up for cars to ship wheat. Every elevator is full, and farmers are compelled to return home with their wheat. It is charged that the roads are discriminating in favor of large elevator companies by furnishing them with cars, while the smaller fry are compelled to cease buying, owing to there being no more room in which they can store grain.

Wilson G. Hunt's Will.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The will of Wilson G. Hunt leaves an estate estimated by his executors at $5,000,000. He makes about 30 bequests of amounts under $10,000, chiefly to distant relatives and servants. The residue of his estate goes, one part to Marie Hunt Story, one to Edward J. Hunt, and one to each of the four children of his deceased niece, Maggie Talmage.

Traeger's Body Brought Home.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The steamship Kaiser William II, arrived here, had on board the body of Augustus L. Traeger, who died at sea on the voyage out, November 1. Traeger, who belonged to New Haven, has gained a wide reputation as a marksman. He was the Amateur Champion Trapshooter of America. He was on his way to Gibraltar for his health.

The Rock Island Strike.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 13.—Things look more encouraging for the Rock Island strikers than at any time since they went out. Reports received here from Topeka, Wichita, Guthrie, and other important points on the Rock Island system show that the strikers are standing firm, and that their numbers are being augmented.

To Apologize to Speaker Crisp.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—It is reported this morning that, following the advice of President-elect Cleveland, the officials of the Reform club have forwarded a letter to Speaker Crisp, or are about to do so. The letter is either in the nature of an apology, or of a disclaimer of an intention to offend him.

Murder at a Dog Fight.

HAMILTON, O., Dec. 13.—During a dog and cock fight in an ice house near this city, Sunday, under the management of two members of the Board of Education, a barkeeper was shot and killed and several persons, among them a well-known locomotive engineer, were seriously if not fatally injured.

Poet Watson Insane.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—The poet William Watson, who was recently granted 200 pounds from the Royal Bounty fund for writing the best ode on Tennyson, and has even been urged for the Laureateship, has become violently insane, and has been placed in an asylum.

Suspends Its Service to Boston.

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—The Beaver line of ocean steamers, running to Montreal in summer and to Boston in winter, has suspended its service to this port. Important reductions in service by other lines here and in New York are also intimated for the near future.

The Lytle Mine Fire.

MINERSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 13.—The workmen engaged in fighting the fire in the Lytle mine near here have not yet extinguished it. The flames still rage furiously, and threaten to destroy the timbers and valuable coal veins in that section of the mine.

Has Not Been Asked to Resign.

ALBANY, Dec. 13.—Senate clerk Charles R. Dunning has telegraphed to a personal friend here that the statements about his resignation being asked for are without foundation in fact and that he has never heard the subject mentioned.

Another Dispute in Kansas.

TOPEKA, Kas., Dec. 13.—A dispute has arisen as to whether the Weaver electors have been legally chosen in this State, but the matter is not considered of much importance.

AFTER THE POISONERS.

The Carnegie Company Acting in Good Faith.

BEATTY TO BE BROUGHT BACK

Secretary Lovejoy Says the Matter Already Published in Regard to the Case Is Substantially Correct—The Story Denied at Homestead.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 13.—Secretary Lovejoy, of the Carnegie Steel company, was seen this morning concerning the developments in respect to the alleged poisoning of the non-union men at Homestead. The secretary said:

"The arrest of Beatty and the further prosecution of the case is, and will be, in entire good faith and with the utmost seriousness on the part of the company and any statements to the contrary are nonsense. Further than this I am unwilling to say, except that the outline of the matter already published is in its essentials correct."

Capt. E. Y. Breck, the company's attorney in charge of the case, before leaving for Louisville to attend the Beatty hearing, said:

"The drug used in the poisoning of the men was very powerful. The men in the plot were fully instructed in the use of the powders, and were not to use them oftener than every two days. Some days the company had as many as 150 men affected in this way. We are not going upon a supposition in this case; we are dealing with facts. As to what the powder is composed of we do not care to state.

"It is not our purpose to divulge any evidence until the proper time. It was decidedly a plot of the K. of L., and in it were also some of the Amalgamated men of the local lodge. The poisoning continued for two months. Sometimes it would cease altogether, the parties being afraid, but it was soon resumed. As to the number of men implicated, this will come out in due time. We have all of them under strict surveillance and none can get away. We were not quite ready to make the matter public, but Beatty's going away precipitated the whole affair."

Dr. Weible, who is a resident physician in the Homestead mill, said:

"The epidemic within the mill was certainly alarming, the type of diarrhœa being of the most obstinate kind—our medicine rarely affecting it. We never had any food examined for poison.

"The State Board of Health thought they had struck upon the cause when they visited us, but even refraining from the use of the river water did not exempt a person from the disease. One feature which seems to point to poisoning was the fact that sickness broke out in one dining place at a time.

"Number 6, the last house to be visited by the epidemic, developed the most serious cases. Men would be taken sick at their meals, and rush away from the table.

"The Carnegie company has a good case. If they have the affidavits of the cooks it will be very plain sailing."

HOW HOMESTEADERS VIEW IT.

Little Credence Given the Reports by the People of the City.

HOMESTEAD, Dec. 13.—The sensational reports of the poisoning of the new men in the Carnegie steel works here, while engaging the attention of almost every person in the town, is given no credence by the majority of the people, whether they have been identified with the strikers or not.

Some of the strikers who have called to secure employment say that the story is prompted by the Carnegie firm for the purpose of profit through any influence it might have on the murder and riot cases yet to be tried in court. The county coroner claims that no report of the six deaths from this alleged cause has been made to him.

The opinion prevails that if Mr. Frick and his associates were aware of this poisoning, or even had reason to suspect it, the coroner would necessarily have been notified.

Homestead people cannot yet believe that Dr. McClelland and the other physicians were all deceived in their diagnosis of the prevalent sickness.

The citizens here are all anxious to have the matter thoroughly investigated, and will give all possible assistance to that end in their power.

Requisition for Beatty.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 13.—Captain E. Y. Breck, Deputy Sheriff Farrell and William G. Lindsay have gone to Louisville with requisition payers for Robert Beatty, charged with being implicated in the alleged plot to poison non-union men employed in the Homestead mill. Beatty will have a hearing at Louisville tomorrow morning.

Arrested for Kuckelhorn's Murder.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—About 9:30 last night detectives attached to the Central Office arrested Matthew Johnson, the colored man, who is wanted for the murder of Emil Kuckelhorn, the engineer, whose body was found in the basement of Thos. Wiley's lithographing establishment. Johnson denied all knowledge of the murder.

Peoples Party Hold the Situation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—If the eight Peoples' Party Assemblymen stand firm to the pledge they have entered into to vote only for a Peoples Party candidate, it will be impossible to elect a United States Senator to succeed Fenlon, as both the old parties are short a few votes of a majority.

Was His Mission a Failure?

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 13.—There is a rumor in Catholic circles here that Mgr. Satolli's mission to America has been a failure. The rumor has it that he came expecting to speedily remove several obstacles in the way of the Church's rapid march to the front in this country.

Squandered a Fortune in Three Years.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Annie Tourney, widow of an Irish pioneer, who was left nearly $500,000 when her husband died, three years ago, has just filed a petition of insolvency. Together with her three daughters, she squandered the money on finery.

Acquitted of the Charge of Bribery.

COVINGTON, Ky., Dec. 13.—Hon. Harvey Myers, ex-Speaker of the Kentucky House of Representatives and one of the best known citizens of this place, who has been on trial in the Criminal Court charged with offering a bribe, was acquitted.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Tuesday: For New Jersey: Local Rains; Southerly Winds; Warmer Wednesday Morning and Evening.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Tier's confectionery leads.

—Big assortment handkerchiefs at Edsall's.

—Get your tickets for "The Power of Gold", now!

—Rogers's bicycle census to noon today: Wheels, 733; riders, 924.

—Sebring the clothier is offering a fine line of trousers to order at $5 a pair.

—The unique line of holiday goods at Leggett's includes colored chamois skins.

—The Park club bowlers defeated the Fanwood team, last evening, by 145 pins.

—"Another card", signed by Frank Linke, appears to-day in answer to Ballantine & Co.

—The masked ball of the Park club that had been fixed for the 28th inst., has been indefinitely postponed.

—You will find the North Avenue Sea-Food Market a most excellent place to buy fish, oysters and clams.

—Gazelle engine was taken out for a "wash" last evening. The apparatus was found to be in fine condition.

—The greatest of melodramas with all its grand scenic effects, will be played at Music Hall to-morrow evening.

—Andy Vanderbeek is selling out his line of sporting goods and musical instruments to open a store up country.

—A beautiful candy boat, made by J. J. Stahl, attracts crowds to the show-windows of his store, 108 Somerset street.

—Henry Metz was thrown by a fiery horse last night, and his head was badly cut. Dr. Probasco dressed his injuries.

—Any man can receive just the help that he needs in the Y. M. C. A. class in arithmetic that meets Tuesday evenings.

—Walter Sandford's great scenic production, "The Power of Gold", a new melodrama with a great cast, is to be played at Music Hall to-morrow evening.

—Call and be convinced that Hulett offers better makes in pianos and organs, for lower prices, and on better terms, than are offered elsewhere, and in every case he guarantees satisfaction, or money refunded.

—Vanderbeek & Sattels have been established in their present business for 40 years. Those who buy pianos and organs on the installment plan will do well to consider this. They carry all leases and contracts in their own name. 33 Park avenue. 2t

—Walter Arnold Hudson, the renowned basso of New York, will give a free concert in the First Baptist church this evening, assisted by local talent. Mr. Hudson is a master of the art of vocal music, and everyone should hear the delightful programme this evening.

—Judging from the large number of pianos constantly going in and out of Hulett's establishment, he must be doing a tremendous business. Mr. Hulett is a live business man, and has given Plainfield such a music store as it has never had before. There is no need of going out of town when he offers such well-known makes of first-class pianos at prices much lower than can be bought even in New York.

—Call at Vanderbeek & Sattel's new piano and organ warerooms, (up-stairs), 33 Park avenue, where you will find the best assortment of pianos and organs ever offered in this city. They can sell at lower prices than anyone else for two reasons. First, they buy for cash. Second, they have no rent to pay. They are thus enabled to reduce the cost of instruments by just so much. To those contemplating the purchase of a fine holiday present we would say when shopping, call and see for yourself. 33 Park avenue, Plainfield. 2t

An Old Man Insane.

Jeremiah Cuttford, an old man in charge of J. Wesley Johnson's farm near New Market, began to act queerly while out driving with John Osborne last night. His strange doings resulted in his being put under police protection. He was violent all night, in the station house. This morning Drs. Allis and Simpson pronounced him insane, and to-morrow he will be taken to the asylum.

Annual Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, Elizabeth district, will hold its annual meeting in Cranford, to-morrow, with sessions at 10 a. m. and at 1:30 p. m. Auxiliary reports, discussion of methods, map exercise, and addresses by Mrs. Knowles of Newark and Mrs. McGrew of New York, will form the essential features of the programme. Luncheon will be served by the women of Cranford.

—Fur capes and muffs at Edsall's.

Attempted Highway Robbery.

Contractor Doud was stopped on South avenue, the county road, near the Fanwood road-house, last night, by three tramps, who demanded his money. He whipped up his good horse, and got safely away.

Salvation Oil gives perfect satisfaction for horses with cracked heels. C. W. Lee, 414 West Balto. st., Baltimore, Md.

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MODEST ABOUT HER INJURY.

Genuine Feminine Conduct—Does n't Care for Newspapers, But Resents Their Fancied Insult.

A young lady who said she was the one referred to in these columns yesterday as having accepted $20 from the Central railroad company for injury to her leg in the Greenville collision, favored THE PRESS office with a call this noon and requested a denial of the article published last evening. She admitted, however, that she had been paid damages, though holding that it was nobody's business; and she devoted so much of her monologue to abuse of reporters and to airing her views of the newspaper profession that she neglected to be explicit in making known just what she wanted denied. She said that she had experienced as severe a nervous shock as had druggist Moy, and the inference is that she accepted damages for that shock instead of for the injury to her "limb", which injury she held to be slight. THE PRESS regrets that so amiable, sensitive and modest a young lady, having been so fortunate as to escape the terrors of a railroad accident, should have suffered from the use of the shocking word leg, which was what she seemed to feel most hurt about. The view of THE PRESS is that the leg is a worthy, useful and noble member of that marvel of mechanism the human body, and a member for the gift of which mankind and womankind should be grateful to the Creator. The study of the ethics of the use of the term leg would be profitable to those not up to modern ideas in the matter. The time is past when to speak or even think of a leg is horribly vulgar. One can have legs nowadays, and use the good old Danish-Swedish-Icelandic word, without detracting from his decency or dignity. Housewives no longer order "limbs" of mutton, and blush to think of it. All of which is known to most people, but which THE PRESS would now seek to impress on the few who do not.

As to the case of the young lady in question, THE PRESS is grieved that she feels offended at what was not intended for and was not the insult she fancies it. Yesterday's statement was made merely as a matter of news of interest to the people for whom THE PRESS is published. Whenever the aggrieved young lady points out any specific misstatement of fact, that will be cheerfully corrected. But as the young lady says she has a low opinion of newspapers and pays no attention to them, why should she care? She says she never reads them anyhow, and if she did she would stop now.

One mistake was made—that of speaking of the young lady's employer as a dressmaker. THE PRESS doesn't wear bonnets; but those who do, say that not only is the employer a milliner but a very good one.

SETTLING THE MALE WILL CONTEST

One-third to the Canadian Heirs and the Rest to Five Others.

The contest over the estate of the late Job Male has practically been settled by agreement of the attorneys. Ex-Chancellor Runyon told Chancellor McGill in Jersey City yesterday, when the case was called for hearing on a motion, that counsel had agreed to a postponement of three months; also that Frederick Adams, of Newark, had made an inventory of the estate, which was presumed to be satisfactory.

The basis of final settlement is that the Canadian heirs shall receive one-third of the property in common; the two Delaneys each one-sixth, and the other three heirs each one-ninth. John H. Van-Winkle, Nelson Runyon and Lewis Hatfield will be recommended for commissioners in partition. The appointment of Washington Williams to sell certain lands was recommended. Mr. Lindabury said the heirs wanted to sell the Jersey City real estate to get money to pay the debts, which aggregate about $80,000.

—New leather goods at Edsall's.

Dunellen Defeats North Plainfield.

The Turn Verein Bowling club team of North Plainfield, rolled the Dunellen bowlers a game on the latter's alleys last evening, with the following result:

DUNELLEN.		TURN VEREIN.	
C. D. Taylor	153	Richter	130
McCann	119	Dresselt	116
Titsworth	131	Krom	102
Wilson	121	Hepte	115
Young	159	Schlich	96
H. Giles	92	Waldron	133
J. Taylor	163	Koegel	92
Pierce	117	Danger	119
Schultz	175	Vroom	131
Lanagan	158	Meyer	119
	1389		1165

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Addie Weaver of Orchard place is spending a few days with friends in Brooklyn.

Miss Ida Edsall, of Brooklyn, is visiting Mrs. W. O. Baldwin, of West Fourth street, for the holidays.

Mrs. Edmund W. Pack, of 31 Park avenue, returned home last evening from Wellsville, Ohio, where she has been for the past three weeks visiting relatives.

Hulett Does the Business.

Established last Spring, 1892, but nevertheless we are doing the business. That's what we are here for. A call will convince you that we offer bigger inducements on the best makes of pianos than you can get elsewhere. F. M. Hulett, 74 West Front street.

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THE FIRST ASSEMBLY.

Music by Elliott, Supper by Werts, and Dancing Till Morning.

At the Casino last night was held one of the most enjoyable dances it ever knew. It was the first assembly of this season and a thorough success, yet it is already claimed that the second, to be held Jan. 2, will crowd it out of sight.

The Casino stage held Elliott's orchestra embowered in potted plants and flowers. The lights shone through ruby globes, and the floor was simply perfect. The supper was by Max Werts, the club's treasure, and beyond desire or criticism. Dancing did not cease until 1:30 this morning.

The patronesses were: Mrs. Charles E. Brooks, Mrs. Charles Fisk, Mrs. William Kaufman, Mrs. George Thomas, Mrs. Pliny Fisk, Mrs. John Mason. Among those present were, the Mayor and Mrs. W. L. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, the Count and Mrs. C. P. Raill, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Timpson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rider, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kleinecke, Mr. and Mrs. H. Depew, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown, Mrs. O. T. Waring, Mrs. S. Huntington, Mrs. J. Munn, Mrs. James Scott, Mrs. Corlies, the Misses Underwood, Corlies, Harte, Huntington, Massett, Yates, Depew, Walz, Stewart, Murphy and Tracy, of this city, and Miss Ham and Miss Lefferts of New York, and Messrs. West, Van-Boskerck, Shepard, VanBuren, Huntington, Munn, Runyon, Moore, Murphy, Walz, Field, Waring, Drayton and Borden.

—Christmas candy at Tier's.

WANT THE PASTORS' HELP.

Whisky-Habit Curers Seek an Ecclesiastical Boost in Plainfield.

The Ministers' association had a large meeting last night and listened to pleas in favor of a cure for drunkenness which an agent of a Nebraska "institute" is trying to get them to endorse locally. The Rev. A. I. Martine of Dunellen reported that the method had been successfully used at that place, six confirmed drinkers having been so completely cured that they had lost all desire for liquor. Dr Huribut said that the method had to his personal knowledge been successfully used in the west. T. Logan Murphy stated that he knew of a number of Plainfielders who had quietly taken the cure with good effect. It was asserted that 95 per cent. of the cases treated resulted in cures.

What the agent wanted was the ministers to take up the cure, and back a local branch of the institute, for lecturing and experimenting. This they sensibly refused to do, saying that it must first be proved to be a public benefit and be bereft of its secret workings and money-making aspect.

The meeting was held at the home of Dr. Richards. Dr. Rodman read a most able paper on "Conversion", which was fully discussed.

FOR THE BUILDING FUND.

Plainfield's Earnest Workers to Help Western Churches.

Mrs. Robert Meeker, wife of the street commissioner, as director of the Jr. Y. P. S. C. E., will manage an entertainment to be given by them in the W. C. T. U. rooms, corner Broadway and Fourth street, this evening. There will be no admission fee, but donations will be acceptable, and will be devoted to helping the building fund for the erection of churches in the west. Among the pleasant features of the affair will be several selections by Miss Creese, an elocutionist from Newark, and singing by Miss Blair of Plainfield.

—Priestley's black silk warp henriettas at Edsall's.

After dinner, if you have discomfort and suffering, take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, or Anti-Bilious Granules. They're made to assist Nature in her own way—quietly, but thoroughly. What is the old-fashioned pill did forcibly, these do mildly and gently. They do more, too. Their effects are lasting; they *regulate* the system, as well as cleanse and renovate it. One little Pellet's a gentle laxative; three to four act as a cathartic. They're the smallest, cheapest, the easiest to take. Unequaled as a Liver Pill. Sick Headache, Bilious Headache, Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, and all derangements of the stomach and bowels, are promptly relieved and permanently cured.

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The deserted toll house on the Regent canal.
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Men and women's Russia Lea. Faust, men's, boys' and youth's Alligator Slippers, men, boys' and youths' Goat Slippers, men's, boys' and youths' Pat. Lea. Pumps and Oxfords. Embroidered Slippers from 75c. up. One of the most acceptable gifts you could make would be a pair of the

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T. J. CAREY, Auctioneer.

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Thursday Afternoon and Evening,

DEC. 15th inst.,

At Carey's Auction Rooms,

Corner of West Front street and Grove street, Plainfield, N. J., beginning at 2 o'clock p. m.

The articles are those previously exhibited at the Job Male Art Gallery, and will be on exhibition at Carey's auction rooms beginning Thursday morning, December 8 instant, at 9 o'clock. Catalogues may be had on application to either of the undersigned, or to the auctioneer.

Terms cash.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 1, 1892.

ELIAS R. POPE,
JOHN W. HARRISON,
Administrators.

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Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 30, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 158, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres.
Wm. H. Langer, R. Sec'y. 8 29 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,676. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 69 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Ruster Lodge, No. 5,542, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
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TOUGH TIMES ON SHIPBOARD.

The Streulis of Netherwood Witness Cowardly Conduct Among Imperilled Passengers.

Among the passengers on board the North German Lloyd steamship *Spree* when she met with the serious accident in midocean Nov. 26 were the Streull family of Netherwood. They are still abroad, resting from the effects of the terrible strain. Seventeen of their fellow-passengers, however, were aboard the Cunarder *Etruria* which arrived in New York Sunday. Dwight L. Moody, the evangelist, who prayed so fervently for deliverance, in which he was joined by the passengers, was among the seventeen. He was accompanied by his son, W. Revell Moody.

The other passengers were Catherine N. Merritt, H. M. Messenger, E. Gradier, Simon Hass, Mrs. Blanche Moeler, Mrs. Nordheimer, Thomas Prosser, jr., and wife, L. Schwartz, F. L. Woodham and J. Woodham. Evangelist Moody was the first passenger to leave the *Etruria*. He said that, for forty-eight hours, all the passengers "looked upon the grave". There were skeptics, Roman Catholics, Jews and Gentiles aboard, but they all got down on their knees and prayed in common with all when the evangelist opened the prayer meeting. Mr. Moody felt that his prayer had saved the ship.

The Woodhams, who are Englishmen going to their orange plantations in Florida, were inclined to believe that Divine intervention had not saved the vessel. "The Lord helps those who help themselves,"—said J. Woodham—"and the captain and officers of the *Spree* realized this, for not a single officer attended the prayer meeting. They were all at their posts of duty working like beavers to keep the ship afloat. Had they given up their time to prayer we would not now be here relating the story of the accident —of that I'm certain."

Mrs. Blanche Moeler said that the men passengers in the second cabin acted like children.

"They actually cried;"—said Mrs. Moeler—"and the brutes grabbed up the life preservers and never let go of them for two days. They sat on their life preservers at luncheon, slept alongside of them at night, and had them fastened to their persons during the day.

"The women in the second cabin took the places of the men, and devoted themselves toward saving articles of value. When I went up on deck after the crash I saw the officers all at their posts and armed, ready to control the terrified passengers by force if necessary. I was sent down to get on my heavy clothing and prepare to leave the ship in the lifeboats. These were already being provisioned, and the life rafts were manned and life preservers were passed around.

"There were frequent heartrending scenes during the first night"—continued Mrs. Moeler.—"I saw husbands clasp their wives to their breasts and declare that they would die together. I saw a mother sit for forty-eight hours over her two sleeping babes. Her face was pale, but there was not a tremor to be seen. She was ready at any moment to clutch them to her bosom and die with them. I shall never forget those hours aboard the *Spree*."

The Ex-Chancellor Left About a Million.

The will of the late ex-Chancellor Benjamin Williamson, of Elizabeth, will be admitted to probate to-day. It is understood that, with the exception of some charitable bequests, the estate, valued at nearly $1,000,000, is divided among the following nine heirs: Mrs. James Alexander, New York; Mrs. Rufus King, New York; Mrs. David Thomas, Elizabeth; Mrs. Arthur Pell, Goshen, N. Y.; Mrs. M. P. Gilchrist, Newark; Mr. Chase, of Long Island, a son of the ex-chancellor's daughter; Benjamin, Isaac and Frederick B. Williamson. Lawyer DeForest, of Philadelphia, read the will to the heirs yesterday.

—New silver souvenirs at Edsall's.

Send Your Contributions to Dr. Carroll.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Mr. and Mrs. Stansbury, who lost by fire yesterday, house, furniture, clothing, and all their belongings, are industrious, economical and worthy people. They saw all the little savings of years swept away in an hour, and have not a dollar to lighten their loss. They deserve encouragement. If those who are willing to help them secure another home will send their contributions to me I will see that they are properly applied. H. K. CARROLL,
Dec. 13, 1892. 95 Westervelt Ave.

The Salvation Army.

A special meeting of the Salvation Army will be held at their hall to-night at 8. The meeting will be led by Major and Mrs. Evans from New York assisted by adjutant Bell and captain McIver, one of Plainfield's old warriors, also professor Trumbie the distinguished cornet player There will be a child dedicated to God and the Army. Several recruits will be sworn in as soldiers. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Timely Warning by President Wadsworth.

Another pleasant entertainment was given at the Boys' club last night. The Rev. G. K. Newell spoke, Miss Marsh and Wm. Runyon took good care of the musical part, and the president of the Boys' club association, W. B. Wadsworth, talked to them concerning the danger of riding on coal trains.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—E. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

THE HEALTH BOARD REPORTS.

It Finds Now That Mr. Groendyke's Offense Was n't So Dreadful After All.

The North Plainfield health board has completed its official investigation of the charges that D. N. Groendyke had been emptying his sewage into a street catch-basin and thence into the brook, and finds Mr. Groenkyke guilty to a less extent than was originally reported.

A member of the board to-day told a PRESS reporter that the only connection proved to exist was from the laundry tubs and the kitchen sink. The preliminary test had led the health inspector to believe that the bath room also was connected, as discoloration of the flow into the catch-basin followed the pouring of purple dye into the pipes. But the final test failed to corroborate this, and Mr. Groendyke had at last been given a certificate stating that he had been guilty only of connecting kitchen sink and laundry tubs. The stable had at one time, the member of the board reported, been temporarily connected, but only through the accidental blowing out of a plug, which Mr. Groendyke himself had remedied as soon as he discovered it.

All connection with the basin was cut off by Mr. Groendyke as soon as he learned that was the wish of the board. It is of course not believed by anyone that Mr. Groendyke would wittingly do anything to imperil the public health, and his neighbors are glad that investigation exonerates him from the most serious of the charges against him.

HARSH ON THE DOCTOR.

What Plainfield Physician Is This So Sharply Criticized?

(New Brunswick Home News.)

The pretty little city of Plainfield has been in danger of becoming the scene of an epidemic of diphtheria which seems to have worked sad havoc in many homes, as already the grim angel of death had snuffed out the lives of many bright little tots who otherwise might have lived to gladden the homes and hearts of their parents for many years to come. The serious part of this deplorable condition of affairs is that, according to reports, it was due either to the ignorance or gross incompetency of the physician who had charge of the first case of the disease. It is said that the doctor was informed that the disease was black diphtheria, a most virulent type of malady, but the man of medicine only laughed and went away rejoicing in his vast knowledge and the dense iguorance of the people who furnished him with the information. It is too bad that a community should be compelled to suffer from the self-assurance of a man who, if report be true, ought to be at work with trowel and mortar instead of compounding drugs for sick people. Somebody ought to make a few inquires about the individual's diploma, for a man who can not recognize a case of black diphtheria when he sees it, even in its incipiency, must have graduated from the famous Buchanan school of medicine. There have been a number of these practitioners found of late, and a review of the work done by them seems to have made it very interesting and profitable for the undertakers and the drug stores.

A Pronounced Success.

Walter Sanford's production, "The Power of Gold", which has just closed a big success in Brooklyn, and will open in New York next week, will be played at Music Hall, to-morrow night. The play is of the melodrama order and is as full of sensations and strongly drawn scenes as could be desired. It is a story of London, and the characters are broadly drawn types of classes in the British capital. The scenery and mechanical effects are realistic to a remarkable degree, there being no lack of cash expended on the production. One of the scenes is that of a canal boat, being drawn by horses and passing through a lock. "The Power of Gold" is a pronounced success.

All Like It.

[*From The Flemington Democrat.*]

It was a matter of much regret that the able and very pleasant and sociable editor of the Plainfield *Daily Press* and *Weekly Constitutionalist*, Wm. L. Force, happened at the Bound Brook Hotel too late to join in the discussion of the dinner and etceteras. The presence of the ready-witted and popular Force would have added much to the festivities of the hour. By the way, *The Constitutionalist* will celebrate its 25th anniversary the first of the new year. It is a sound Democrat—vigorous, lusty and bold. We like it.

—Silk umbrellas at Edsall's.

A Thoroughly Reliable House.

The success of F. M. Hulett, the popular music dealer, in Plainfield, is attributed to his having given thorough satisfaction in all his dealings. His goods are warranted to be just as he represents them. He works upon strictly business principles, regardless of those in the same line of business, and is willing to let his system of doing business be judged by his patrons and the public.

BRILL BROS.
HATTERS

$1.85.
Alpine Hats,
Black and Brown,
Shapes to suit all faces.
BRILL BROS.,
MEN'S OUTFITTERS,
47 Cortlandt street, New York. 11 26 m

PLEA FOR A CITY HALL.

Here's a Man Wants Room for the Public to See What Its Officials Are Doing.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Now that we have the street railway question into a practical reality, there is, among other matters pertaining to the good of our city, the problem of a city building. The time is fast approaching when the demands for a building for city purposes will be more imperative than now, but as all reforms come slowly, especially in certain sections of Jersey, perhaps it would not be amiss to begin to consider now the advisability of erecting such a structure.

Any one can see that Plainfield is a growing town, and that with the street railway thus beginning to assume the appearance of a respectable city as such must keep abreast with the times. She will soon need, if she does n't already, a municipal building, a city hall, where the various city offices may have their headquarters, where the common council may meet and leave room enough for a good-sized audience besides, where the police department may be permanently located, with adequate facilities for the incidental affairs of their work, where the chief of the fire department and the health board may be suitably accommodated, and lastly and especially, where the city court may be held without squeezing into the private office of the city judge; and I might add where a room especially adapted for the trial of civil causes, with seats for the jury, tables for the lawyers, and accommodations for spectators, might always be in readiness. Then, if for the advantages of centring all the details of city government, the city jail might be included.

A substantial edifice, amply adapted for these purposes, would be an ornament to the city, to say nothing of the fulfillment of a want which is bound to press harder and harder as time advances.

By renting offices and stores in the building the costs of such a city hall would be greatly diminished, and eventually reduced to a mere trifle, at the least; perhaps, and probably too, the rent would be an influx over and above the amount expended in the construction, into the city treasury. We can get along for a number of years without a city hall, but we can get along considerably to an advantage, it would seem, if we had one. The ancients lived without railroads and thousands of other products of man's inventive genius for thousands of years and never felt the need of them, for they had never known the existence of those things.

Bayonne has just graced itself with a city hall. Elizabeth has had one for many years. Now let Plainfield awake and start the ball rolling. The experiment can not fail. All that is needed is a little capital, a little push, and enterprise. We can at least give the subject consideration and look fairly at the pros and cons of the question.

Certain property, now vacant on Front street and Park avenue, in the heart of the city, would be desirable locations. The old adage runs "Never put off till to-morrow what you can do to-day". A stranger in reading the city's history might gather the conclusion that Plainfield acts upon the proberb by substituting "Always" for "Never", in regard to matters of public benefit.

"PER GRADUS".

Royal Arcanum Election.

The annual election of Plainfield council, 711, Royal Arcanum, took place last evening with the following result:

Regent—Frederick S. Green.
Vice Regent—Emil Messersmith.
Past Regent—Augustus W. Kleinecke.
Orator—Adrian M. Ree.
Secretary—Henry A. Thorne.
Collector—Daniel W. Littell.
Chaplain—William J. Leonard.
Guide—William B. Remsen.
Warden—Hiram A. Woodruff.
Sentry—Edwin W. Conklin.
Trustees—Alburtus Swalm, Thomas H. Bartindale, Aaron W. Rand.
Representative to Grand Council—Augustus W. Kleinecke. Alternate—Edwin W. Conklin.

Will Bowl to Win To-night.

The tournament team of the Crescent League will go to Elizabeth this evening to bowl against the Field club of that place. The players are in fine trim, and will probably win. The team is as follows:

VanEmburgh,	McIntyre,
Wood,	Teel,
Doane,	Vail,
VanAlstyne,	Davis,
Haven,	VanWinkle,
Petrie, substitute.	

—Stylish dress goods at Edsall's.

Put Up Your Turnip!

The sporting fraternity will be highly entertained on the grounds of the Independent Gun club, Dec. 21, when Charley Smith, so well-known by the cognomen of "Dutchy", will shoot a pigeon match against the great "Unknown" at 50 live birds each, for fifty cold dollars a side. A big apple to a turnip that Charley wins!

Another Death From Diphtheria.

John Regan, the 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Regan, died of diphtheria at 3 this morning.

—Books cheap at Edsall's.

We often hear people say there is only one good cough medicine and that is Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the specific for cold.

Eruption of the Skin Cured.

Ed. Venney, Brockville, Ontario, Canada, says:—"I have used BRANDRETH'S PILLS for the past fifteen years, and think them the best carthetic and anti-bilious remedy known. For some five years I have suffered from an eruption of the skin that gave me great pain and annoyance. I tried different blood remedies, but, although gaining strength the itching was unrelieved. I finally concluded to take a thorough course of BRANDRETH'S PILLS. I took six each night for four nights, then five, four, three, two, lessening each time by one, and then for one month took one every night, with the happy result that now my skin is perfectly clear and has been so ever since.

I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years; Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. W. Willard, druggist, Joliet, Ill

TIMELY ADVICE.
See what we have before going to the city to purchase your Christmas gifts.
STEPHENSON'S,
58 WEST FRONT ST.
12 12 2w

MARRIAGES.

PIZIE—FORBES—At Plainfield, Dec. 12, 1892, by Rev. K. P. Ketcham, Mary Pizie of Plainfield, to James S. Forbes of Elizabeth.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

A FINE violin for sale. Address M., care Press. 12 6 6

WANTED—Four good men for collecting; rapid promotion will follow. Apply to W. H. Carhart, 20 West Front street, Wednesday.

WANTED.—Two boarders in a nice quiet home pleasantly situated. Address R. D., care Press.

6 ROOM flat to let; $10.00 per month. Chas. H. Hand, Crescent flats. 12 13 2

HOUSE to let or for sale on the installment plan; 7 rooms; on line of street railway. Apply Chas. Hand. 12 13 2

COLORED man and wife lately from Virginia wishes situations on gentleman's place, Call 33 North ave. 12 13 3

A QUANTITY of money to loan at five per cent. in sums to suit, on bond and mortgage. Address P. O. box 312. 12 12 6

XMAS wreaths and roping, palms, etc., at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 12 10 3

UPRIGHT piano for sale; $60 asked; must be sold; no fair offer refused, as owner is leaving town. Address H Ellis, North Plainfield. 12 10 3

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 15 Craig Place. 12 10 tf

FOR SALE—Paff's hotel, Scotch Plains; would exchange for Plainfield business property. Paff, Scotch Plains. 12 5 10

GOOD rooms and board. 26 Central avenue. 12 3 2?

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS p c 11 14tf.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

1892 TAXES!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of

THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD,

That the taxes assessed in said city for the year 1892 are now due and payable, and that if the said taxes be not paid by the

20th Day of December Next

The names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal

In cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

Fourth Tuesday In November Next

(the 22d), and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.
Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1, 1892. 10 6 tf

HOLIDAY GIFTS!

The largest assortment of Paintings, Etchings, Mirrors, Albums, Oil, China and Water Color Boxes, Easels, etc., ever offered, and at very reasonable prices.

SWAIN'S,
23 East Front street. 12 10 3w

Best Elgin Creamery Butter
28 Cents Per Pound
Fine Table Butter 24c. pound at
V. L. Frazee's, 25 West Front St.

CRESCENT RINK,
Roller Skating every
Tuesday and Saturday Nights and Saturday Afternoon,
excepting the week before Christmas, which is engaged for the Plainfield Band Fair.

EVENING PRICES.

Package of 10 admissions for	$1 00
Or single admission for	25 cents
Package of 10 surface checks for	$1 00
Or single surface checks	25 cents
Package of 5 skate checks for	$1.00
Or single skate checks	25 cents

SATURDAY AFTERNOON PRICES.

Single admission	10 cents
Single surface checks	10 cents
Single skate check	15 cents

NOTICE—Surface checks are sold only to persons bringing their own skates.

Grand Xmas and New Year's skating festival Dec. 26, and January 2.

Prepare for the great spectacular carnival, the date of which will be announced later.

11 28 tf

The Elegant Presents
ARE NOW
ON EXHIBITION.
Take your pick at prices you never dreamed of before from an endless variety of iron, tin and wood toys, all sorts of blocks and games, Japanese dolls, screens, trays, electric motors, fancy shell boxes, photograph and autograph albums, fancy plush and wood work boxes, "merry Christmas" novelties in place of cards, children's pianos, black boards, velocipedes, juvenile books, varied and exceedingly beautiful, 50 different styles of fancy china cups and saucers, plates and bread and milk sets, fancy scrap and other baskets, card and cutting tables with folding legs, shoe blackening cases and commodes, children's chairs and wash sets, tables, dishes in china and pewter, dolls and dolls' beds, chairs, furniture, drums, horns, sleighs, horses and carts, express wagons, doll's carriages, single and double rockers, tool chests, Christmas tree ornaments, wax candles, bisque figures, china and glass vases, silver plated ware 25 cent display, sheet music, plush goods in many designs, lamps for everyone, stationery, soaps, combs, brushes, plate and common mirrors, large framed pictures, Royal Tooth Powder, surpassing all others at less than half their cost, harmonicas and music boxes, pocket and table cutlery, elegant carving sets, day books, ledgers, memorandums, etc., banks of all kinds, steam engines, magic and other lanterns, toad novelties, singing birds, ten pins, Noah's arks, scrap books and pictures, and this only hints at our immense stock.
Come and see us and you are money in by odds. Large crayon portrait free, guaranteed to please, when purchases to the amount of ten dollars have been punched from card given on application.
THE 5 AND 10 CENT STORE.
J. C. ALLEN, 28 West Front St.

PROTECTION! PROTECTION!
No politics about this. The protection of the hour is a protection against the cold blasts of winter. For a supply of cold weather Clothing, such as Heavy Weight Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Leather Coats, at lowest cash prices, call on
COLYER & CO.,
815 BROAD ST., NEWARK, N. J.
11 1 2m

Christmas Gifts.
The latest novelties in Jewelry—beautiful designs in Stirling Silver, 14 karat gold and roll plate. Largest stock; greatest variety in the city at
DOANES, . 11 Park Avenue. 2 1-2W

R. W. Rice & Co.
Have a fine new assortment of
Jellies, Jams and Preserves, Gordon & Dilworth's Mince Meat, Preserved Strawberries, Raspberries, Etc.
Also a fine line of Fancy Goods, Sliced Chutney (Bombay) Canadian Cheese, Anchvoiesin Oil, Edam Cheese.
Extra Fine Maple Syrup
In gallons, half gallons, quarts and pints. R. & S. Flemington Sausage.
Telephone 75 B Corner Emily and Duer Streets.

Ready for Christmas!

You can't make any kind of a present that will be any more useful than some article of Footwear. We have got them, Slippers, House Shoes, Rubber Boots Overshoes, etc. You can't go amiss.
SHERWIN'S,
23 West Front Street. Strictly Cash.

Where Did You Get Them My Pretty Maid?
I TRADE AT SPRINGERS
Was all she said. And so may you.
SPRINGER'S

SHOE STORE
32 West Front Street.
45 1y

Our New Holiday Line
Consists of Silk Umbrellas, Alligator Bags, Dress Suit Cases, Gold Headed Canes, Fine Dress Gloves, Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers, Mackintosh Jersey and Rubber Coats. Also 100 dozen new Holiday Ties.
U. B. Crane, Hatter and Furnisher,
12 Park Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.
BRANCH—BROAD STREET, WESTFIELD, N. J. 1o 28 tf

PLAINFIELD BARGAIN HOUSE.
Annual opening of Holiday Goods of every description, including the most complete line of Useful Presents, such as silk handkerchiefs and mufflers, an endless variety of ladies and childrens muffs, gloves, mittens, umbrellas, gent's neckwear, etc. Also an immense assortment of plush dressing cases, smoking sets, glove and handkerchief boxes, dolls, perfumery and fancy articles. In our Millinery Department you will see a pretty line of doll's hats, together with our usual variety of tastily trimmed hats for which this house has an established reputation.
L. H. Boehm, 7 West Front St.

PLAINFIELD'S LEADING STORE.
Regular opening of Holiday Goods of every description, including the most complete line of Toys and Dolls to be found in this city.
Our assortment of Useful and Ornamental Goods is almost as large again as it was last year, at prices from 25 to 50 per cent. lower than other stores.
FOR THIS WEEK
We will sell 500 fine large Curtains, 3 yards long, at 50c. each.
We will sell 8-4 Turkey Red Table Covers at 90c. each.
We will sell Dress Patterns of 8 yards each for $3.98, former price 75c. per yard.
We will sell 10-piece English Porcelain Toilet Sets for $2.40 per set.
We will sell fine Chenile Curtains $1.89 each.
We will sell the best Germantown Yarn, Utopia and Arcadia for 13c. skein.
We will sell Men's all-wool Cardigan Jackets for $1.25 and $1.50, were $2.00 each.
We are selling Gloves and Mittens of all kinds for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children at reduced prices.
Our immense stock of Underwear to be sold and down go prices to what they cost to make.
White & VanArsdale.
10 15 tf

A Woman Takes Pride
In a beautiful Shoe, and will have a constant source of pleasure if she buys a pair of our
$3.00 Derby Toe Shoes,
Often mistaken for a $4.00 Shoe.
WILLETT'S PARK AVENUE SHOE STORE.

STOVES. STOVES
The finest line of Heating and Cook Stoves in the city.
Parlor Stoves from $4.50 up; Cook Stoves from $12 up.
Agents for the celebrated "Palace King" furnace, conceded by everyone to be the best furnace in the market.
Also all kinds of Hardware, Housefurnishings, Paints, &c.
ZIMMERMAN & RUMPF'S,
Successors to Pierson Hardware Co., 7 11 tf 42 West Front Street.

BICYCLES
Make excellent Christmas presents. The best are on sale at
The Wheelmen's Headquarters,
67 AND 69 PARK AVENUE.
FRANK L. C. MARTIN.
Bargains in Second-Hand Wheels.

We Have Ready for Inspection
A much larger and more varied assortment of Holiday Novelties than we have shown in previous years. To mention in print each and every little article in our great stock would be impossible, but a close inspection will convince you that none in Plainfield can show such an extensive assortment of Useful and Substantial Holiday Gifts in the Dry Goods line as we do.
LEDERER'S,
9 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

GEO. L. VAN EMBURGH & SON,
No. 9 East Front Street,
Opposite Park Avenue.
We are offering the largest line of
Games for Home Amusement.

Sold elsewhere at	10c.	our price	7 cents
" "	25c.	"	17 "
" "	50c.	"	34 "
" "	75c.	"	53 "
" "	$1.00	"	67 "

Examine Our Games Before You Buy.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO GET
Our catalogue illustrator of
Imperial Pinned Paper Patterns
With about 1,000 large illustrations.
PRICE 20 CENTS. SOLD BY
A. L. & M. D. GORSLINE,
WEST FRONT STREET, PLAINFIELD, N. J

BOICE, RUNYON & CO.,
[Successors to the estate of D. J. BOICE—A. D. COOK & BRO.]
Dealers in Coal, Lumber and Masons' Materials, Etc.,
42 to 60 PARK AVENUE.
We are now prepared with our increased facilities—having purchased the extensive yard of Messrs. A. D. Cook & Bro.,—to fill all orders promptly, and solicit your patronage.
BOICE, RUNYON & CO.

A MISTAKE.

Easy to Make, But Serious in Its Consequences.

Thrilling Details of a Remarkably Narrow Escape.

May Be a Surprise to Some, But a Wholesome Lesson to All.

A mistake.

Did you ever think or do you fully realize what a mistake may mean?

The engineer makes a mistake in the signals, and the train, freighted with its hundreds of lives, is dashed to destruction; the pilot makes a mistake in his location, and the ship is wrecked upon a hidden and dangerous reef; a doctor makes a mistake in diagnosing the disease and while treating the wrong affection, allows the real disease to gain headway, and persons become incurable.

A mistake is often fatal.

A friend of the writer, a most estimable lady by the name of Miss E. A. Durell, who lives at Sandwich Centre, N. H., came near being the victim of a mistake of the above character.

She fell very ill, and her trouble was pronounced first one disease and then another and another, she, meanwhile, growing constantly worse.

In speaking of her affection, she said:

"For years I was troubled with weak nerves and a bad stomach affection.

"Some called it heart disease, others congestion of the liver, and others still malaria, inflammation of the stomach, &c.

"I was confined to my bed, could keep nothing on my stomach, and ached so intensely all through the system that life was almost unendurable.

"Then I took Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

The result was truly marvellous. From the first dose I date my improvement. I am now in better health than for years previous.

"Words are inadequate to describe the wonderful curative properties which this remedy possesses. I am satisfied that the majority of ills can be cured by this excellent remedy. I deem it the best of all medicines."

Miss Durell got well, as see says above, and as the writer well knows by a last getting the right remedy, but how many people make a mistake in regard to their complaints and continue to treat the wrong disease? If a medicine does not make you better after a fair trial of it, you can depend upon it that you are treating the wrong disease.

You cannot afford to make a mistake in regard to your health, and if you have been using medicine or medicines which have made you no better, stop them at once and do as Miss Durell did, use Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

This remedy will cure when all others fail, and Miss Durell's statement and opinion above expressed,—that it will cure the majority of ills,—is borne out by both fact and experience. It does cure. And it cures the very worst cases, too, cases that have defied the skill of many eminent physicians and where the cause of the disease was unknown or very obscure.

All ordinary affections yield like magic to its wonderful restorative effects. It is purely vegetable and harmless and can be purchased at any drug store for $1.00.

You will make no missake if you use this remedy, for it is not a patent medicine, but on the contrary is the discovery and prkscription of the eminent Dr. Greene of 35 W. 14th Street, New York, well known as the most successful specialist in the treatment of nervous and chronic diseases, who can be consulted free, personally or by letter.

AN ARCTIC EXPLORER.

Incidents in the Career of the Late Lieut Frederick Schwatka.

Lieut Schwatka, who recently died at Portland, Ore., was born in Galena Ill., on September 29, 1849. After graduation at the United States military academy in 1871, he was appointed second lieutenant in the Third cavalry and served on garrison and frontier duty until 1877. He studied law and medicine and was admitted to the bar in 1875 and received his medical degree at Bellevue hospital, New York, in 1876. He then resolved to search the Arctic regions for traces of Sir John Franklin's party, which had been lost, and obtaining leave of absence in 1878 he fitted out an expedition and sailed in the Eathan for King William's land.

On September 29, 1880, the party returned, having discovered and buried

LIEUT. FREDERICK SCHWATKA.

many of the skeletons of Sir John Franklin's party and removed much of the mystery of that expedition's fate Lieut. Schwatka found the grave of Lieut. John Irving, third officer of the Terror, and, in addition to many interesting relics, a paper which was a copy of the Crosier record that was found in 1859 by Lieut. William R. Hobson, of Sir Leopold McClintock's expedition, and which contained two records, the latter, under date of April 25, 1848, stating the death of Sir John Franklin on June 7, 1847. This expedition was also noted for the fact that he made the longest sledge journey on record, having traversed 3,251 statute miles. During the trip he discovered Bock's river, which he named in honor of President Hayes. Lieut. Schwatka was led to make this trip by reading the story of Capt. Thomas F. Barry's whaling expedition in Repulse bay in 1871-73. Capt. Barry met with Esquimaux who described strangers who had passed through that region several years before, and who had buried papers, silver spoons and other relics in a cavern. The results of Lieut. Schwatka's explorations created a great sensation at the time throughout the civilized world.

He afterward explored the course of the Yukon river in Alaska, and in July, 1884, he rejoined his regiment. The August following he resigned the commission of first lieutenant, Third cavalry, which he had held since March 18, 1879. Two years later the New York Times fitted out an exploring expedition and placed Lieut. Schwatka in charge.

Lieut. Schwatka received the Roquette arctic medal from the Geographical Society of Paris and a medal from the Imperial Geographical society of Russia. He was made an honorary member of the geographical society of Geneva, Rome and Bremen. Among his most noted writings are "Along Alaska's Great River" and "Nimrod in the North," published in 1885, and "The Children of the Cold," published in 1886

THE LATE MRS. BOOTH.

Remarkable Memorial Service Conducted by the Salvationists.

The memorial service in the Agricultural hall, London, for Mrs. Booth was, in its way, unique. Instead of following the methods usually adopted at meetings of this sort, Commissioner Howard conceived the idea of carrying out a long and varied programme entirely by means of dissolving views. He first composed the service, which consisted of hymns, including incidents in Mrs. Booth's life, views of places she visited, and selections from her sermons and writings. These he had printed and afterwards photographed. A huge sheet was hung across one end of the

CATHERINE BOOTH.

hall. The lanterns occupied a platform in the center, and in almost total darkness Commissioner Howard, who sat on another platform with the general and his family, directed the whole thing, in perfect silence, by means of an electric communication that had been specially fitted up for the purpose. Considering that the entire space of the huge building was filled with members and sympathizers of the army, the precision and promptness of the audience to obey such instructions as "Perfect silence," "Rise and sing," etc., says much for the army's discipline. Mrs. Booth's portrait was greeted with cries of "Hallelujah," "Amen," and other exclamations dear to the salvationist heart. Her "messages" were again and again loudly cheered, notably those referring to the rights of women as preachers and the call to renewed activity against "the drink." The singing, led by the combined bands of the household and international troops, was fully up to the army's standard, both in tune and expression. The "last messages" of the "Mother of the Army" were pathetic in the extreme, yet scarcely more pathetic than the figure of the white-haired general as he stood between Mr. Bramwell and Miss Eva Booth, unable to make himself heard.

Sending Cut Flowers by Mail.

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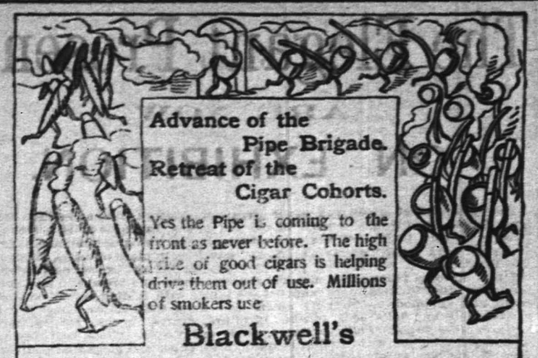

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 30, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1 night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 9 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 6 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Plainfield 3 39, 6 29, 8 59, 7 20, 8, 8 48 9 52, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 52, 1 02, 2 30, 3 23, 4 01, 5 16, 5 48, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 12 11 20 P. M. Sundays—8 58, 11 16 a. m., 9 05 P. M., 1 17, night.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 50, 10 05, 11 35 a. m., 1 05, 3 30, 5 05, 6 35, 8 05, 9 17, 11 05 P. M. Sundays—7 20, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 9 45, 9 20, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 30, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 20, 8 15, 10 05 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m. 12 27 1 39, 3 23, 5 45, 6 56, 8 20, 8 54, 9 06, 9 26, 10 06, 11 38 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 28, 7 35, 7 48 8 20, 9 06, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 2 05, 4 35, 4 50, 5 32, 6 25, 8 41, 9 45, 11 08, P. M. Sunday 5 20, 11 18 A. M., 12 06, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 05, 9 00, 9 40 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 39, 5 20, 6 56, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M. 2 09, 6 26, P. M.

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8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Manch Chunk.

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1 39 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 05 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Manch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Manch Chunk.

6 30 P. M. for Flemington.

6 56 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays fo. High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 8 52, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 37, 7 05 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

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For Trenton 5 15, 8 39, 9 05, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 39, 3 04, 3 54, 4 56, 6 39, 8 20, *9 37 p. m., 1 17, night. Sunday—9 05, 11 16 a. m., 9 05, 9 14, 4 56 p. m., 1 17 night.

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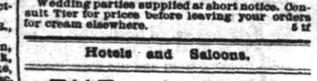

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BALLANTINE & CO.

Referring to the above card, I beg to add that I shall establish a bottling business in the city of Plainfield as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. In the meantime, I shall promptly deliver all orders sent to me.

WILLIAM. H. CAWLEY,
Somerville, N J.

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Another Card.

Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

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Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.

Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

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INDIGNANT LAW-MAKERS

Threats of Steamship Lines Viewed as a "Bluff."

THEY DO NOT FRIGHTEN THE U. S.

Measures Now Being Considered in Washington With Regard to the Restriction of Pauper Immigration—Mr. Chandler Introduces His Bill in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The London despatch announcing that the North Atlantic Steamship Association would, after the new year, carry only saloon and second class passengers, together with the comments of the agents of the various lines which are members of this association, has caused no little indignation among members of Congress.

The action of this association, of which very few people not engaged in the business of bringing paupers at so much per head into the United States had ever heard, is accepted here as being a kind of incorporated blackmail upon the government of this country.

In other words, it is a threat by the associated steamship companies that they will raise the rates of passage across the Atlantic, and in that way lessen the tide of travel to the Columbian Exposition at Chicago, unless they are permitted to continue their business of unloading a quarter of a million of unwelcome additions to our population, many of them from the slums of Europe.

Congressman Stump, who is chairman of the Immigration Committee in the House, says that the immigration committees of both branches of Congress will hold joint sessions to-morrow and Friday and that the representatives of the steamship companies engaged in the immigration trade have been invited to appear before the committees at their Friday meeting.

As for the threats of the North Atlantic Steamship Association, he dismissed it as an idle "bluff" to which Congress would pay ho heed.

A similar threat, he said, had been made some time ago by the companies that they would divert their trade to Canada. He could say that there was a determination to restrict, if not totally to suspend immigration, in spite of all the opposition of the steamship companies.

Senator Chandler has introduced his bill authorizing the President to suspend immigration at his discretion.

FIGHTING SUNDAY OPENING.

The Federation of Labor Asked to Not Aid the Fair People.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—At the second day's session of the twelfth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor, the most significant matter was a despatch from Thomas Mitchell of Chicago, president of the Trades and Labor Assembly, which read:

"At special meeting of Trades Assembly resolution passed denouncing giving of catalogue printing to Conkey, and requesting Federation not to pass resolution favoring Sunday opening World's Fair."

New York's Board of Canvassers.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 14.—Secretary of State Rice says he will call the meeting of the State Board of Canvassers for Thursday afternoon. That, of course, was the last day, but it has to be left until then because there were some counties, notably Kings, that could not be returned until that day. There are still missing Ulster, Allegheny and Kings County.

Spring Companies Combine.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 14.—The Columbus Spring Company, capital stock $2,000,000, has just been formed, with headquarters in this city. Among the companies composing the new combine are the LaFelle Spring Company, of Pittsburg; the Wood-Smith Company, of Fort Plain, N. Y., and the Bridgeport Spring Company, of Bridgeport, Conn.

Infringement on Brooks' Patents.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 14.—The Union Writing Machine Company, manufacturers of the new Brooks type-writer, have filed a suit in the United States Circuit Court for the District of New Jersey, against the Domestic Sewing Machine Company for infringement of their patents by the manufacture of what is known as the Williams Type-writer.

A Young Couple Drowned.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Dec. 14.—A young man named Corliss, a clerk for Druggist Gorman of Lenox, and a young woman from Albany, a teacher in the public schools of that place, broke through the ice while skating on the pond in the rear of the summer residence of Charles Lanier at Lenox, and were drowned.

Irishmen May Cause the Trouble.

DUBLIN, Dec. 14.—John Dillon, in addressing a National Federation Convention at Hoyle, admitted that there was some danger and risk of trouble in Parliament over the coming Home Rule bill, but he said that it arose rather from dissention in Ireland than from the condition of the parties in England.

The Sundry Civil Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The sub-committee of the House Committee on Appropriations, in charge of the preparation of the Sundry Civil bill, had a business session yesterday and gave hearings to persons interested in the measure.

Result of a Boiler Explosion.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 14.—By a boiler explosion at the mill of the Ticonderoga Pulp and Paper company, at Ticonderoga, Engineer Provicier died from injuries he received and Fireman Pelkey was badly hurt. The loss is $10,000.

Committee on Invalid Pensions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The necessity for some law by which the government will be able to recover money fraudulently obtained on first pension payment formed the topic of discussion in the House Committee on Invalid Pensions yesterday.

Sisters Run Down By a Train.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 14.—Two sisters, Rachel and Anna Schwartz, while going to work were run down by a freight train on the West Shore railroad. One may die, but the other is not seriously injured.

Prof. Smith Suspended.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 14.—The Presbytery by a vote of 31 to 26 has suspended Rev. Henry Preserved Smith from the ministry.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

HORRORS OF A MEXICAN PRISON.

Money to Secure the Release of Mr. and Mrs. Knox Received at Elmira, N. Y.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Dec. 14.—The $1,000 which it is stated is necessary to secure the release of Robert J. Knox and his wife, the Americans who are incarcerated in the Belem prison, Mexico, has been raised, and the amount in gold will be forwarded to Mexico at once.

It is believed here that a settlement will be effected and Knox and his wife released.

Since being confined in prison both have lost their health. Dr. E. A. Reilly, health officer of the city of Elmira, who has just returned from the City of Mexico, and who saw Knox and his wife in prison, declares that Mrs. Knox cannot live a month longer if not released.

The prison, he says, is damp and unhealthy, and overrun with lice and all manner of insect life.

Knox showed Dr. Reilly where his neck was literally raw with vermin bites. He was so weak that he could not stand up.

LEFT DEBTS BEHIND.

A Hempstead, L. I., Florist Disappears After Drawing Worthless Checks.

HEMPSTEAD, L. I., Dec. 14.—C. G. Lescano, a seedsman and florist, who has been engaged in business here for several years, has disappeared.

It has been learned that before he left the village he had checks amounting to over $2,500 cashed by local merchants.

The checks were returned unpaid by the Hempstead bank, upon which they were drawn, Lescano having drawn out all of his balance.

He also leaves several thousand dollars in debts behind him.

FASTER WUILLMEAU GIVES IN.

Devours a Can of Condensed Milk and Two Bananas and Then Skips Out.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 14.—Arthur W. Wuillmeau, the faster, has abruptly cancelled his engagement in this city and departed for parts unknown.

Some disagreement with his managers the cause.

He closed his fast with an order for a can of condensed milk and six bananas. The order was at once filled and the faster partook lightly of the milk while he slowly munched two of the bananas.

The doctors left the hall in disgust.

Reunion of the Ancient Scottish Rite.

CORNING, N. Y., Dec. 14.—The bodies of the Ancient Scottish Rite for the Northern Masonic jurisdiction of the United States of America in the Valley Corning, held their reunion at the Consistorial Chambers in this city yesterday. The Thirty-second Degree Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret was conferred in full form. After the session a banquet was held at the Dickinson house.

Seceded from Presbyterianism.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 14.—At the Allegheny City Presbytery meeting the important business was the discussion of the affairs of the Oak Grove Church. Rev. J. C. McCrory, the pastor, at the head of half the flock, seceded from Presbyterianism, and taking possession of the property, are now running the "Free Presbyterian" Church.

War on Non-Union Glass Blowers.

BRIDGETON, N. J., Dec. 14.—The Glass Blowers' Association has begun a war against non-union glass manufacturers of South Jersey, by calling all the union men out of the Cumberland Glass Company's works here.

Four Years for Burglary.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 14.—J. B. Fullerton, alias Farrell of Boston, a crook who has done time in the Massachusetts State prison, has been sentenced to the Erie penitentiary for four years for burglary here, and a felonious attempt on the life of officer Roche.

Identity of the Forger.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 14.—The forger who swindled Attorney C. J. Baker of this city by means of a forged check to which the name of J. Q. Maynard, of New York city, was signed, has been found to be an ex-employe of Maynard. His right name is F. R. Ferris.

Flower and Murphy Confer.

ALBANY, Dec. 14.—Edward Murphy, jr., chairman of the Democratic State Committee, had a long conference with Gov. Flower at the Executive Chamber last evening. Neither the Governor nor Mr. Murphy would divulge the questions discussed.

Father Leonard's Will.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 14.—The will of the Rev. Father Leonard, pastor of St. Michael's Church, who died on Nov. 26, has been filed. He leaves about $60,000, which is divided among local charities and near relatives.

Myer and Lavigne Matched.

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—Eddie Myer, brother of the "Cyclone," and George Lavigne, of Saginaw, Mich., have been matched for $1,000 a side and the largest purse obtainable. The men are to meet early in February.

Gen. Henry Gray Dead.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 14.—Information is from Coushatta of the death of Gen. Henry Gray, one of the few surviving members of the Confederate Congress and Brigadier Generals of the Confederate Army.

Stevenson to visit Augusta.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Dec. 14.—Adlai E. Stevenson will depart next Sunday with his family for his first visit to Atlanta. No plans of his trip are given out.

H. Clay King to Be Pardoned Soon.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 14.—It is reported that Gov. Buchanan will pardon H. Clay King before he retires from office in January.

NATIONAL PRESS ORGANIZATION.

The Inland Daily Newspapers to Protect Their Interests By Co-operation.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 14.—A large gathering of newspaper men in this city have formed a new National Press Association, styled "The American Associated Dailies." It is organized somewhat after the plan of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, composed of the metropolitan dailies, and is for the purpose of furthering the business interests of daily newspapers outside of the large cities. Meetings will be held annually, the next one being in Chicago on the second Tuesday of September, and will hold over two or three days. The sessions will be held in the World's Fair building, and a big attendance is expected.

The meeting in this city was prolific of a wide and general discussion of the best methods of conducting daily newspapers. Means of increasing circulation were handled as freely as possible. The methods resorted to by some publishers to boast circulation figures were denounced openly by several of the members who have pledged themselves to support the organization.

A constitution and by-laws were adopted, and the following National officers elected for the ensuing year: President, F. W. Starbuck, Journal, Racine, Wis.; vice-presidents, Quincy A. Hassler, Times, Warsaw, Ind.; James A. Amos, News, Sidney, O.; H. S. Cohn, Anzeiger, Louisville, Ky.; F. Proctor, Times, Gloucester, Mass.; E. V. McKee, Review, Towanda, Pa.; recording secretary, J. A. Erwin, Review, Monmouth, Ill.; corresponding secretary, Ira S. Carpenter, Despatch, Michigan City, Ind.; treasurer, F. Allen, Press, Dayton, O.

$750,000 FIRE AT BALTIMORE.

The Greatest Blaze that Has Ever Visited the Water Front of that City.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 14.—Alexander Brown's warehouse, at Bond and Thames streets, and 17,000 bales of cotton stored therein, were destroyed by fire.

The fire was the largest and most destructive that ever visited the water front of Baltimore.

It started shortly after 8 a. m. in the massive cotton warehouse of Alexander Brown, and quickly spread throughout the adjoining five buildings.

The six large buildings were stocked with 17,202 bales of cotton belonging to the leading cotton firms of Baltimore, and valued at about $750,000.

With the exception of the countless bales floating in the harbor, the entire lot will, it is thought, be a total loss.

The warehouses are a complete wreck.

The walls of some of the structures have fallen, and the remainder are tottering.

The entire damage will reach, it is believed, about $750,000, and is covered by insurance.

How the conflagration started has not yet been learned, although the origin of the flames is attributed to spontaneous combustion.

CHRISTMAS CHESS MATCHES.

Arrangements Completed for the Inter-Collegiate Tournament.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 14.—Arrangements for the intercollegiate chess tournament which will be held at New York city during the Christmas vacation are now completed.

The representatives of the four colleges, Yale, Harvard, Columbia and Princeton, will be as follows;

Yale—Bumstead and Skinner.
Harvard—Goldmark and Macaya.
Princeton—Dickie and Ewing.
Columbia—Holmes and Stubbs.

Each man will meet every other representative, except the other one from his own college.

Nominations Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The Senate, in executive session, confirmed the following nominations:

Person C. Cheney, of New Hampshire, to be Minister to Switzerland.

Genio M. Lambertsen, of Nebraska, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Trip's Trial Commenced.

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., Dec. 14.—The trial of George H. Trip, of Central Village, for alleged forgery of a note of $8,000 on May 16 last on T. C. Peckham, of Coventry Centre, R. I., has been commenced in the Superior Court, this city.

Schooner Ashore.

STONY BROOK, L. I., Dec. 14.—The schooner Margaret Kennedy, bound for New York with lumber, has gone ashore in this harbor and is reported to be full of water. She will probably go to pieces.

Senatorial Caucus Falls Through.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The projected caucus of Republican Senators on the condition of affairs in the Legislatures of the doubtful Western States has apparently fallen through for a time.

May Continue the Fair Another Year.

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—There is considerable talk among the World's Fair directors of continuing the Fair for another year after November next, and the plan seems to meet with general favor.

109 Years Old.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 14.—Mrs. Catherine Connelly, who is dead at South Glenn Falls, was 109 years old. She was a native of Ireland.

Will be Opened as a Winter Garden.

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—It is announced that the World's Fair Horticultural building will be formally opened as a winter garden on Dec. 20.

Justice Lamar's Illness.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The son of Justice Lamar states that his father's present indisposition is a slight attack of indigestion.

Money the Most Suitable Gifts.

ROME, Dec. 14.—The Pope, it is said, has intimated that offerings of money would be the most suitable jubilee gifts.

YACHT RACE NOW SURE

New York Club Accepts Lord Dunraven's Challenge.

DECIDED BY AN UNANIMOUS VOTE.

The Committee Appointed to Consider the Matter Made a Favorable Report—Concessions By Both Sides—Yachting People Delighted.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—At a special meeting of the New York Yacht Club, held last evening at their club house, it was unanimously decided to accept the Royal Yacht Squadron's challenge on behalf of Lord Dunraven for the America's Cup, which means there will be an international yacht race next year.

Some months ago Lord Dunraven wrote to Secretary Oddie that he was desirous of challenging for the America's Cup if certain objectionable features in the deed of gift could be removed.

The New York Yacht Club appointed a committee of five, consisting of Gen. Paine, Archibald Roberts, James D. Smith, Nathan A. Fish and A. Cass Canfield, to endeavor to bring about a race with his lordship.

The committee went to work with a will and soon it began to look as though there would be a race. Both sides made concessions. Under the mutual agreement clause the committee practically eliminated the objectionable dimension clause, and Lord Dunraven consented to challenge under the new deed of gift.

After the challenge was received the committee thought that it was hardly in accordance with his lordship's letters, and some lively cablegraming followed. Everything, however, came out all right, and the committee, at the conclusion of its report, recommended the acceptance of the challenge, which was done inside of thirty minutes, and the good news cabled to Lord Dunraven and Secretary Grant of the Royal Yacht Squadron.

The meeting was one of the largest and most enthusiastic ever held by the New York Yacht Club. In spite of the storm over 200 yachtsmen were present, of whom 32 were yacht owners, which gave them the right to vote on the acceptance of the challenge.

Ex-Commodore James D. Smith was the first to announce the good news.

THE ATTACK ON HIPPOLYTE.

His Would-be Murderers Arrested by His Guard.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Passengers on the steamship Adirondack, which sailed from Kingston, Jaimaca, Dec. 2, and arrived here yesterday bring information of the reported attempt to assassinate President Hippolyte.

The attempt was made shortly before the Adirondack sailed and the report was soon spread over the country.

As far as they learned the facts, the assassination was attempted by a party of political agitators who ambushed the President while strolling in the gardens early in the morning.

When attacked the President called for help and was rescued by his guard, who arrested the would-be murderers.

KILLED BY TRAIN ROBBERS.

A Plucky Passenger Shot Down at Huntington, W. Va.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Dec. 14.—Two masked men attempted to rob the midnight train on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad within the city limits.

They began firing their revolvers as soon as they entered the car and a Chicago man, who grappled with them, was shot dead.

The trainmen disarmed them, but during the excitement the robbers got away.

At 8 o'clock last night the detectives arrested Burrell Forgey for the robbery.

Death of an Old Sea Captain.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 14.—Capt. Washington Illsley died in Limerick yesterday, aged 75. He was one of the old time sea captains sailing from this port. He commanded a number of sailing vessels and was master of the steamer Sarah Sanders, the first English steamship that ever came into this port.

Sawyer Will to Be Contested.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Dec. 14.—The will of the late Samuel E. Sawyer, of this city, who left a few thousand dollars each to the testator's relatives and distributed the residue of the $700,000 estate among sixty charitable and educational institutions, is being contested by the heirs at law.

For Battle Lines and Tablets.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The Secretary of the Treasury has sent to the House an estimate of an appropriation of $23,750 submitted by the Secretary of War, to be expended during the fiscal year 1893, for battle lines and sites for tablets at the Antietam battle field.

Suit Against the Eclipse Oil Co.

FRANKLIN, Pa., Dec. 14.—An action in trespass has been entered in the Venango county courts against the Eclipse Lubricating Oil company by a Mr. Roach, whose wife and children were burned to death in the great fire and flood at Oil City in June last.

Bagley Gets Two and a Half Years.

DAVENPORT, Ia., Dec. 14.—In the District Court George J. Bagley for the theft of $1,000 from the United States Express Company, the full amount of which was afterward returned, was sentenced to two and one half years in the penitentiary.

Gold Mine Shuts Down.

ISHPEMING, Mich., Dec. 14.—The Ropes gold mine has closed down, as the stockholders will no longer furnish money. Over $400,000 in assessments is sunk in the attempt to develop the mine into a profit maker.

Not Known by Carnegie Officials.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 14.—Charles Stafford, who died in Toronto, Ont., from supposed poison administered at Homestead during the strike, is not known by the Carnegie officials.

Date for the Hall-Fitzsimmons Fight.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 14.—The Crescent City Athletic Club has fixed the date of the Hall-Fitzsimmons fight for the first week in April. The prize is to be $40,000.

Bond Company Assigns.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 14.—The order of the Vesta Bond Company has made an assignment.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

—The Welland canal has closed for the season.

—Prof. Briggs has begun his defense in New York.

—Yesterday Mr. Gladstone completed his sixtieth year in Parliament.

—The yellow fever has entirely disappeared from Cordova, Mexico.

—Jose Serpa has been appointed Consul in Havana for Peru and Chili.

—The Sarah Disbrow will contest at Brooklyn, N. Y., has been ended.

—Robert Daller, a Central Hudson brakeman, was killed at Fonda, N. Y.

—The Oakland, Md., woolen mills have been destroyed by fire. Loss, $15,000.

—The New York State Dairymen's association is in session at Cableskill, N. Y.

—The annual meeting of the American Sabbath Union is being held in Chicago.

—A vein of good anthracite coal six feet deep has been discovered near Uniondale, Penn.

—Croso Duckworth has been sentenced to death at London for the murder of Alice Barnes.

—Henry A. Marsh, Republican, was elected mayor of Worcester, Mass., yesterday.

—The Essex, Conn., wood turning mill was destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, $15,000.

—Seventy houses in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., have been ordered quarantined, owing to scarlet fever.

—Nathan Matthews, jr., has been re-elected mayor of Boston. The city voted for license.

—William Potter, the newly appointed United States Minister to Italy, has arrived in Rome.

—A new steamboat company, with a capital of $160,000, has been incorporated at Fall River, Mass.

—At the municipal election at Keene, N. H., Frederick A. Faulkner, Republican, was re-elected mayor.

—It is again reported that King Charles, of Roumania, will abdicate in favor of Crown Prince Charles.

—The Hudson Sand and Mining company of New York city has been incorporated with a capital of $90,000.

—Two persons were killed, many injured, and much property destroyed by a cyclone at Summitt, Miss., yesterday.

—Secretary Foster gave a dinner last night in honor of the Vice-President and members of the Diplomatic Corps.

—George J. Gould has been elected president of New York's elevated railroad system in place of his father, Jay Gould.

—Jacob Van Slicke was struck and almost instantly killed by a West Shore train near Herkimer, N. Y., last night.

—Tu Sing, the steward of the Wandering Jew, charged with smuggling cigars, has been held under bail for trial at Boston.

—Secretary Noble gave a dinner last night to the Cherokee commission and the Senate and House Indian committees.

—Fourth-class postmasters have been appointed as follows: Jessie M. Hiney, Drinker, Pa.; G. H. Shupe, Pitahenry, Pa.

—David Young, a Pennsylvania railroad brakeman, fell between cars at Trenton, N. J., and was literally ground to pieces.

—The steamship Hibernian, from Glasgow, with a large consignment of Shetland ponies for Philadelphia, has arrived at Halifax.

—Seeley Olion, colored, of Goshen, N. Y., attempted to kill his wife and then cut his own throat from ear to ear, dying in a few hours.

—The bodies of James Mills and Judson Wilkinson, supposed to have been killed by Philip Nicholas at Richmond, Va., have not been found.

—The slate pickers and driver boys of the Eddy Creek colliery at Oliphant, Pa., have gone on strike for an increase of 10 cents per day in wages.

—The Mexican government has granted a concession to Steenmann Hagle to establish a line of steamers between Mexican ports and London and Antwerp.

—The Jesuits are trying to arrange a matrimonial alliance between Don Jaime, son of Don Carlos, and Infanta Marcedes, daughter of the late King Alfonso.

—A double murder occurred in a house of ill-fame at Yellow Springs, O., by which a man named Koogler and a woman named Lou Kris were the victims.

—Gov. Flower has commuted the sentence of John McNamara, of Corning, N. Y., who, 16 years ago, murdered his sweetheart, and was serving a term of life imprisonment.

No Pay For Volunteers.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 14.—Owing to lack of provision in existing laws, volunteers who helped put down the recent mine disturbances will receive no pay unless the Legislature comes to their relief.

Every Request of the Engineers Refused.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—It is learned from a reliable source that the Vanderbilt system has refused every single request of the General Grievance Committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

For a Coadjutor for Archbishop Kenrick.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 14.—An ecclesiastical conference has been called to meet in this city to-morrow to consider the question of a coadjutor for the venerable Archbishop Kenrick.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Wednesday: For New Jersey: Threatening Weather and Rain; Probably Fair Thursday; Stationary Temperature; Westerly Winds.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

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—Power

—Of Gold,

—At Music Hall, to-night.

—Chenille covers cheap at Edsall's.

—Baby grand pianos can be had at Hulett's.

—If you are a lover of butter-cups, try Compton's.

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—In buying at Compton's, a two-fold purpose is accomplished—money saved and A No. 1 goods had.

—A Christmas gift to delight the heart is a choice book. Estil alone has a full supply, 9 Park avenue.

—Buy your pianos of Vanderbeek & Sattels, 33 Park avenue. They have been established 40 years. Give them a call.

—Two teams from Leal's school and two outside teams are to play polo and foot-ball at the Crescent rink to-morrow night.

—The new fire alarm boxes have arrived. 48 is for West Front and Albert streets, and 23 for Fifth and Washington streets.

—The *Courier* is advertising for a new reporter. The Mr. Thomas who has been conspicuous on the staff is to leave Saturday night.

—Tier's elegant parlors on the second floor of his Park avenue building are a favorite resort for ice-cream or oyster supper parties.

—"Our Citizens'" band will give a ball in Saengerbund hall to-morrow evening. Admission will be 25 cents for ladies, and 50 cents for gentlemen.

—Do n't let the storm keep you away from Music Hall to-night. You may never have a chance to see such a play as "The Power of Gold", in Plainfield again.

—The second trial heat for the skating race to be held at the Crescent rink on Christmas night, was won last evening by T. Rafferty first with J. Sutphen second.

—The car-load of scenery and accessories for "The Power of Gold" arrived this morning without a key to its lock and none could be found by station agent Haynes to fit it. It was necessary to wire to Jersey City for a key.

—If you attend the prayer meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church this evening, be there in time to enjoy the pastor's opening remarks. One peculiarity of these meetings is the number of whole families attending them. All strangers will be cordially welcomed there. The hour of meeting is 8.

—Friday evening, the attraction at Music Hall will be Fitz and Webster and their merry company in "A Breezy Time". This piece is one of the best farce comedies now on the stage, and never fails to attract large audiences. It is replete with catchy music and entertaining varieties. The selections on various musical instruments by E. B. Fitz and Kathryn Webster are vociferously applauded, as is also the serpentine dance by Miss Orient Anson. The remaining members of the company understand their parts perfectly.

—Students of Shakespeare will have an opportunity to hear a lecture on "Macbeth" in All Souls church Friday evening of this week, by the Rev. H. H. Woude of Newburgh, N. Y. The promoters of the course of lectures of which this will be the third in the series have placed the tickets at the low price of one dollar for the season and twenty-five cents for single lectures. Two lectures after Mr. Woude's remain to be given, one on Thoreau, by the Rev. J. W. Chadwick, and the last by the Rev. Robert Collyer on a subject yet to be announced.

AFTER HIS WAYWARD GIRL.

She Fled from Home to Pose in a Plainfield Shooting Gallery.

Thomas McCoy of Elizabeth came to Plainfield to-day hunting for his daughter Bertha, a fine-looking young woman who came here to pose as attraction at Fred Staab's shooting gallery. He made ugly charges against Staab, and wanted constable Mattox to arrest him. Bertha could not be found at Staab's, and McCoy was going to arrest him on *habeas corpus* proceedings when it was learned that Bertha had taken refuge at Howard Thompson's on Division street. Constable Mattox coaxed her away, and she went home with her papa without further trouble.

An Enjoyable Free Concert.

Walter Arnold Hudson delighted a large audience of people in the First Baptist church last evening by his exquisite singing. His rare basso voice is most thoroughly trained, and he proved himself a master of his art. He was ably assisted by local talent. Mr. MacClymont as organist was up to his usual high standard, and the singing of Mrs. B. T. Barnes was greatly enjoyed. Mr. Hudson has engaged handsomely-furnished rooms in Hulett's conservatory of music, where he already has a large number of pupils anxious to learn of the best instructor.

The wonderful cure by Salvation Oil of Mr. M. S. Culp, a chronic rheumatic, 816 George st., Baltimore, Md., is a miracle.

STREET RAILWAY EXTENSION.

Prospects of Rapid Transit for All Sections of City, Borough, and Suburbs.

Having for months seen the benefits and blessings of a superior electric railway, the people in all parts of Plainfield are now anxious for extension of the road to their individual neighborhoods. The Somerset street section of the road from Green brook to Johnston's drive will be begun and completed as speedily as possible. The company has already the privilege of laying tracks along Somerset street from Front street to the brook. This was granted under the original ordinance. The time for building this part of the road is not up till Feb. 2. The city clerk showed what he knows about municipal matters by stating in his paper a few nights ago that it would be necessary to pass a new ordinance before the tracks from Front street to the brook could be laid. If the company do not complete that work by Feb. 2, the present time limit, an extension of time may be obtained from the common council.

Another portion of the original route which people seem to have forgotten, is from the present terminus at Monroe avenue and Seventh street, through Seventh street, Plainfield avenue and Sixth street to Park avenue. The route of the original franchise includes those thoroughfares, and the company has until Feb. 2 to lay those tracks also, with the privilege of time-extension by resolution of the common council.

The street railway representatives met a night or two ago with the councilmanic street committee, and discussed various plans for perfection of road-bed and extension of the line. It is probable that in the spring the company, through the untiring efforts of superintendent Passmore, will have secured full right of way for a desirable route to Netherwood, and extension to the heights will then speedily become a reality. The people of Netherwood are just as anxious to have Plainfield's peerless railway reach them, as are the mountaineers of Washingtonville. And Dunellen also wants the benefits of the line, believing that electric connection with Plainfield would give them the "boom" they have long awaited. The trolley is the favorite. Everybody clamors for it. It has come to stay.

ROBBERS IN THE MOUNTAINS.

Freeholder Bullman's Pies Stolen for a Midnight Feast by the Schoolmarm's Fire.

The residence of George Bullman, Somerset county freeholder from North Plainfield, in Washington valley, on the quarry farm, was broken into last night and robbed of a lot of edibles and household goods, chief of which was a brand-new overcoat. From Bullman's the robbers went to the school-house, broke in, and regaled themselves on his pies and other good things, seated by the schoolmarm's fire. This is the second time the school-house has been so honored within two weeks.

Mr. Bullman suspected certain parties, and swore out a search warrant. Marshal Pangborn searched the premises but could find no trace of the goods.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

The funeral of John N. Schenck, who died yesterday aged 52, will be held from his late residence, 40 Manning avenue, Friday afternoon at 2.

George Wharton Edwards and a number of other distinguished artists will give a studio reception in the Manhattan building, 96 Fifth avenue, Saturday.

Mrs. A. B. Warner of 63 West Second street, wife of William H. Warner the auctioneer, is spending a few days in Philadelphia. She will return on Saturday.

The patronesses of the first Assembly at the Casino, Monday evening, were: Mrs. Charles E. Brooks, Mrs. Charles J. Fisk, Mrs. William T. Kaufman, Mrs. Pliny Fisk, Mrs. Harry G. Runkle, and Mrs. Robert L. Burnett.

Will Cadmus of Duer street, lost a little niece, yesterday morning. She was Constance, aged 6 months and 6 days, daughter of Will's brother Harry, of 683 East 139th street, New York. The cause of death was malignant scarlet fever.

Mrs. William Morgan, wife of the celebrated artist, and sister of Augustus and Samuel Frazee of this city, died at her home, Morris Heights, N. Y., Monday morning. She never entirely recovered from the effects of the severe operation told of in these columns at the time. Her remains were to-day brought to this city and interred in Evergreen cemetery.

—To-night, "The Power of God".

—You can find more articles suitable for presents at Edsall's than anywhere in town.

—At Estil's you will be bewildered and overjoyed at the countless treasures to select holiday gifts from.

—You'll find a good selection of second-hand pianos and organs at Vanderbeek & Sattels's. Want a bargain? Go and see them.

Happy School Children.

Some Plainfield mothers have made their children happy this winter by keeping the school cloaks, gowns and suits as bright and handsome as the Sunday clothes.

This has been done easily by dyeing the old dresses, faded stockings and the worn cloaks with Diamond Dyes. These dyes are easy to use, color a pound of goods for a dime and make fast colors on wool, cotton and silk goods.

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MR. GROENDYKE'S VINDICATION.

Disproval of the Charge Preferred Against Him—The Connection Alleged Has Not Existed for Over Eight Years.

Craig A. Marsh, as counsel for Mr. Groendyke, has furnished THE PRESS with the following communication and requested its publication. By complying with the request THE PRESS thereby does a simple act of justice to a gentleman who has patiently submitted to abuse, confident that in the end he would be righted.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—When Mr. Groendyke was charged by the borough health inspector with a specific offense, he promptly denied the charge in a written communication addressed to the board of health, and declared that the thing complained of had not existed for over eight years. When, later, he was viciously attacked by others, some of whom got their slanders published, I advised him not to avail himself immediately of his legal right to cause the arrest of those who were responsible for the libels. This course was taken because we knew that the board of health was composed of gentlemen who would not and did not give publicity to the charge pending the investigation, and who could be relied upon to do full justice in the end. The end has come. Mr. Groendyke has been absolutely vindicated from the charge preferred against him, and is entitled to have that vindication given as much publicity as was given to the original charge, and the later defamation.

It won't do to say that "he is guilty to a less extent than was at first reported", and "that investigation exonerates him from the most serious of the charges against him". There is no half way about it. He was either guilty or not guilty. He was charged with committing a definite offense, ordered to stop, and threatened with prosecution if he did not stop. He said there was no truth in the charge, and of course he could not stop what did not exist.

There can be no two opinions about this, for the charge was in writing, and it was that connection had been found to exist between the bath room and the conduit in question. This it was that he was ordered to sever. He denied that it existed. That was the issue and the only issue to be determined It was determined by the board of health in favor of Mr. Groendyke.

As to any connections with conduit other than the one specified in the charge, there never has been any dispute, Mr. Groendyke in his letter to the board voluntarily proposed to sever the connection with the kitchen and to adopt any other suggestions of the board looking to the public good. It illbecomes any one to attempt to use this public spirited, and purely voluntary action of Mr. Groendyke to becloud the fact that he was unjustly accused and honorably acquitted.

ANOTHER FIGHT OVER JOB MALE PROPERTY.

Vice Chancellor VanFleet Grants Counselor Reed an Injunction Stopping the Administrator's Sale of the Schoonmaker Collection.

Charles A. Reed, in behalf of the board of directors of the public library and art gallery, secured from vice-chancellor Van Fleet, this morning, a temporary injunction restraining the sale of the Schoonmaker collection of cloisonne by the administrators of Job Male. Next Tuesday the latter must show cause why the injunction should not be made permanent.

This action was foreshadowed in THE PRESS the other day. The public library library directors want the intent and promise of Mr. Male carried out, whereby, it is said, he induced Mr. Schoonmaker to sell the collection complete to him for $9,000. Mr. Schoonmaker says that for the sake of keeping intact the collection that as such was worth fully $20,000, he agreed to sell it for $9,000 and Mr. Male pledged himself to present it to the public art gallery. It seems he had begun to personally deliver the collection, and part of it was in the library building when Mr. Male died. Since then some of the heirs, or others acting for them, have entered the building, taken the pieces away and advertised the whole collection for sale by auction.

—Six copies of sheet music can be had at Hulett's for 25 cents.

Real Horses on Music Hall Stage, To-Night.

Walter Sanford's latest successful dramatic production, "The Power of Gold", at Music Hall to-night will be presented with a great profusion of elaborate scenery, all specially painted by the most celebrated scenic artists of the day, John Young and Harley Merry, each massive set requiring the entire dimensions of the stage. Realism plays an important part in this production, as it introduces real cabs real canal boats and real horses.

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J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres.
Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.

A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.

A. Kleinecke Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

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AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

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12-6-tf

ONE MOMENT PLEASE,

Thanks, I knew it would interest you. Imperial Flour only $5.00 per bbl. And while you are interested I would call your attention to Canned and Dried Fruits of all kinds are in *now*, and the prices are low at

J. F. MacDONALD,

THE UP-TOWN GROCER.

46 and 48 EAST FRONT S T. TELEPHONE No. 155. 1 28 tf

BEWARE THIS FAKER.

How He Fooled the Gullible Country People West of Plainfield, and What His Ointments Are Made Of—Worthless and Dangerous Concoctions—Quarrels With the Farmer's Daughter Who Eloped to Become His Bride.

C. A. Rosenberg, a faker of patent medicines, has been buncoing the farmers and business men of Somerville, White House and other places of that section. One of his specialties is a "Celebrated French oil or cure for rheumatism." He left only when he was driven out by the tough gang from Raritan. The last night he was there someone threw a big quid of tobacco, hitting him in the eye. That settled it. He decamped for White House, taking with him two Somerville negroes, William Seaman and Sam Nevius, to assist him in his free shows.

When he reached Somerville he had with him a young woman of pleasing appearance who he claimed was his wife. They were said to be married in Phillipsburg, as evidenced by a certificate she showed to one of the negroes. She was, it is said, persuaded to elope with Rosenberg from her father's house in a little town near Allentown, Pa., and they had only been married eleven days when the couple made their bow in Somerville. While there, one evening, to prove the virtues of his "corn cure" Rosenberg called a small boy to the platform and removed a large wart from his finger. After rubbing the salve over the wart he dug under the edges until he could get a good grip, then tore it out by the roots, causing the little fellow to cry from the pain. After this cruel act, Rosenberg gave the boy a box of his salve to square things. He left Somerville without paying for some goods contracted for. At White House he ran short of medicines and manufactured enough to last for several days. His mode of gulling the public and an analysis of what the remidies are made will no doubt be interesting.

Sam Nevius, the negro who went from Somerville with Rosenberg under a salary of $1 per day, "and found", as the great African fire-eater and sketch artist, tells the story. Sam can do the fire-eating trick very nicely, as well as thump the banjo; therefore his services were of some value to Rosenberg. The Monday morning after reaching White House Rosenberg sent Sam back to Somerville with money enough to purchase two gallons of gasoline. This Sam bought, and took with him on his return. The next morning the quartette went to the hall and after locking the door Rosenberg proceeded to manufacture his "Celebrated French oil". Into the two-gallon can of gasoline Rosenberg put one-half pound of black pepper, five cents worth of pokeberry roots, and a small amount of oil of citron. The roots gave to the mixture a beautiful red color, while the perfume disguised the odor of the gasoline. After allowing the mixture to stand for some hours, Rosenberg proceeded to fill two hundred bottles, which he had that morning received by freight. Then pasting an attractive label on each bottle, and corking tightly, he had enough "French oil" to last one week.

Each purchaser is warned not to apply to the raw flesh or to get any of the stuff near the eyes or fire. And is it any wonder after knowing the composition of the stuff that fakir as he is Rosenberg does not want to run the risk of having manslaughter on his hands? There is a law in New Jersey forbiding the illegal practice of medicine, but nothing covering the sale of such poisonous stuff as this. In most towns now, traveling patent medicine men are charged a high license. Somerville is one of those towns, and yet Mr. Rosenberg went to Somerville, remained three nights, sold his deceptive compounds, and skipped without even being asked to pay a license.

Rosenberg's business was to fake people, and he knew his business well. On the last night he remained in White House the crowd completely fill the hall, and here is where Mr. Fakir made his ten strike. He fooled them all by the ancient, time-worn trick of giving all the money back after the sale of his corn cure and blood purifier, and then not saying that he would do the same with the French oil scooped in nearly sixty dollars. The hayseeds bit eagerly. Mr. Wooden, the hotel keeper, lost three days board for the four people in the show.

Rosenberg did not make one-night stands. He was supposed to stay two weeks in a place, but he did n't. Three days was enough to get into the good graces of the people, and in that time he worked each town for all it was worth.

From White House he went to High Bridge, and there he had great luck. He went to the printers and had struck off some flaring handbills telling the people that on Thursday evening a grand show would be given in the hall—"Band of ten pieces, seven star specialty artists, African fire eaters, Every purchaser of a ticket gets a prize, And admission only ten cents". In consequence, as High Bridge people are not used to such things, the hall was thronged, and Rosenberg by the time the show began had thirty dollars in bright shining ten-cent pieces in his inside pocket. After giving them a half hour of wretched variety performance, Rosenberg brought out his medicines, and without turning a hair sold to these people nearly fifty dollars worth of the worthless stuff. Then came the time for making the present to each buyer of a ticket. In a smooth little speech Rosenberg told the farmers that while traveling in Brazil some years ago he had been able to secure a great number of Miambi love charms, which the natives all wore in a little bag next their skin, and that while one wore this charm they would be lucky in love, always have money, and would never be without friends. Then producing a bundle of small envelopes he gave each eager listener one of them. On being opened, each was found to contain three small red beans or beads highly polished. Everybody took one and went their way rejoicing, believing just what the fakir said. A search of each house in High Bridge at the present time would no doubt find at least one of these love charms, most religiously guarded, which will be handed down to the children and the grandchildren. Such is the innocent belief and susceptibility of people up country.

The two Somerville negroes have since left the fakir, being compelled to count the ties home for eighteen long and weary miles. How Rosenberg did become possessed of the "love charms" is decidedly amusing. On the afternoon of the day on which the performance was to take place, Rosenberg sent Sam to the store to get three quarts of common white beans. Going himself to the drug store, he purchased a small can of vermillion paint, mixed with lots of drier. Again the secret recesses of the hall were the scene of action. Taking the white beans, Rosenberg put them with the red paint into a large pail and allowed them to become thoroughly covered with the color. Then dumping them out into a coarse potato sack, he ordered Sam to shake them from side to side for ten minutes; after which, being spread out on the table, each bean was dried and had attained a very high gloss. Putting three of these into each small envelope, Rosenberg had gifts for fully 500 people. This was the "love charm" brought from among the natives of Brazil and foisted upon the innocent people of High Bridge. From High Bridge he went over into Pennsylvania and has not since been heard of.

Rosenberg's corn salve is made of nothing but flour and lard, mixed and boxed, and his blood purifier is the rankest sort of weeds.

That the fakir will leave the young girl who was married to him not knowing how he made his money, is firmly believed by those who seek to expose his methods. She was disgusted with his business and plainly told him so. They quarreled often, though they had only been married eleven days. She will get home when she can and stay there. Rosenberg will go on his way gulling the public. The United States is a large country, and ten years from now Rosenberg could return to central New Jersey and do the same thing again. Look out for him, and other fakirs like him.

—Pianos and organs can be bought cheaper at Hulett's than in New York.

Personally-Conducted Tours and Their Growth.

That the American people are becoming a race of travelers is evident from the complete and choice arrangement of pleasure tours which is set before them by the Pennsylvania Railroad company for the season of 1893. First comes a series to the Golden Gate, leaving New York, Philadelphia, and Harrisburg February 8, March 2 and 29, 1893. Tourists will travel by superbly-appointed special trains of Pullman drawing-room, sleeping, dining, smoking, and observation cars, under the supervision of a tourist agent and chaperon.

Then follows a series of five to Jacksonville—Jan. 31, Feb. 14 and 28, March 14 and 28, 1893. The first four admit of two whole weeks in the sunny South, while tickets for the fifth tour are good to return by regular trains until May 30, 1893. The round-trip rate is but $50 from New York and $48 from Philadelphia, and proportionately low rates from other stations.

A series to Washington, D. C., leave Dec. 15 and 29, 1892; Jan. 19, Feb. 9, March 23, April 13 and May 4 and 25, 1893. Each tour covers a period of three days, and rate includes all necessary traveling expenses and board at the National capital.

Last of all, the Pennsylvania railroad company announces that it, during the month of August, 1893, the date to be definitely announced later, proposes running a distinct tour to the Yellowstone National Park. It will be conducted on the same general principles, and maintained at that high standard manifested on all the Pennsylvania railroad company's personally-conducted tours.

Carefully prepared itineraries as well as detailed information may be procured by addressing George W. Boyd, assistant general passenger agent.

Shiloh's Cough Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price, 50c. and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Avenue, opposite railroad station. 5-16-y

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—E. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

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Six for six dollars.

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CORTLANDT STREET, NO. 47.

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EXTRA!

Latest News By Wire to THE PRESS.

TERRIBLE MINE EXPLOSION.

Fifty Lives Believed to Have Been Lost—Disaster Caused by Accumulated Gas in a Lancashire Colliery.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—A fearful explosion occurred to-day at the Bamfurlong Colliery, Wigan, and not less than fifty lives have been lost. The men went to their work as usual this morning, after the colliery had been inspected in the usual way. They had not been at work long when an explosion shook the earth for a great distance and a cloud of smoke shot up through the shaft into the air. A multitude of people rushed towards the mine, and great excitement prevailed. It was soon ascertained that a large number of miners had perished. Steps were immediately taken to ascertain the full extent of the disaster, and a crowd of volunteers promptly offered to explore the pit. It is believed that the explosion was caused by accumulated gas which had escaped the notice of the officer charged with the inspection of the mine.

—Fine silk hemstitched initial gents' handkerchiefs, 50 cts., at Edsall's.

LITTLE TOMMY TUCKER.

Mother Goose's Namesake Won the Game from the Crescents.

Tommy Tucker had a much better meal last night than his original "black-eyed beans and bread and butter". Tea juicy Crescent bowlers were "his meat", and he supped right gleefully.

The old alleys of the Elizabeth Field club were the scene of action. They were in such poor condition that the Plainfielders longed for their own or for the Elizabeth Athletic club's. The big wooden balls had to plough through dust and dirt and bounce over ridges and humps. The Field club bowlers were used to it; the visitors were not. Still, the Crescents fought valiantly, chased the Elizabeths closely, and got ahead by 2 pins when lucky Tucker made three consecutive strikes in the eighth, ninth and tenth frames, and won the game. The score:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.		ELIZAB'H FIELD CLUB.	
VanEmburgh	185	Tobin	135
Thiers	121	Tucker	213
Wood	165	Morrell	150
Doane	141	Ahern	113
VanAlstyne	142	L. Meyer	125
Teel	153	Armstrong	130
Williams	135	V. Meyer	170
Vail	169	Bauer	126
Davis	162	R. Davis	198
VanWinkle	165	Whipple	171
	1538		1551

BY FRAMES:

Crescents..130 294 418 582 720 903 1055 1219 1375 1538
E. F. C.....159 305 457 610 766 924 1071 1236 1373 1551

	C. L.	E. F. C.
Strikes	21	20
Spares	44	43
Breaks	35	37

The tournament record to date:

	Won	Lost	Percent.
Elizabeth Field Club	3	0	1.000
Arthur Kull Asso'tion	2	0	1.000
Union County Roads'rs	1	0	1.000
Y. M. C. L. A.	1	0	1.000
Pioneer Bowling Club	1	1	.500
Crescent League	1	2	.333
Alcyone Boat Club	0	2	.000
C. Y. M. L.	0	2	.000
Roselle Casino	0	2	.000

The Dearth of the Swallow-tail.

Plainfield audiences are supposed to be representative of Plainfield society, but one would be loth to judge society here by a public assemblage such as the one gathered to hear the first Melopoia or to witness the performance of "Young Mrs. Winthrop" at the Casino last week. In spite of the printed request on the tickets of the Melopoia that subscribers should wear evening dress, the conventional swallow-tail was very much in the minority, while morning coats predominated. As for the women, the few who came *en grand tenue* were completely overshadowed by the numberless black bonnets that surrounded them.

That many of the women do not care to go to the trouble of making an extensive toilet can be understood, but THE PRESS cannot see why the men should object to getting into their evening garments the few times it is required of them in the season.

Independence in dress is to be admired, except where it entirely oversteps the boundary of conventionality.

For the Western Church Fund.

The entertainment given under the auspices of the Jr. Society of Christian Endeavor of Trinity Reformed church, of which Mrs. R. A. Meeker was directress, came off last evening in the rooms of the W. C. T. U., corner of Broadway and Fourth street. The affair was not largely attended, on account of the bad weather, but something more than the expenses incurred was received, and will be given to the object for which the entertainment was gotten up—building churches in the far west.

—Vanderbeek & Sattels are agents for Chickering, Behning, Hazleton and Chase pianos. You should see their holiday stock. 33 Park avenue.

Never defer a vital matter. A cough shouldn't be neglected when Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will cure it at once.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

"A God-send is Ely's Cream Balm. I had catarrh for three years. Two or three times a week my nose would bleed. I thought the sores would never heal. Your Balm has cured me."—Mrs. E. A. Jackson, Portsmouth, N. H.

—The assortment of dainty handkerchiefs is just marvelous at Edsall's.

—The throng of shoppers passes at 9 Park avenue, where Estil supplies all wants in the book and stationery line.

—Choice mixed candy may be had a Compton's from 10 cents per pound up during Christmas time.

TIMELY ADVICE.

See what we have before going to the city to purchase your Christmas gifts.

STEPHENSON'S,

53 WEST FRONT ST.

12 12 2w

DEATHS.

SCHENCK—In North Plainfield, Dec. 13, 1892, John N. Schenck, aged 52 years.
Funeral services at his late residence, 40 Manning avenue, Friday, Dec. 16, at 2 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

6 ROOM flat to let; $10.00 per month. Chas. H. Hand, Crescent flats. 12 13 2

WANTED—Two good girls; a cook and laundress, and chambermaid and waitress; none but experienced girls with good reference need apply. 20 East 7th street, between 6 and 8 o'clock.

MELODEON, $10.00, a bargain, at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 12 14 4

WANTED.—Eight thousand dollars, ($8,000) on improved city property, worth $20,000. Address Owner, care Press. 12 14 4

WANTED—Four furnished rooms for light housekeeping; near centre of town. Send terms, etc., box 320, Lakewood, N. J. 12 14 2

WANTED.—Two boarders in a nice quiet home pleasantly situated. Address R. D., care Press.

A CASH register for sale. Inquire at E. P. Thorn's, No. 17 Park avenue. 12 14 tf

HOUSE to let or for sale on the installment plan; 7 rooms; on line of street railway. Apply Chas. Hand. 12 13 2

COLORED man and wife lately from Virginia wishes situations on gentleman's place, Call 33 North ave. 12 13 3

A QUANTITY of money to loan at five per cent. in sums to suit, on bond and mortgage. Address P. O. box 312. 12 12 6

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 15 Craig Place. 12 10 tf

FOR SALE—Paff's hotel, Scotch Plains; would exchange for Plainfield business property. Paff, Scotch Plains. 12 5 10

GOOD rooms and board. 26 Central avenue. 12 3 27

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS pc 11 14tf.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

Special Notice!

Those wishing to be served with Ballantine beer by the dozen or case can be accommodated by leaving their orders at E P. THORN'S, 12 14 tf No. 17 Park avenue.

1892 TAXES!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of

THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD,

That the taxes assessed in said city for the year 1892 are now due and payable, and that if the said taxes be not paid by the

20th Day of December Next

The names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal

In cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

Fourth Tuesday In November Next

(the 22d), and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1, 1892. 10 6 tf

CRESCENT RINK,

Polo and Foot Ball Thursday night, December 15.

Roller Skating every

Tuesday and Saturday Nights and Saturday Afternoon,

excepting the week before Christmas, which is engaged for the Plainfield Band Fair.

EVENING PRICES.

Package of 10 admissions for.....$1 00
Or single admission for.....25 cents
Package of 10 surface checks for....$1 00
Or single surface checks.....25 cents
Package of 5 skate checks for.....$1 00
Or single skate checks.....25 cents

SATURDAY AFTERNOON PRICES.

Single admission.....10 cents
Single surface checks.....10 cents
Single skate check.....15 cents

NOTICE—Surface checks are sold only to persons bringing their own skates.

Grand Xmas and New Year's skating festival Dec. 26, and January 2.

Prepare for the great spectacular carnival, the date of which will be announced later. 11 28 tf

The Elegant Presents

ARE NOW

ON EXHIBITION.

Take your pick at prices you never dreamed of before from an endless variety of iron, tin and wood toys, all sorts of blocks and games, Japanese dolls, screens, trays, electric motors, fancy shell boxes, photograph and autograph albums, fancy plush and wood work boxes, "merry Christmas" novelties in place of cards, children's pianos, black boards, velocipedes, juvenile books, varied and exceedingly beautiful, 50 different styles of fancy china cups and saucers, plates and bread and milk sets, fancy scrap and other baskets, card and cutting tables with folding legs, shoe blackening cases and commodes, children's chairs and wash sets, tables, dishes in china and pewter, dolls and dolls' beds, chairs, furniture, drums, horns, sleighs, horses and carts, express wagons, doll's carriages, single and double rockers, tool chests, Christmas tree ornaments, wax candles, bisque figures, china and glass vases, silver plated ware 25 cent display, sheet music, plush goods in many designs, lamps for everyone, stationery, soaps, combs, brushes, plate and common mirrors, large framed picturees, Royal Tooth Powder, surpassing all others at less than half their cost, harmonicas and music boxes, pocket and table cutlery, elegant carving sets, day books, ledgers, memorandums, etc., banks of all kinds, steam engines, magic and other lanterns, toad novelties, singing birds, ten pins, Noah's arks, scrap books and pictures, and this only hints at our immense stock.

Come and see us and you are money in by odds. Large crayon portrait free, guaranteed to please, when purchases to the amount of ten dollars have been punched from card given on application.

THE 5 AND 10 CENT STORE.

J. C. ALLEN, 28 West Front St.

PROTECTION! PROTECTION!

No politics about this. The protection of the hour is a protection against the cold blasts of winter. For a supply of cold weather Clothing, such as Heavy Weight Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Leather Coats, at lowest cash prices, call on

COLYER & CO.,

815 BROAD ST., NEWARK, N. J.

11 1 2m

Christmas Gifts.

The latest novelties in Jewelry—beautiful designs in Stirling Silver, 14 karat gold and roll plate. Largest stock; greatest variety in the city at

DOANES, 11 Park Avenue. 2 1-2W

R. W. Rice & Co

Have a fine new assortment of

Jellies, Jams and Preserves, Gordon & Dilworth's Mince Meat, Preserved Strawberries, Raspberries, Etc.

Also a fine line of Fancy Goods, Sliced Chutney (Bombay) Canadian Cheese, Anchvoiesin Oil, Edam Cheese.

Extra Fine Maple Syrup

In gallons, half gallons, quarts and pints. R. & S. Flemington Sausage.

Telephone 75 B Corner Emily and Duer Streets.

Ready for Christmas!

You can't make any kind of a present that will be any more useful than some article of Footwear. We have got them, Slippers, House Shoes, Rubber Boots Overshoes, etc. You can't go amiss.

SHERWIN'S,

23 West Front Street. Strictly Cash.

Where Did You Get Them My Pretty Maid?

I TRADE AT SPRINGERS

Was all she said. And so may you.

SPRINGER'S

SHOE STORE

32 West Front Street.

4 5 1y

Our New Holiday Line

Consists of Silk Umbrellas, Alligator Bags, Dress Suit Cases, Gold Headed Canes, Fine Dress Gloves, Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers, Mackintosh Jersey and Rubber Coats. Also 100 dozen new Holiday Ties.

U. B. Crane, Hatter and Furnisher,

12 Park Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

BRANCH—BROAD STREET, WESTFIELD, N. J. 10 28 tf

PLAINFIELD BARGAIN HOUSE.

Annual opening of Holiday Goods of every description, including the most complete line of Useful Presents, such as silk handkerchiefs and mufflers, an endless variety of ladies and childrens muffs, gloves, mittens, umbrellas, gent's neckwear, etc. Also an immense assortment of plush dressing cases, smoking sets, glove and handkerchief boxes, dolls, perfumery and fancy articles. In our Millinery Department you will see a pretty line of doll's hats, together with our usual variety of tastily trimmed hats for which this house has an established reputation.

I. H. Boehm, 7 West Front St.

PLAINFIELD'S LEADING STORE.

Regular opening of Holiday Goods of every description, including the most complete line of Toys and Dolls to be found in this city.

Our assortment of Useful and Ornamental Goods is almost as large again as it was last year, at prices from 25 to 50 per cent. lower than other stores.

FOR THIS WEEK

We will sell 500 fine large Curtains, 3 yards long, at 50c. each.

We will sell 8-4 Turkey Red Table Covers at 90c. each.

We will sell Dress Patterns of 8 yards each for $3.98, former price 75c. per yard.

We will sell 10-piece English Porcelain Toilet Sets for $2.40 per set.

We will sell fine Chenile Curtains $1.89 each.

We will sell the best Germantown Yarn, Utopia and Arcadia for 13c. skein.

We will sell Men's all-wool Cardigan Jackets for $1.25 and $1.50, were $2.00 each.

We are selling Gloves and Mittens of all kinds for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children at reduced prices.

Our immense stock of Underwear to be sold and down go prices to what they cost to make.

White & VanArsdale.

10 15 tf

A Woman Takes Pride

In a beautiful Shoe, and will have a constant source of pleasure if she buys a pair of our

$3.00 Derby Toe Shoes,

Often mistaken for a $4.00 Shoe.

WILLETT'S PARK AVENUE SHOE STORE.

STOVES. STOVES

The finest line of Heating and Cook Stoves in the city. Parlor Stoves from $4.50 up; Cook Stoves from $12 up.

Agents for the celebrated "Palace King" furnace, conceded by everyone to be the best furnace in the market.

Also all kinds of Hardware, Housefurnishings, Paints, &c.

ZIMMERMAN & RUMPF'S,

Successors to Pierson Hardware Co., 7 11 tf **42 West Front Street.**

BICYCLES

Make excellent Christmas presents. The best are on sale at

The Wheelmen's Headquarters,

67 AND 69 PARK AVENUE.

FRANK L. C. MARTIN.

Bargains in Second-Hand Wheels.

We Have Ready for Inspection

A much larger and more varied assortment of Holiday Novelties than we have shown in previous years. To mention in print each and every little article in our great stock would be impossible, but a close inspection will convince you that none in Plainfield can show such an extensive assortment of Useful and Substantial Holiday Gifts in the Dry Goods line as we do.

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9 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

GEO. L. VAN EMBURGH & SON,

No. 9 East Front Street,

Opposite Park Avenue,

We are offering the largest line of

Games for Home Amusement.

Sold elsewhere at	10c.	our price	7 cents
" "	25c.	"	17 "
" "	50c.	"	34 "
" "	75c.	"	53 "
" "	$1.00	"	67 "

Examine Our Games Before You Buy.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO GET

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BOICE, RUNYON & CO.,

[Successors to the estate of D. J. BOICE—A. D. COOK & BRO.]

Dealers in Coal, Lumber and Masons' Materials, Etc.,

42 to 60 PARK AVENUE.

We are now prepared with our increased facilities—having purchased the extensive yard of Messrs. A. D. Cook & Bro.,—to fill all orders promptly, and solicit your patronage.

BOICE, RUNYON & CO.

AN OHIO GIRL'S PLUCK.

What She Has Done to Achieve Distinction.

How Miss Lizzie Schreiner Has Set Type and Walked Fifteen Thousand Miles—Interesting Facts and Figures.

Every week day morning and evening for the past ten years a young lady—active, energetic and in the bloom of health—could have been seen on the street between Pomeroy and Middleport, says the Pomeroy (O.) Tribune. If seen in the morning it was extremely early and she was on her way to Pomeroy, and, if in the evening, she was on her return to her home at Middleport. She has that quick American get-there step, indicative of pent-up energies. In all these years no morning has been too cold, or the raging elements too severe for this girl of energy and industry. She was just about as prompt and reliable as a piece of machinery.

We refer to Miss Lizzie Schreiner, whose picture is given herewith, daughter of Mrs. Mary Schreiner, a widow of Middleport. For the past ten years she has been employed by the Pomeroy Telegraph, first as a compositor of straight newspaper matter, but for the past few years she has set all the display type used on that journal, besides making up the forms and having a general supervision of the mechanical department. The mechanical perfection of the make-up of that county paper is due solely to Miss Schreiner's ingenuity and skill. Her faithfulness and steadiness has caused frequent favorable remarks about the personage under discussion.

Besides working ten or more hours per day for all these years, this young lady has achieved distinction in other directions. She lives 2½ miles from her work, and for ten years has walked to and from the office every week day. This makes five miles per day, 30 miles each week, 1,500 miles per year, or 15,600 miles for the ten years. Nelly Bly and Elizabeth Bisland made a great stir by rushing around the world on express trains and steam ships, while this young lady has quietly walked three-fifths of

MISS LIZZIE SCHREINER.

the distance around the globe with her dinner basket on her arm, and regarded the time so consumed as resting spells. While walking this long distance she has no doubt averaged a string of type of two feet per day. This would be a low average. This would make 6,240 feet of type one column wide, or about 1 1-5 miles.

It requires about 250 letters to set an inch of type as you read it here, and to set the number of feet stated above would require the handling of over 18,000,000 letters to set the matter, and the same number to distribute it.

At an average of 10 pages of manuscript to the foot of type-set matter, this compositor has disposed of 62,400 sheets, or a hay wagon load of it. Counting a two-foot movement of the hand to pick up and distribute each letter, the good right hand of this compositor has traveled in the neighborhood of 14,000 miles independent of all other movements.

But those who have seen this young lady pass their doors for all these years, with a punctuality seldom equaled by the sterner sex, have seen her for the last time in that capacity. She has severed her connection with the Telegraph and is now visiting relatives in Michigan.

Miss Schreiner's success in the newspaper business is an example of what can be accomplished by the weaker sex when backed up by the determination to succeed.

Meaning of Precious Stones.

A perfect sapphire is as difficult to find as a perfect ruby, or, indeed, as a perfect any other gem. Too often streaked and spotted in parts, it is sometimes also transparent only in parts. Sometimes the color is not right, and instead of that soft, rich, lovely blue, which is in its way unique, it is too pale and washy, or too dark and somber. When perfect, however, it is a "find" to be guarded and treasured with care and tenderness. The sapphire was dedicated to the sun god, and even as St. Jerome declared that it softened the ire of Jehovah, so did it procure good influences for the sufferer from Phœbus, the Far Darter. Sapphire signifies hope in the language of gems, even as the ruby is love, and the emerald faith, and in the opal lies the whole doctrine of good works. And because of its calming and chastening properties a sapphire is held as the best stone which an ecclesiastic can wear.

A Brave Young Bugler.

The erection of monuments in memory of military heroes is as much of a craze in France as it ever was. The latest man to be thus honored is Andre. He it was who distinguished himself at Arcola. Bonaparte hesitated to storm the bridge in the face of a hot and steady fire from the Austrians on the opposite side of the river. Andre, a young bugler, leaped into the water, swam to the other bank, rushed into enemy's ranks, and began blowing his bugle. The Austrians were so astonished and excited that for a moment they believed themselves surrounded, and taking instant advantage of their situation, Napoleon stormed the bridge and captured it. The intrepid young bugler seems entitled to a monument.

One Way to Use Borax.

This article will, if properly managed, clear any house of croton bugs. Buy four pounds of borax and make a line about the room close to the woodwork; also scatter over the shelves, closets and mantel; sprinkle in every nook and corner where the insects are found. Three times repeat the dose, and always after the week's scrubbing and cleaning has been accomplished. The effect is magical. Instruct the servants to allow the borax, as far as possible, to remain undisturbed, excepting during the weekly clean. If housekeepers would only follow this plan every spring and fall they would enjoy complete and blessed immunity from these wretched pests.

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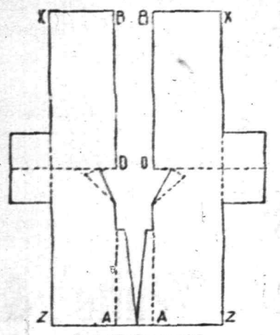
Take two lengths of cloth of whatever kind you wish, each 14 inches wide and four yards long. Now look carefully at this diagram. Here are the two lengths laid side by side plus two bits sewed on to each, the purpose of which will appear by and by.

Sew together the two sides marked B D. Then at the point where you stopped sewing cut each breadth half way across. The purpose of this will appear by and by. Now double the entire piece of cloth, and joining the two



IN A CRUDE STATE.

points marked X to the two points marked Z, sew these side seams to within 20 inches of the middle fold. The purpose of the unsewed space will also appear later on.

Now take two more straight pieces of cloth, each 40 inches long and 18 inches wide. Double each just as if you were going to make a bag and sew the short ends together. Then sew one of the long sides half way across and stop. Sew the other long side into the edges of the slit left in the side seams X Z. It will be a little long to fit exactly, but never mind that.

Now go back to the point where you cut the two breadths half across. Fold each triangular piece formed by cutting the breadths half across, backward lapel-wise, on the under side of the cloth, forming a V-shaped opening.

Now, perhaps, you will begin to see what these blind directions lead to. If you don't, slip the queer puzzle over your shoulders, putting your neck into the V-shaped place. Instinctively your arms will stretch out sidewise and go through the bags at the side, which will turn out to be wide, loose sleeves.

Now go and look at yourself in the glass and you will see what you have been doing. Do your eyes really slant almond-wise, and is your hair done up in Japanese loops on either side of your head? Something Japanese is the matter with you, at any rate. Why, you have a true Japanese gown on!

You turn around and take a look at the back. Yes, it has the scant, straight skirt and the loose bodice. It is exactly like the imported garment sold in the shops as the everyday garment of the Japanese woman.

Now take it off; you are not quite done with it yet. The front of the skirt is too narrow to close well; widen it by two narrow widths on each front

WHEN FINISHED.

breadth, running from the bottom to the supposed waist line and narrowing towards the top. The diagram makes this point clear.

Hem the skirt at the bottom, finish the neck by putting a straight band of the cloth three inches wide straight around the neck. Then the kimono is complete. There is no planning and cutting and shaping and boning. The garment is lapped lightly at the waist and is girded with a twisted cord. Make one of these out of white cotton crepe, with a china-blue figure in it. Put it on any of these days, says the World. Then sit down and wonder why we are sending missionaries to the Japanese.

A Newark Child Abducted.

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 28.—May Morris, aged 5 years, was abducted yesterday afternoon from Wm. Green, of No. 216 Ogden street, while on her way to Sunday school. Green adopted the child after her father's suicide a year ago, but never obtained legal papers. May's sister Polly, who is still under age, married a man named Condit, and it is alleged that he is the abductor.

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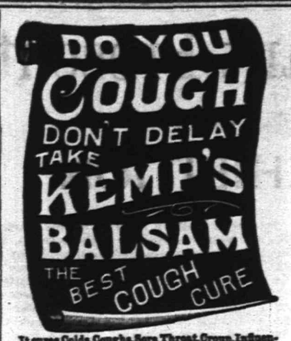

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The inhabitants of the city of Plainfield, by the Common Council, do enact as follows:
Section 1. That the roadbed of West Third street, between Madison avenue and Plainfield avenue be forthwith repaired and spread with broken stone for a width of eight (8) feet on each side of the centre line of said street for a depth of six (6) inches at the general expense of the city, to be paid for, after first applying the direct contributions of property owners, out of the money raised by tax for the improvement of streets according to the act of the Legislature in such case made and provided, approved May 12, 1884.
Section 2. That before any work shall be done under this ordinance the property owners along the line of the proposed improvement shall deposit with the City Treasurer a sum equal to thirty (30) cents per linear foot for the entire distance along West Third street covered by this ordinance.
Adopted by the Common Council December 5, 1892.
Approved by the Mayor December 6, 1892.
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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 8 27, 5 28, 6 05, 6 29, 6 59 7 26, 7 50, 7 56, 8, 8 15, 8 27, 8 31, 8 45, 9 05, 9 22, 10 04, 10 27 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 20, 3 13, 4 01, 5 16, 5 43, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 9 25, 10 12, 11 25, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 8 43, 11 15, 11 42 A. M., 12 53, 1 42, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 9 28, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 30, A. M., 1, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night, Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

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Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 45 9 33, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 26, 3 13, 4 01, 5 16, 5 43, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 12 11 25 P. M. Sunday—3 01, 8 52, 11 42, A. M., 12 53, 1 42, 3 20, 5 16, 7 10, 8 28, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 55, 10 03, 11 35 A. M., 1 05, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 33, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 15, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m. 12 27 1 39, 3 23, 3 45, 4 36, 5 03, 5 20, 6 34, 6 04, 6 20, 6 38, 7 12, 8 34 9 30, 9 37, 11 13, 12 48 P. M. Sunday—3 45, 9 26, 9 34, 11 18 A. M., 2 03, 3 26, 6 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 5, 6 30, 7 08, 7 25, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 2 05, 4 35, 4 50, 5 32, 6 35, 8 41, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 11 15 A. M., 12 05, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M. 2 03, 6 50, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 25, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, 8 m 12 27, 5 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown' heading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Manticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 05 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 20 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 05 p. m. Sundays to High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 9 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 5 38, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 57, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 20, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 1 59*, 3 04, 5 24*, 6 28*, 8 20, *9 37 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48, 11 15 a. m., 3 03*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 20, 9 42, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 59, 3 04, 5 24, 6 28, p. m., 9 37 p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays—9 48, 11 15 a. m., 3 03*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 24* (6 28* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48 a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 14* (6 55 Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 20, 11 05, a. m., 1 30, 3 15*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 20, 9 20, 11 15, a m 2 23*, 5 20, 8 18, 11 45, p. m. Sunday—2 55, 9 40, 3 16 a m., 3 23*, 6 20, 8 18*, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 00, 9 02, 10 12, 11 50, a. m. 3 0 8, 4 08* 4 40, 5 54, 6 59, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m. 4 (5*, 5 13, 7 07, 9 00* p. m.

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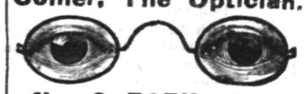

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BALLANTINE & CO.

Referring to the above card, I beg to add that I shall establish a bottling business in the city of Plainfield as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. In the meantime, I shall promptly deliver all orders sent to me.

WILLIAM. H. CAWLEY,
Somerville, N J.

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Another Card.

Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

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A 25c. package will be sufficient to make four pints, which can either be served in dishes or from glasses.

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8 4 y-t t s

Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.

Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

41 East Sixth Street.

9 19 6m

Carty & Stryker

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BLAINE AT DEATH'S DOOR

The Ex-Secretary's Condition Reported as Critical.

DISEASE HAS REACHED HIS LUNGS.

The Plan for Removing the Patient to California Abandoned—Reason to Believe That He May Pass Away at Any Moment—Talk of His Embracing the Catholic Faith Renewed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—James G. Blaine is now on his death bed. The strength-sapping malady from which he has suffered for so long a time has assumed a form which warns his family of a speedy termination.

The disease attacked his lungs a short time ago, and its course his baffled the skill of his physician.

The visit of Dr. E. G. Janeway, of New York, to Mr. Blaine is indicative of the extreme anxiety of the family.

His Lungs Affected.

When the fact became known that Mr. Blaine's lungs were succumbing to the ravages of the disease plans were laid to convey the distinguished invalid to Pasadena, Cal., in the hope that a mild and soothing climate might enable him to rally.

His weakness, however, increased so rapidly that it was deemed unsafe to move him, and the trip to California was abandoned.

There is reason to believe that the ex-Secretary's death may occur any day.

May Become a Catholic.

The Rev. Father Ducey's visit to the Blaine residence at this time has naturally revived the talk about the ex-Secretary embracing the Roman Catholic faith.

A strong belief prevails here that it is Mr. Blaine's desire to die a member of the church of which his mother was a devout member.

TO SUSPEND IMMIGRATION.

House and Senate Committees in Favor of Such a Plan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—At the joint session of the immigration committees of the Senate and House it was shown that there was a general feeling in favor of suspending all immigration to this country for periods varying from one to five years.

Senator Quay said that it was the unanimous opinion of the committee which had taken testimony in New York and elsewhere on the subject that immigration should be entirely suspended, and Hale added that he feared the shortness of the present session would make it impossible to pass any bill save one suspending immigration for only a year.

Senator Hill sent to the joint committee a request that no final action be taken until the New York representatives of the various steamship companies could be heard.

Representative Geissenhainer of New Jersey created a mild sensation by announcing his unalterable objection to any and all propositions looking to restriction of immigration. He is strongly in favor of the present influx of Russian Jews.

CONGRESSIONAL DOINGS.

Army Appropriation Bill Passed in the House—Anti-Option Bill Discussion.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The famous McGarrahan claim occupied the attention of the Senate up to 2 o'clock, when it went over without action.

The rest of the session was occupied with the Anti-Option bill, Mr. George, of Mississippi, occupying the floor, and leaving his speech still unfinished when the time for adjournment came. His strictures on the New York Cotton Exchange were of a bitter tone, the business of that institution being denounced as "unhallowed traffic," and its sales of cotton being characterized as "sales of phantom bales."

In the House the Army Appropriation bill was passed, with very little discussion.

Consul Kellogg Exonerated.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—It is reported that Dr. James C. Kellogg, United States Consul at Stettin, Germany, has resumed his official duties, having been cleared of the charges which Dr. Jenkins, the health officer of this port, brought against him. Dr. Jenkins charged, and still insists, that Dr. Kellogg was absent from his official duties, and did not examine emigrants when the cholera first broke out.

Contesting Samuel Sawyer's Will.

SALEM, Mass., Dec. 15.—Proceedings have begun in the Supreme Court in the contest of the will of Samuel E. Sawyer, of Gloucester, who died Dec. 11, 1889, leaving nearly $1,000,000, of which $400,000 is left to literary and charitable institutions. The relatives were left but a few thousand dollars each. The will is disputed on the grounds of undue influence and insanity.

The New Quebec Ministry.

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—M. Taillon, who has been summoned by the Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec to form a new administration, has gone to Quebec. There is the best of authority for saying that all the present Ministers will be invited to retain their present portfolios, and there is reason to believe they will do so.

Caught in a Shaft and Killed.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 15.—William Thiebold was killed by being caught by a swiftly revolving shaft in Williams & Hoyt's shoe factory yesterday. Both legs were broken and his body was otherwise mangled.

Knocked Out Muldoon's Cyclone.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—In a four round go at the Ariel Club last night between the middleweights Billy Yeager of New York and Fred Morris, Muldoon's Cyclone, Yeager was knocked out in the second round.

Gen. Rosecrans Improving.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The condition of Gen. Rosecrans this morning is said to be gradually improving.

Justice Lamar Better.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Justice Lamar, of the United States Supreme Court, is a little better to-day.

Paderewski Coming to America.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—M. Paderewski has left London en route for the United States.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

SENTENCE WAS SUSPENDED.

The Judge Lenient With Gwyneth Maude —She Pleaded Guilty.

LONDON, Dec. 15. — Gwyneth Maude, the young woman accused of swindling Messrs. Spink & Co., Piccadilly silversmiths, pleaded guilty when arraigned at the Old Bailey Assizes.

The prisoner's pretty face betrayed signs of deep distress. She was attired in the deepest mourning, and, in view of the painful circumstances imported into the case, every consideration was shown her by the court officials.

The case has excited deep interest in England on account of the suicide of Mrs. Maude, mother of the prisoner, after the arrest of her daughter.

The mother was herself the daughter of a Persian Princess, who was married to an English physician in India named Campbell. Mrs. Maude was a woman of unusual beauty. She maintained a costly establishment, with a number of servants, and appears to have supported herself, in part, at least, by obtaining costly articles from tradesmen, and subsequently pawning or disposing of them.

The daughter was used as a messenger to order the goods, and also to aid in getting rid of them.

The girl had only been carrying out her mother's orders, and in consequence the court suspended sentence.

SHE WAS OF NOBLE BIRTH.

An English Judge's Daughter Dies Penniless in a Chicago Hospital.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Five days ago a woman who went by the name of Nellie McNamare died in the County hospital of injuries received in falling from a window while intoxicated. It is now ascertained that the woman was in reality Mrs. Eleanor L. Cole, daughter of Sir Johnston Littledale, of the English High Court of Justice.

In 1881 the woman was married to Frank F. Cole, of Chicago, but their life was unhappy, and a divorce suit which attracted wide attention was the outcome.

Mrs. Cole won the suit and was awarded alimony, but Cole left for Montreal, and Mrs. Cole could never collect a dollar. She sank to the lowest round of the social ladder, and finally came to her death by falling from a window.

Her lawyers in the divorce case, who have never been paid, are after the alimony.

THE FRENCH SILVER PLAN.

Its Discussion by the Monetary Conference Interrupted by Tirard's Withdrawal.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 15.—The International Monetary Conference will not adjourn without date, but to spring, or perhaps only for a few weeks. The bi-metalists are aroused over what they regard as the duplicity of the other side.

The special committee has been discussing the bi-metalic proposals of Sir William Houldsworth, British, and of the Belgian, Allardt.

M. Tirard's summons to France to accept the office of Minister of Finance in place of Mr. Rouvier, resigned, has interrupted the discussion of Delegate Feville's proposal for the issue of warrants on deposits of silver.

Believed He Was Robbed and Murdered.

ROCKVILLE, Conn., Dec. 15.—Bernard Dorscheid, aged 65 years, mysteriously disappeared from his home in this city on Sep. 17, 1891, and yesterday his relatives offered a reward of $500 for the recovery of his body, with the conviction of the parties causing his death. His friends are convinced, from recently discovered evidence, that Dorscheid was robbed and murdered in this city.

The Mines Will Not Close.

SCRANTON, Dec. 15.—The threatened closing for the winter of the three collieries at Olyphant, with the resultant distress and suffering of 1,700 miners and laborers and their families, because 200 driver boys and car runners struck for increased wages, has been avoided, and the order given to clear the mines of mules and other property rescinded.

McComas' Confirmation Probable.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The opposition to the nomination of Louis McComas to be Judge of the District Supreme Court is disintegrating. Senator Palmer, of Illinois, has come out in advocacy of the nomination; it is announced that both of the Maryland Senators will vote for their fellow statesman, and the prospect of confirmation is very good.

Refused to Respite Hallinger.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 15.—Charles J. Peshall, counsel for Edward W. Hallinger, who is to be hanged here Dec. 22, yesterday applied to Gov. Abbett for a respite of 80 days. He said that only seven days remained, and he could not prepare his application for a writ of error in that time. Gov. Abbett positively refused.

Two Electrocutions Next Week.

ALBANY, Dec. 15.—During the week beginning Monday next there will be electrocuted at Sing Sing prison Peter Schultz, a boy 16 years old, for the murder of a baby on Long Island, and Frederick McGuire, of Middletown, who killed Mrs. Gregory.

Moulders Strike Off.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 15.—The strike which was inaugurated among the moulders at Morris' foundry, about a week ago, has been declared off. About 60 of the men struck because one of their number was discharged for neglecting his work.

Killed 100—Gets One Year.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 15.—The midwife Bodwaroka, in Lodz, tried for having murdered more than 100 babies, has been sentenced to one year's imprisonment. Great indignation has been caused in Lodz by the lightness of the sentence.

BRINGING OUT THE DEAD

Twenty-four Bodies Recovered From the Wigan Mine.

LITTLE HOPE FOR THE ENTOMBED.

Likelihood That All of the Hundred Men Shut in by the Explosion Are Dead—Passageways Blocked by Ruins, and the Search Progressing Very Slowly.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The rescue parties report awful scenes in the Bamfurlong colliery, Wigan, in which 100 miners were entombed yesterday by an explosion.

In the main roads, the bodies lie in twos and threes, as the men fell, faces downward and heads towards the entrance of the shaft. Large sections of roof and galleries have collapsed.

Among the ruins were found mangled bodies and half burned limbs. The ruins have blocked many parts of the mine and therefore the men searching for bodies are unable to give any definite idea of the number lost.

Several miners who were just alive when found, died on their way to the surface, or shortly after being taken from the car. One rescue party reached the surface half suffocated by the heat and smoke caused by fresh outbreaks of the fire.

The rescued miners believe that the explosion was caused by sparks from the engine house, which caught fire a few minutes before the explosion. Men were sent through the mines warning the laborers, and many of those nearest the shaft escaped.

The miners who worked further from the shaft tried to push through fire and smoke, and were suffocated in the effort. The work of rescue is being continued, although there is little hope that more men will be taken out alive.

Twenty dead bodies have so far been taken out.

Manager Hutchinson, of the Bamfurlong mine, went down into the pit with one of the last rescue parties. In his anxiety to make a thorough search for the men, he remained too long below, and was overcome by smoke. He was brought up, apparently lifeless, and was revived with great difficulty.

THE TRAIN ROBBERS CAUGHT.

Miss Eichler Takes Her Murdered Lover's Body to Cincinnati.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Dec. 15.—Tom Collins was arrested at Bradrick yesterday charged with the train robbery on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, and with the murder of Oscar Teck, the German passenger.

Burrell Forgey, who was the second bandit, has been arrested.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15.—Miss Annie Eichler arrived here yesterday with the dead body of Oscar Teck, her betrothed husband, who was killed by train robbers near Huntington. They were on their way to Europe to get married.

Van Cott Must Show Reason.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Judge Lacombe in the United States Circuit Court has signed an order to compel Postmaster Van Cott to show cause why he should not be required to pay into court about $7,000 claimed by Geo. P. Rowell as an overcharge for postage on "Printers Ink," which was not admitted to the mails as second class matter.

Burge Is After McAuliffe.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Dick Burge, the English lightweight champion, who arrived on the steamship City of Paris, said last night that he had come to the United States to fight Jack McAuliffe, the champion of the world. He (Burge) was after the championship, which he could only attain by whipping McAuliffe.

San Antonio Road Sold.

GALVESTON, Tex., Dec. 15.—President D. B. Robinson of the San Antonio & Aransas Pass railroad, admits the purchase of his road by the Southern Pacific. The price has been agreed upon and only a few details remain to be settled. He expects to transfer the road to the Southern Pacific about January.

Father Corrigan's Trial.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 15.—Because the witnesses as to the qualifications of Vicar-General O'Connor to act as judge at the trial of Father Corrigan could not be got together yesterday, the referees who are to take the testimony decided not to sit. They will go on this afternoon.

Denies the Poison Charges.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 15.—District Master Workman Dempsey of the K. of L. denies the charges made by Patrick Gallanger, the cook at Homestead, regarding the poisoning of non-union workers. He says he never at any time, directly or indirectly, gave poison to any one.

Opened to European Vessels.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15. — The United States Minister at Bogota has informed the Secretary of State that the Atlantic ports of Colombia have been opened to vessels from European ports and that no action has been taken in regard to vessels from United States ports.

The Souvenir Coins.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Arrangements have been made at the Treasury Department for the issue from the Philadelphia Mint to-day of about $30,000 in Columbian souvenir 50 cent pieces. The first shipment will be made to Chicago and New York simultaneously.

Assaulted His Stepdaughter.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 15.—Theodore M. Albert, aged 33, is under arrest, charged by his wife with repeatedly criminally assaulting her 11-year-old daughter.

SMOTHERED IN THE GRAIN.

Young McDrury's Mother and Friends Were Correct in Their Belief.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The body of Patrick Macdrury of Brooklyn, New York, has just been found in the hold of the Anchor Line steamer Bolivia, at Glasgow from New York, embedded in the grain.

This shows that the mother and friends of Macdrury were correct in their belief that he had been smothered in the grain when the steamship was being loaded, and that his body was in the grain.

While the vessel was loading at Brooklyn Macdrury was working in one of the hatches of the vessel. The import cargo from the third hatch had been taken out and a lighter alongside was chuting grain into it at the rate of several tons a minute.

The officers of the ship were of the opinion that Macdrury had gone ashore, and in spite of the suspicion that his body was in the grain the loading of the vessel was permitted to go on without interruption.

Mrs. Macdrury went to the steamer distracted with grief and anxiety, and asked the officers not to go to sea with the body of her son. They held to the opinion that he was not aboard and sailed away.

BLAIR IS HOPEFUL.

The Ex-Senator Speaks Before the Labor Federation Convention.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—At the third day's session of the American Federation of Labor the Committee on Resolutions reported a plan to create national or international unions whenever seven local unions of any craft had been formed. President Gompers took part in the discussion which followed, expressing the view that it would not always be practicable, owing to the weakness of newly formed unions.

The debate was suspended by the appearance of ex-Senator Henry W. Blair of New Hampshire, who addressed the assembled delegates on his proposed improvement of the common school system. The speaker expressed the belief that a revulsion of sentiment has taken place in favor of the Blair Educational bill, which may result in its passage by the next Congress.

He was particularly hopeful, because of the increased favor with which the public schools have apparently been regarded by the Roman Catholic Church.

CARNOT MAY RESIGN.

Reported That His Father and Brother Are Implicated in the Scandal.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—The rumors that President Carnot will resign shortly are confirmed. At Tuesday's Cabinet meeting during the dispute between M. Ribot and M. Rouvier, the President interposed the remark:

"The action of certain ministers renders my retention of office almost impossible."

M. Rouvier thereupon left the meeting declaring that he would resign. President Carnot's difficulty is increased by the reports that his father and his brothers are involved in the Panama Canal scandal. President Carnot himself, and not M. Ribot, was the one who sent to M. Tirard the despatch:

"I call upon you as an old friend of my family not to refuse office. If you do I will resign to-morrow."

A Steamship Company's Embarrassment.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—The reports which have gained circulation that the Mexican Line steamship company was financially embarrassed are in effect confirmed by General Manager James W. Porch, who says that the line has been working under a limited capital for some past. Negotiations are now pending, Mr. Porch said, with influential parties looking to an increase of the capital.

Newark Counterfeiters Arrested.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 15.—Secret Service Detective Burnett has made two arrests which may result in the breaking up of the gang which has been flooding the country with what is known as "$5 Italian counterfeits." The men captured were F. Brencacio and Guiseppe Constance, both of whom were caught in the act of passing the bogus money.

Princeton's Musical Tour.

PRINCETON, Dec. 15.—Next Wednesday the Princeton Musical Organization will start on a trip through the West, which will be the most elaborate since the organization of the clubs. The tour will include all the large cities of the West and the mode of traveling will be of the first order.

To Liquidate Its Affairs.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The National Fire Insurance Company, established in 1838, one of the oldest insurance corporations in the city, has decided to liquidate its affairs. Its outstanding risks have been reinsured in the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London.

Accidentally Killed a Woman.

SCHUYLKILL HAVEN, Pa., Dec. 15.—While cleaning a shotgun Harry, a young son of Daniel Reber of Brommerville, near here, accidentally shot Mrs. John Ryan in the side, inflicting a wound from the effects of which she died soon after. Mrs. Ryan was 60 years of age.

The Mansion Elmwood Burned.

CHARLESTOWN, Mass., Dec. 15.—The newly completed mansion of F. S. Gilson, "Elmwood," was burned at 3 a. m., with contents. The loss is estimated at $40,000; partially covered by insurance. The family escaped by means of ladders from the upper story.

Davenport's Complaint Dismissed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The United States grand jury has dismissed the complaint which Chief Supervisor of Elections, John I. Davenport, made against James A. Gartlan, Tammany Inspector of Elections in the district in which Davenport registered.

Spanish Military Band for the Fair.

MADRID, Dec. 15.—The committee having in charge the preparations for the Spanish representation at the Chicago Columbian Exhibition is organizing a military band, comprising 100 performers, who will give concerts at the fair.

Profitable Snow in Kansas.

EMPORIA, Kas., Dec. 15.—The heaviest snow experienced here for years, covers the earth to a depth of nearly a foot. It is too heavy to drift and is worth thousands of dollars to the farmers as it will be a fine covering for the wheat.

Investigating Rochester Loan Associations

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 15.—T. J. Whitton of the State Banking department is here investigating the loan associations of this city.

THE RAHWAY MYSTERY

James Frouatt Rearrested for the Murder.

EVIDENCE AGAINST HIM THIS TIME.

He was Suspected Six Years Ago, but Was Not Held—His Brother-in-Law Said to be Implicated—Developments of a Startling Nature Promised.

RAHWAY, N. J., Dec. 15.—James Frouatt was arrested here last night for the murder of a comely young woman whose body was found on the morning of Saturday, March 26, 1887, in a road leading to the village of Milton, two miles west of Rahway. The body was never identified, although viewed by thousands from all parts of New Jersey and New York. The murder is commonly known as the "Rahway mystery."

This is not Frouatt's first connection with the murder. He was one of the first arrested on suspicion, and, although there was then evidence that would have warranted holding him, he was allowed to go. He has been under surveillance ever since, however. Just what evidence the authorities have against him Chief Tooker, who made the arrest, refused to tell. At first he denied making the arrest.

It is said that Frouatt's 12-year-old daughter has made a confession as to the actions of her father on the night of March 25, when there was a party at Frouatt's house.

The Frouatt girl tells of a strange and pretty young woman who was at the party, and her description tallies with that of the murdered girl.

The authorities will neither deny nor affirm the story, but say that the arrest was made upon evidence already in their possession, and that which they gained within a few hours previous to Frouatt's arrest.

The murder has been one of the foremost of New Jersey's "mysteries," and the confession of Frouatt's daughter, together with the evidence gained, at the coroner's inquest at the time, would fasten a strong chain of circumstantial evidence about the prisoner.

Frouatt is a tall, powerful, and fairly good looking man of 35, but is very illiterate and brutal.

It is said that his brutality to his daughter drove her to confess what she knew of that night. The party was held at the house only a short distance from where the body was found.

Frouatt, his wife, and four children lived on Jefferson avenue, in the village of Milton, during the early part of March, 1859.

With him was his brother-in-law, William Keech, a wood chopper. One of Frouatt's daughters gave a party on the night of March 25, at which were gathered only the relatives of Frouatt's family, to the number of 20 or 25, mostly women.

The body of the murdered girl was exposed to public view at the morgue for 10 days. It is recalled that none of the Frouatts nor any of the persons who attended the party visited the morgue.

From what can be learned of the little girl's confession, Keech, the brother-in-law, was very attentive to the dead girl on the night of the party, and they drank beer together, at which Frouatt became jealous, and, persuading the girl to go out and walk with him, murdered her.

After Frouatt was lodged in jail Chief of Police Tooker sent out his detectives to arrest Keech and others who were at the party on the night of the murder.

It is now certain that within the next 24 hours there will be developments of a startling nature.

HARRISON ON THE ELECTION.

Minister Cheney Gives Out Part of a Letter from the President.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Dec. 15.—Ex-Gov. Cheney, who has been nominated as Minister to Switzerland, states that as soon as he is confirmed he will start for his new post.

Mr. Cheney says that President Harrison wrote him in regard to the recent election as follows:

"I was a leader imprisoned, and, save for the little visit to Mr. Reid, I knew or thought but little about it. Protection has failed because the wage-earner has refused to share his shelter with the manufacturer. He would not even walk under the same umbrella."

Yale Student Arrested for Theft.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 15.—W. G. Vennum, a member of the freshman class at Yale, was arrested last night for theft. On Friday last Dr. W. G. Anderson, director of the Yale gymnasium, lost a quantity of jewelry and a pocketbook containing a large sum of money, the whole valued at $400 or $500. The case was given to Detective Sergeant Cowles, and the arrest of Vennum followed. The property was found in Vennum's room.

Awful Charges Sustained.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., Dec. 15.—At Monticello, Patrick Haddon, a prosperous farmer, sued his brother for $10,000 for slander, charging him with having reported that Patrick was guilty of incest with his own daughter. The daughter testified against her father, saying that the story was true. The jury then gave the defendant $1,000 damages.

Running Regular Trains Now.

UTICA, Dec. 15.—The railroad between Little Falls and Dolgeville, in Herkimer county, has commenced the running of regular trains. The road is eleven miles long but is of considerable importance as it furnishes an outlet for a richly timbered section of country.

The Blood of Columbus in His Veins.

MADRID, Dec. 15.—The Duke of Veragua, who has the blood of Christopher Columbus in his veins, has been appointed President of the Committee on the Spanish Exhibit at the Chicago World's Fair, replacing the Duke of Sexto.

Killed by the Cars While Intoxicated.

CANANDAIGUA, N. Y., Dec. 15.—The mangled remains of Patrick Cairns were found on the Central railroad track near here yesterday. It is thought he was killed while intoxicated.

Morgan Accepts a New Position.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Indian Commissioner Morgan has accepted the position of corresponding secretary of the Baptist Board of Home Missions, and he expects to assume his new duties on the third of March next.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For Northern New Jersey, Slightly Cooler; Westerly Winds.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Sweets for the sweet are supplied by Tier.

—See perpetual motion in Allen's show window.

—Seats are now on sale for "A Breezy Time", to-morrow evening.

—Rogers's bicycle census to noon to-day: Wheels, 968; riders, 1,211.

—North Plainfielders are striving to secure the macadamization of Mountain avenue.

—Everyone goes direct to 9 Park avenue for fine stationery or Christmas cards and booklets.

—The colored waiters of the Mansion House, Bound Brook, will hold a grand ball in Bound Brook hall, Dec. 22.

—V. L. Frazee is selling the very best creamery butter for 30 cents a pound, and dairy butter at 28 and 25 cents.

—The game season closes to-day, and the penalties for killing grouse, quail, rabbit or squirrel are $20 in each case.

—Books for juvenile taste, or for children of a larger growth, are to be found in greatest profusion at Estil's, 9 Park avenue.

—A game of polo will be played at the Crescent rink this evening between a nine from Leal's school and a nine from the High school.

—You will make no mistaks in purchasing a pretty piece of jewelry for a Christmas gift, especially if you select in at Doane's.

—The talk that was to be given by Franklin S. Smith at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening has been postponed until Thursday, Jan. 5.

—In another column are advertised some special excursions from this city to Washington at $13.50 and all bills paid, including even the meals on the cars.

—The first session of the Y. M. C. A. singing class will be held at the Association rooms to-morrow evening at 8. E. A. Embury will teach the class, and all young men interested are invited to be present.

—In selecting sea-food for to-morrow's dinner, the careful housewife should be sure that Rogers supplies it. Whether fish, oysters or scallops, the food is sure to be freshest, sweetest and best if bought at 42 West Second street.

—Charley Smith, Fred Sandford, Jack Haberle and O. Elliott returned yesterday from a three days' hunt around Peapack with 48 rabbits, 5 quails and one ruffed grouse. The whole party, with their game, were photographed to-day.

—The only successful beer-bottler who has made things go in this vicinity, Frank Linke, has had a new and very attractive sign presented to him and placed in front of his wholesale place in this city by the Bartholomay Brewing Co. of Rochester, whose agent he is for Union and Somerset counties. The sign is very artistic.

—The good housewife now casts longing glances at the goods displayed in the furniture establishment of Powlison & Jones. The stock is most complete and varied, and the prices are honest. The limited purse will find it easy to select nice things for Christmas gifts, at the people's furniture house. Fine goods are sold at small profit.

—Sheet music given away at Allen's, three thousand different pieces, to holiday customers, one copy with each and every dollar purchase, or handsome souvenir World's Fair photographic views with dollar purchase and above in addition to crayon portrait free, guaranteed excellent, when purchases come to ten dollars, punched from card.

The Success to be Repeated Christmas Night.

The enthusiasm and satisfaction at Music Hall, last evening, were so extensively expressed that the play could not close until after 11. The large audience called the company before the curtain after the second act, and insisted upon another look at some of the climaxes. The loudest of the applause, however, was when manager Hoey of "The Power of Gold", announced from the stage that the manager of Music Hall had just arranged for the coming of another of Walter Sandford's plays on Monday evening, the 26th inst., Christmas.

Plainfield's Health Board President to Help Fight Cholera.

At the annual meeting of the New Jersey State Sanitary association, at Lakewood last week, George W. Rockfellow of this city was made a member of the executive council whose efforts in the spring will be directed especially to ward off cholera.

That's What the Parents of Some Plainfield Students Think.

(Elizabeth Journal.)

The public schools are more or less upside down over the matter of making exhibits for the World's Fair. It is a question, however, what good the exhibits do at the fair, and it is also a question what good it does the children to prepare their exhibits. Doubtless the knowledge that their exhibits are going somewhere to be looked at will inspire the school children to do their best, and it will inspire them with more or less of patriotic feeling, but it greatly interferes with regular work, interrupts the course of instruction more or less, and when the work is all arranged at Chicago it cannot give much of an intelligent idea of the system of school teaching, for it is show work outside of ordinary school work and especially prepared for show. Leaving out the patriotic sentiment and the temporary ambition inspired, the results are not worth the efforts that will be taken to make a school exhibit at the World's Fair.

WORKMEN BURIED ALIVE.

They Went Under the Walls of the New Hotel When It Fell.

BOUND BROOK, Dec. 15.—The west area wall of the new hotel at Piercetown, just east of Bound Brook, fell at an early hour this morning, burying several men under the debrise. They were all dug out, and it was found that only two were severely injured. They were Larry Canoll and Michael Cahil. The cave in was caused by water and snow undermining the wall.

Piercetown is owned by Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, the millionaire patent medicine man who has spent half a million dollars in an effort to improve the high land just east of Bound Brook. Quite a town is springing up there. The street are all macadamized, and water, sewerage and electric light is at the curb stone. Dr. Pierce has just moved into a handsome house near the hotel which is being erected, and intends making it his home.

TO FOLLOW THE REV. DR. MITCHELL.

Plainfield to Lose Another of Its Most Earnest and Effective Workers.

Chas. B. Brown, the Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes's assistant in the work of the First Baptist church, has tendered his resignation to accept a call to the city of Minneapolis.

Mr. Brown has occupied the position referred to about eighteen months and his work in the church has been seen in many directions, but more especially has it been marked among the young men.

Within one year, (from a beginning of four young men), Mr. Brown gathered together the largest Bible class for young men in this State. There are now nearly 190 names on the class roll, and last winter good work was done in the Bible Normal class, which had an average attendance of 30.

Mr. Brown has been exceedingly active in every branch of Christian work in this city. For one year he had entire charge of the Mt. Pleasant mission, and the Young Men's Christian Association always found in him a valuable help in all their departments.

The first Baptist church will feel Mr. Brown's departure the most. His place will be hard to fill but it is hoped that some one will soon be found who will take up the work he leaves. The addition to the rear of the First Baptist church will ever be a testimonial to the worth of Mr. Brown, and is a direct result of his activities in Sunday-school work. Mr. Brown has received several calls, one to Long Branch, one to Chicago and one to Minneapolis. The last named he has accepted. He will leave Plainfield with the regrets of all, both young and old, but with the best wishes for his future success in his new field.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Albert Runyon, of Boice, Runyon & Co., has moved into his fine new home on Mountain avenue.

Jane Rutan, aged 61, wife of Robert Wood, died Tuesday at 52 East Fourth street, where funeral services were held to-day.

Invitations have been issued for a dance to be given at the home of Mrs. Mason W. Tyler, 63 West Seventh street, Friday evening, Dec. 23.

The Rev. Robert Lowry's Christmas service of song this season, published by the Biglow & Main Co., is entitled "King of Nations", and contains five choruses, a quartette and chorus, and a solo and chorus, all the same beautiful vein as the reverend composer's sweet music of the past.

It would be well for North Plainfield if its mayor was by law the president of its board of health as in Yonkers, N. Y. Mayor Weller of that city is just such an earnest, efficient and enthusiastic servant and guardian of the people as mayor Saunders, but the former is endowed with more ways of power and means of accomplishment than the latter. Especially is this noticeable just now when mayor Saunders would like to be able to bring about for the public health of his borough, just what the people of Yonkers are to-day loudly praising mayor Weller for consummating.

GREAT TALENT, THIS.

Look at the Fine Array of Soloists in Plainfield's Philharmonics.

The first of the series of Philharmonic concerts will take place Thursday evening, Dec. 22, at the Casino. At this concert Miss Emma Juch of operatic fame will be the vocalist, Johannes Miersch, violin soloist, Paul Miersch, violoncello soloist, and Eugene Weiner, flute soloist. At the second concert, Jan. 26, the soloists will be Xaver Scharwenka, the celebrated pianist, and Miss Marion Weed. Miss May Lyle Smith, the young lady flutist, and Wm. H. Rieger, tenor, will appear at the last concert, Feb. 14.

A very few tickets for the series remain unsold, and can be procured at Reynolds's pharmacy.

Miss Mayer Married Again.

Miss Addie Langworthy Mayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilford Mayer, for years of this city, was married last night in the home of her parents, to Thomas Sherman Wheeler, of New York city. The Rev. E. Walpole Warren officiated. John G. Dutcher, of Pawling, was best man, and Miss May Holly maid of honor.

Of What Church?

THE PRESS is requested by postal card to publish the following:

"The regular meeting of the Young Ladies' Missionary society will be held on Friday afternoon at 2, in the lecture room."

—Stationery to suit the most fastidious taste is supplied by Estil.

Parties trying to introduce new cough remedies, should know that the people will have Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

THE LATE JOHN HANDREN.

What His Brethren in Anchor Lodge, F. & A. M., Thought of Him.

At the regular communication of Anchor lodge, No. 149, Free and Accepted Masons, held Tuesday evening, the following was adopted:

Resolved, That Anchor lodge recognized in Brother John W. Handren, whose recent death cast so deep a shadow within the walls of the lodge and among the paths of business and social life which he was wont to tread, a man who commanded the respect of all who knew him at all, and the love of all who knew him well. To say that he was honest, able, generous, public spirited, fearless as a lion, and yet gentle as a woman, would be but to name a few of the virtues possessed by him in so eminent a degree that even strangers made note of them. But to us, whom he honored with his closer friendship, there shone forth resplendent as his chief characteristic, his sincerity, his purity and rectitude in thought and deed, his steadfast loyalty to a friend, and his whole-souled magnanimity to a conquered foe. He could not fail to be conscious of the grandeur of his character, but he would listen to no praise for the deeds which enable us from personal knowledge to speak of him these words of simple truth.

We know that in the family his life was typical of all that is highest and best in the home. We beg to offer to those who were nearest and dearest to him our tender sympathy, and to assure them that the mourning emblems which now drape Anchor lodge in honor of our departed brother, speak to our hearts of one of the noblest of men and masons.

CRAIG A. MARSH,
C. C. HOWARD,
THOS. S. ARMSTRONG,
Committee.

—Allen's Christmas stock eclipses all. They undersell.

NO COUNTY ROAD.

Somerset Feels Too Poor to Grant North Plainfield's Request.

At this week's meeting of the Somerset county freeholders a petition from taxpayers of North Plainfield for a county road, presented two months ago, was taken from the table and the subject discussed. Action on the matter was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Adams reported that John C. Cooper had been awarded the contract for building the new bridge near Union Village, between Somerset and Morris counties, together with grading the approaches, for $875.

Hudson county has agreed to accept Henrietta Rogers, a lunatic, as a resident of that county, and will refund to Somerset county the amount already expended in her behalf.

A committee was appointed to enter into an agreement with the heirs of Dr. Mosher in regard to paying the expenses of Miss Mosher at the State Insane asylum.

Through N. Y. Dungan, the Millstone Vigilance society presented a claim for $500 as a reward for the capture and conviction of Arthur Van Fleet for stealing horses in Somerset county, and the recovery of the horses. A motion was made to pay the sum to the society, and a vote resulted 7 to 2 against such action.

—Allen, agent, Smith Premier typewriter, the only.

READY FOR THE OPENING.

Final Rehearsals of the Choral Society for Next Week's Concert.

The Choral society is preparing for the first of its great concerts, to be given next week in Music Hall.

This afternoon at 3:45 there will be a rehearsal of sopranos and altos, and this evening the usual full rehearsal will take place.

On Saturday, at 10, the society will meet with orchestra in Chickering Hall and have a full orchestral rehearsal.

On Monday evening the last rehearsal will take place at Music Hall.

—Allen, agent, union cash register, cheapest, best.

Two Heroes of the Wreck.

The Westfield *Standard* thus editorially speaks of the heroism of two young men who were passengers on the Jersey Central train wrecked at Greenville last week:

"With the permission of the rest of the world we would like to raise our hats and profoundly salute two Westfield young gentlemen, medical students, John Sansom and Rufus Whitehead, who were on the wrecked train, Thursday morning, on their way from college; and, being the only medical men at hand, they at once took charge of the injured passengers and rendered services that undoubtedly saves lives. The fact that John Sansom, self-forgetful, and thinking only of his high calling, worked to the finish with a broken rib, forces us into a train of thought amounting almost to reverence. Your hand, young men. Proud to know you!"

—Marvelous, running electric motor, one dollar, Allen's.

The Port Reading Branch.

The new branch of the Port Reading railroad, from Bound Brook to Port Reading below Sewaren, will be in operation Jan. 1.

Stations are being erected along the line, which is thirty-five miles long. Passenger trains will connect at the junction of the Central railroad, and passengers will be transferred there for Elizabeth, Newark, New York and points on the Long Branch division. The coal traffic at present to tidewater at Port Reading, where huge trestles are constructed, is very heavy. It is thought that during the summer trains will be run to Long Branch and points south along the coast.

Charley Dodd May Keep It.

The Elizabeth *Journal* says: "Come to think of it, what a blessing it is that in this city and county and State there are always a few choice spirits willing to undergo the sacrifice of accepting office. What would we do, for example, if at this time nobody wanted the office of jail warden! As it is, the board of chosen freeholders will have a small multitude to select from, and let us hope they will select the man best qualified for the place."

Nik Naks For Christmas Presents.

AT REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY,

From ten cents up into the dollars. Fine Handkerchief Essences and Colognes in plain vials or in elegant cut-glass bottles, single or by the pair; Sachet Powders in fancy packets or by weight; Toilet and Manicure Sets; Combs and Brushes; also a choice selection of Japanese Trinkets, for every use, for every age; "trifles light as air." Prices are lower than Vantines.

Reynolds's Pharmacy, Corner Park and North Avenues.

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Friday Evening, December 16.

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And their Merry Company in

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See Our Mandolin Octette, Quintette of Musical Tennis Rackets, Bell Gavotte, latest New York Craze.

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Pretty Faces, Airy Graces,
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"WE EXCEL!"

All our previous efforts in the assortment of Bric-a-Brac and useful articles for PRESENTS. Our prices are the LOWEST; we do not even except New York houses.

6 tea or table spoons, double plated nickle silver on white strong metal for 25c., 3 forks do for 25c., all warranted one year; 6 tea spoons or 3 table spoons or 3 forks for 50c. 21 per cent. solid silver nickel warranted to wear as long as solid silver. There are lots of useful things in our Carpet Department that will make nice presents. It is decidedly to your interest to purchase at

EDSALL'S.

Shoes. Shoes.

We can show you a good assortment of Slippers for the Holidays.

Men and women's Russia Lea. Faust, men's, boys' and youth's Alligator Slippers, men, boys' and youths' Goat Slippers, men's, boys' and youths' Pat. Lea. Pumps and Oxfords. Embroidered Slippers from 75c. up. One of the most acceptable gifts you could make would be a pair of the

Alfred Dolge All-wool Felt Slippers.

There is nothing in the felt line to compare with them. We would especially call the attention of gentlemen who are looking around for a suitable gift for wife, mother, sister or lady friend to our line of FAUST and ROMEO House Shoes.

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SHOES FOR ALL.

Christmas Gifts.

The latest novelties in Jewelry—beautiful designs in Stirling Silver, 14 karat gold and roll plate. Largest stock; greatest variety in the city at

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Are among the unique line of HOLIDAY GOODS, our stock of which is complete. Don't wait, but come early and select. No trouble to show goods.

CENTRAL PHARMACY,

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BASSO,
Voice Culture, (Italian method). Instruction in Breathing, Tone Production and Artistic Singing.
Address, Hulett's Music Store, or Schirmer's, 35 Union Square, New York. 10 19 tf

Corporation Notice.

The undersigned commissioners heretofore appointed by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield to make an estimate and an assessment of damages that any owner or owners of land will sustain by the widening and laying out of Fence street pursuant to the ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to widen Fence street," approved February 8, 1892, and to ascertain the whole amount of damages and expenses incident to such widening and laying out, and to make a just and equitable assessment thereof among the owners and occupants of all the lands, tenements and real estate benefitted thereby in proportion to the advantages which they shall be deemed to acquire, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, hereby give notice that they have this day filed their report and assessment in the office of the City Clerk, and that the same is open to inspection of the public and will be presented to the Common Council at the meeting of that body to be held at the Council Chamber, in the city of Plainfield, on Monday, the nineteenth day of December instant, at eight o'clock p. m.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 5 A. D., 1892.

WM. C. AYERS,
J. MANNING,
EDWARD C. MULFORD, } Commissioners.
from 88.75 p. 8 15 con. 8 15

1892 TAXES!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of

THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD,

That the taxes assessed in said city for the year 1892 are now due and payable, and that if the said taxes be not paid by the

20th Day of December Next

The names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

The Commissioners of Appeal

In cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

Fourth Tuesday In November Next

(the 22d), and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until 6 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration. JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.
Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1, 1892. 10 6 tf

MANICURING
At 109 East Front Street
Mrs. A. DeBand. 11 25 1m

Special Notice!

Those wishing to be served with Ballantine beer by the dozen or case can be accommodated by leaving their orders at E. P. THORN'S, No. 17 Park avenue.
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The largest assortment of Paintings, Etchings, Mirrors, Albums, Oil, China and Water Color Boxes, Easels, etc., ever offered, and at very reasonable prices.

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23 East Front street. 12 10 3w

TIMELY ADVICE.

See what we have before going to the city to purchase your Christmas gifts.

STEPHENSON'S,
53 WEST FRONT ST.
12 12 2w

DIRECTORIES
Of New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Newark, Plainfield, Elizabeth, Rahway and Union County may be consulted
Mallinson's Pharmacy, 65 North Ave.
5 23 tf

Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 158, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres.
Wm. H. Langer, R. Sec'y. 6 29 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,078. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. R. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Easter Lodge, No. 8,562, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
Samuel J. Moss, Chief Ranger.
Samuel H. Langer, Fin. Sec. 8-12-y

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Foreign and Domestic Cheese, Preserves, Fruit Butters, &c.

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22½ NORTH AVENUE,
Where you will find the best line of
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In the City.
OSCAR TERRY,
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A Question of Mathematics.

Two and two never did make five, and never will.

We take the cost price of our goods, add a much more moderate margin of profit than is indicated above, and sell them out quick, before the styles and season change.

We have a fine stock of correct Overcoats and Pea Jackets. All this season's goods. Also an extra line of separate Trousers and everything in the line of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothes.

C. SCHEPFLIN & CO.,
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Big Holiday Stock has come and shrewd buyers are getting the first pick from our grand display. Come and see what pleasure, satisfaction and economy there is in buying your Holiday Goods

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Choice Groceries, Fruits & Vegetables
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Now open for the reception of guests, under the management of George and Wallace V. Miller. House has been thoroughly renovated and re-furnished throughout, and contains all improvements. First-class accommodations for families and the traveling public.
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Fine China and Glass, Elegant Lamps.

The largest line we have ever had.

AT GAVETT'S.
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BUY FURNITURE
Hastily and repent it when they have more time.
DO YOU?
Buy your Furniture of
POWLISON & JONES.
34 West Front St., Plainfield.
Upholstering, Repairing, Mattress Making.

Blankets, Quilts and Underwear

For Fall and Winter use, Oil Cloths and Carpets. Window Shades made and put up.

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OUR STOCK OF

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

Is complete, including a full line of small goods and Sheet Music. We will now offer until after the holidays special bargains on all instruments.

Some of Our Goods

Kranich & Bach pianos, Mason & Hamlin pianos, Starr & Co. pianos, Jacob Bros. pianos, Ludwig & Co. pianos, Mason & Hamlin organs, Newman Bros. organs.

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Another Lot of Japanese Baskets

SEE THE WINDOW

AT RAND'S, 24 West Front St.
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OYSTERS R GOOD NOW,

And the place to buy them is at

Rogers' Sea Food Market

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Men, Boys' and Children's Overcoats

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

No. 27 PARK AVENUE.
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ONE MOMENT PLEASE,

Thanks, I knew it would interest you. Imperial Flour only $5.00 per bbl. And while you are interested I would call your attention to Canned and Dried Fruits of all kinds are in *now*, and the prices are low at

J. F. MacDONALD,
THE UP-TOWN GROCER.

46 and 48 EAST FRONT ST. TELEPHONE No. 155.
1 18 tf

JOB MALE'S HEIRS.

THEY HAVE CHANGED THEIR ATTITUDE TOWARDS HIS WILL.

At First They Took the High Moral Ground that They Would Do All in Their Power to Respect His Known Wishes—Now They Are Fighting the Library's Claim.

Plainfield people were delighted when some months ago it was announced that the legal heirs of the late Job Male had taken the high moral ground that they would respect the dead man's wishes no matter whether his unsigned will was accepted by the courts or not. Those same people are now surprised and disappointed to learn that the heirs seem to have forgotten their professions and are striving to add to their individual gain by disposing at their own profit of the great art collection that Mr. Male intended for the public library.

F. X. Schoonmaker was 15 years making his famous collection of rare Chinese cloisonne. He bought the articles singly or a few at a time, and secured them at far less than their real value. Most of them he got by paying merely custom-house charges and taking off the hands of the revenue officials.

The collection is a representative one, and as such is so superior that it cannot be equaled in Europe or America.

The Chinese were the world's masters in the art of making porcelain and enamel. Each emperor sought to outdo his predecessor, and offered prizes for more perfect workmanship. In the Schoonmaker collection there have been grouped together pieces representative of each successive dynasty, the wares being stamped with the distinctive marks. By a study of the various samples one gets an excellent idea of the progression of antiquity in this particular branch of art. And each piece of the ware has a most interesting and peculiar history. The queer legends and fanciful notions of the great Chinese race have been preserved in these moulded clays and polished porcelains.

A few years ago Mr. Schoonmaker placed a portion of his collection on loan exhibition at the Job Male public library and art gallery. He lectured on the history of the exhibits, and entertained and edified the public. Mr. Male became interested, learned the value of the collection, and desired to have it become identified permanently with and known as a unique and rare feature of the art gallery. He had no children, no immediate family, and the art gallery and library was to be his monument.

He therefore proposed that Mr. Schoonmaker contribute to the library and art gallery the value of the collection over and above the actual cash expenditure made by him for it, and he (Mr. Male) would reimburse him for the exact amount he had paid for all the articles.

This was agreed to, the only other stipulation being that the collection should be known to the present generation and all posterity by the name of Mr. Schoonmaker and as such continue forever a portion of Mr. Male's monument.

The actual expense of Mr. Schoonmaker in prices paid for the cloisonne ware was $9,765. For this same consideration Mr. Male was given a full bill of sale.

The portion of the collection which had been on loan exhibition was still at the library. The balance was on public view at the store of Mr. Woolley, an art dealer in New York. After the sale was made to Mr. Male for the library, the portion at Mr. Woolley's was packed up and shipped to Plainfield, addressed to the library. It was found that there was then no room in the library building for the goods, and against Mr. Male's protest they were taken to his house for temporary storage. Mr. Dugan, a clerk from Woolley's, had packed the goods, and it was he who unpacked them. As fast as he unwrapped an article, Mr. Male would check it off on the bill of sale. One article was mentioned, and Mr. Male said, "Yes, $29." "Great Scott!"—said Mr. Dugan—"$29! Why, we sold one like it for $400!" Then he asked how Mr. Male came to get the goods so cheap, and the venerable ex-mayor told him the story of the transfer, and of his promise to give the collection to the library.

To others Mr. Male subsequently acknowledged the understanding that the library was to have the collection, and he even told the directors that just as soon as the cases to hold the collection were completed it should be arranged in them and properly classified.

William M. Stillman, clerk of the board of directors of the library, has taken affidavit to the fact of Mr. Male's repeated assurances that the collection was the joint donation of him and Mr. Schoonmaker to the library.

The Schoonmaker collection was appraised by the most competent antiquity experts of the country, as worth at least $20,000. Rufus E. Moore, Life Patron of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, fixed his estimate at $25,000, and he is the highest authority procurable.

Mr. Moore said of the fragmentary exhibit in the library building that even that was matchless.

"Having"—he wrote—"personally examined the cloisonne enamel placed in the Male art museum, I am sure that no such number of rare pieces can be seen in any other museum in Europe or America."

The only defect in the claim of the library directors, the only loophole through which the collection may slip from their ownership, is in the fact that no written acknowledgment of the gift to the library appears in the bill of sale. As a part of the consideration, that should have been stated, according to the common rule of law. Also, there was no actual transfer to the library of the property, which has always been deemed essential to establish a deed of gift.

But this is a most uncommon case. There is nothing like it on the books. The law will be called on to decide a point such as never before was raised, and this case is one of the most important in the annals of any court.

Mr. Schoonmaker could have sold the collection in New York for at least $30,000, and it was only on promise of perpetuation of his name that he disposed of the collection as he did.

As an instance of the low price at which he sold the goods, it is stated that certain 35 pieces for which he got only $134 were appraised at $2,800, and three pieces for which he received $50 apiece were valued at $1,000 each. A peachblow box bought for $50 was of the same rare quality as the famous $18,000 vase. The exquisite peachblow color is the happy result of an accident in firing, not capable of reproduction, and is the most rare of all of these specimens of a lost art. The art became lost in the wholesale killing off of the skilled Chinese workmen in war and massacre.

Mr. Male repeatedly assurred the library directors that they should have collection as soon as the necessary and proper cases were provided. Messrs. Dumont, Yates and others, with Mr. Stillman, remember this. He even asked them for financial contributions towards payment of his reimbursing part to Mr. Schoonmaker, pleading that times were hard, his houses were not renting well, and he had a lot of mortgaged property on his hands.

As has been stated in these columns, the portion of the collection in the art gallery was abstracted after Mr. Male's death, and the entire collection was advertised by the administrators to be sold at auction to-day. The action of the library directors in securing temporary injunction stops this sale. Next Tuesday the heirs must show cause why the injunction should not be made permanent. The vice-chancellor's ruling on this point will establish the question of ownership, and give the property to the heirs or to the art gallery.

That the sale of such a valuable collection at auction in Plainfield would be at far less than its real value is certain. It is as a representative collection that it has most value, and divided up the pieces would be sacrificed. Besides, to get even approximately near the full value such a sale should be conducted by an authority on antiquities. Samples of the ignorance displayed in making up the catalogue for the sale, abound. For instance, of one figure it is said "The priest has a long head, signifying longevity." The fact is, the piece is an idol. This particular god knew everything, and was the Chinese oracle of wisdom and learning. The accumulated knowledge swelled his head, and that's the why of his skull's prodigiousness. The catalogue is full of such ridiculous burlesqueness.

To have the Schoonmaker cloisonne remain in Plainfield is to have the Male art gallery renowned as holding one of the greatest studies of specimens of antique art. To have the sale take place is to break up and scatter to the winds the result of years of careful labor, to make a shameful sacrifice of a most interesting and wonderful grouping of some of the greatest productions of the genius of an art long dead, an art which was far greater than many which are the pride of modern civilization.

Fun, Dancing and Sweet Singing, To-Morrow Night.

There are lots of fun in the "Breezy Time", to be given at Music Hall to-morrow evening, and the spontaneous wit of E. B. Fitz, the comedian who does the double role of *Reuben Merrifield* and *Jovial Jolly;* the vivacious and sparkling soubrette, Kathryn Webster, also in a double role, as *Daisy Lightfoot* and *Cholly Fairweather*; the amusing situations of Harry West, as *Henrich Blotz*; the really good character acting of Bert C. Thayer as *Jock Dauber*, an artist who was always in financial straits; the singing and dancing of Annie Martin, Orient Anson and Jessie Charron, and the serpentine dance, which is very well executed by Miss Orient Anson; are a part of the features on the play bill of "A Breezy Time".

That Girl Bertha and Mr. Staab.

Fred Staab of the local shooting gallery writes as follows to THE PRESS concerning its article of last evening about Bertha McCoy:

"Correction to 14th I Fred Staab Hired the Girl Bertha to work for me and her father did not make any charges a genst me But Came to Plainfield to Howerd Thompson house With an oficer and took her home with him"

Which substantially corroborates what THE PRESS said yesterday, only Mr. Staab is mistaken in the idea that Mr. McCoy did n't say harsh things against him.

The Madison Avenue Extension.

The commissioners in the matter of extending Madison avenue to Duer street are not yet ready with their final report. They had a map prepared, with the proposed assessments against each property, which it was thought would be final, but now they find they have omitted to take into calculation the cost of moving the Laing's hotel stables, and other minor details, and these will have to be adjusted, compelling alteration of the figures. As soon as the assessments are all fixed, each property-holder will be notified of his amount.

—Allen will sell at cost until Christmas choice from twenty different styles daintiest souvenirs.

I suffered for two weeks with neuralgia and Salvation Oil gave me immediate relief. Mrs. Wm. C. Bald, Mosher street, Baltimore, Md.

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SHOERS,

Calf Skin, Cork Sole, Lace or Congress, Thoroughly made, Comfortable and healthy.

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MEN'S OUTFITTERS,

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Latest News By Wire to THE PRESS.

EDISON PATENTS UPHELD.

The Question of Incandescent-Lamp Manufacturing Finally Settled.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—A decision was to-day handed down by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for this circuit, Judges Wallace, Lacombe, and Shipman sitting, in the case of the Edison Electric-Light company against the Sawyer-Man Electric company sustaining the decision of the Circuit court granting a preliminary injunction against the Sawyer-Man people, restraining them from making any incandescent lamps in accordance with Edison's lamp patent No. 223,898.

This virtually shuts up the Westinghouse people from making or selling or using any incandescent lamps.

[The Sawyer-Man lamps are used exclusively in Plainfield, and the Edison lamps on the North Plainfield company's circuit.]

"A WINTER'S WALK WITH COWPER."

Facts in Regard to the American Casualty Insurance and Security Company's Calendar for 1893.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Having selected the eminent artist Wedworth Wadsworth, to sketch our calendar, "A Winter's Walk with Cowper", it was a serious question to discover how the printing could be best done so that the artistic merit of the work should be preserved.

A thorough canvass demonstrated that there was but one process which would preserve in the calendar itself that indefinable characteristic which makes Mr. Wadsworth's work so valuable from an artistic standpoint.

The work is only successfully done in Paris, and there is but one house there capable of producing it.

The process is one by which the different colors of the orignal painting are photographed on zinc platee, into which they are etched, so that the print as it appears in our calendar is an exact reproduction of the artist's work, preserving all of its original character. The difference between this process and that of lithographers is that in lithography the engraver copies by hand the work of the artist; by this process there is no hand work between the artist's hand and the print.

A representative of our company was sent to Paris, and there placed our order. It is our hope in putting out this, the most perfect piece of color printing that has ever been used in advertising, that the demand for high class printing will be increased to such an extent in America, that our printers will rise to the occasion, and that our next order for such can be placed in the United States.

Yours very truly,
JOHN M. CRANE,
General Supt.

—Tier's novelties in Christmas candies are attracting the people.

VALENTINO—WEBB.

A Plainfielder Played the Wedding March, and Many of the Guests Were from Plainfield.

(Newark Sunday Call.)

The marriage of Miss Nellie Webb (Davis) and Mr. D. A. Valentino took place at the home of the bride's parents, 853 Broad street, city, on Tuesday evening. The Rev. Dr. Schotthoefer, assisted by the Rev. Father Ali, of St. Philip's church, performed the ceremony. The bride wore a dress of ivory white China silk en train with flouncings of chiffon draped with lilies of the valley, and a bridal veil of Brussels lace and carried a bouquet of bride roses and white hyacinths. Her jewels were pearls and emeralds, the gift of the groom.

The marriage took place in the parlors, which were tastefully decorated with La France roses and smilax. The bridal march was played by Mr. George Hughes, of Plainfield. Prof. George Davis, brother of the bride, gave her away, and Mr. M. Mayyal was the best man. Miss Lizzie Otis acted as maid of honor, wearing blue silk with blonde lace and pearls and carrying a bouquet of pink carnations. The bridesmaids were the little Lida Boyce and Lottie Noe in cream silk with bouquets of hyacinths, and Miss Josephine Valentino, sister of the groom, and Miss Lizzie Gifford, wearing cream brilliantine and pink ribbons, with bouquets of pink carnations. The ushers were the Messrs. W. Donner, F. Holsworth and V. Jacoby.

Hearty congratulations followed the ceremony, after which, amidst a shower of flowers and rice, the bridal party, numbering forty, adjourned to Jacoby's Hall, 882 Broad street, where a banquet was served. Speeches and toasts were given by the Messrs. Otis, Donner, Valentino, Davis, Kimble, Postmaster Conklin and others. A reception followed, with guests present from New York, Plainfield, Morristown, Staten Island, Spring Lake, Asbury Park, Brooklyn and Philadelphia.

The presents were numerous and costly. A basket of roses was presented at the reception by the Young Men's Pleasure club, of which Mr. Valentino was a member; also a superb silver tea service by the members of Prof. G. Davis's Tuesday evening dancing class.

Mr. and Mrs. Valentino will be at home to their friends this afternoon at 3 o'clock at 853 Broad street.

Frisbie Meets an Amazon.

A well-dressed woman accompanied by her pet dog were walking down Park avenue this afternoon when she was approached by dog catcher Frisbie, who told her to carry her dog in her arms. This she did n't heed, and Frisbie picked up the dog and then the woman attempted to slap him. So Frisbie took the dog with him to the pound, followed by the abuse of the irate woman's tongue.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

City National Bank,

At Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

DECEMBER 9, 1892.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$408,665 62
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	229 73
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Stocks, securities	18,500 00
Due from approved reserve agents	120,436 80
Due from other National Banks	3,784 74
Due from State Banks and bankers	626 73
Furniture and fixtures	3,500 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	2,343 27
Checks and other cash items	272 27
Bills of other banks	500 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	205 47
Specie	18,366 00
Legal tender notes	14,155 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,800 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than five per cent. redemption fund	1,170 00
Total	$634,446 64

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$150,000 00
Surplus fund	30,000 00
Undivided profits	26,745 70
National Bank notes outstanding	35,810 00
Dividends unpaid	600 50
Individual deposits subject to check	350,389 01
Demand certificates of deposit	2,821 98
Certified checks	2,100 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	754 34
Due to other National Banks	14,840 84
Due to State Banks and Bankers	14,294 23
Total	$634,446 64

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, } ss.
COUNTY OF UNION, }

I, F. H. Gardner, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. F. H. GARDNER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Dec., 1892. WM. F. ARNOLD, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
CHARLES HYDE,
JOSEPH B. COWARD,
J. F. HUBBARD, Directors.

DEATHS.

SCHENCK—In North Plainfield, Dec. 13, 1892, John B. Schenck, aged 82 years.
Funeral services at his late residence, 40 Manning avenue, Friday, Dec. 16, at 2 p. m.

WOOD—In this city Dec. 13, 1892, Jane Ann Rutan, beloved wife of Robert Wood, in her 61st year.
Funeral from her late residence, 52 East 4th street, Thursday, 15th inst. 3

BANK ELECTION.

CITY NATIONAL BANK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house, on Tuesday, January 10, 1893, from 1 to 3 o'clock.
Dec. 8, 1892. F. H. GARDNER, Cashier.
12 8 15 22 29-1 9

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this ending, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

LOST—A pet canary. Finder will receive liberal reward by returning to 74 West Front street. 12 15 tf

WANTED—Washing and ironing at home. Apply 96 West 4th st. 12 15 5

MELODEON, $10.00, a bargain, at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 12 14 4

WANTED.—Eight thousand dollars, ($8,000) on improved city property, worth $20,000. Address Owner, care Press. 12 14 4

WANTED—Four furnished rooms for light housekeeping; near centre of town. Send terms, etc., box 320, Lakewood, N. J. 12 14 2

A CASH register for sale. Inquire at E. P. Thorn's, No. 17 Park avenue. 12 14 tf

COLORED man and wife lately from Virginia wishes situations on gentleman's place, Call 33 North ave. 12 13 3

A QUANTITY of money to loan at five per cent. in sums to suit, on bond and mortgage. Address P. O. box 312. 12 12 6

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 15 Craig Place. 12 10 tf

FOR SALE—Paff's hotel, Scotch Plains; would exchange for Plainfield business property. Paff, Scotch Plains. 12 5 10

GOOD rooms and board. 26 Central avenue. 12 3 27

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS p c 11 14tf.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

BUTTER!

Best Creamery.....30 Cents
Best Dairy.....28 "
Good Dairy.....25 "

V. L. Frazee's, 25 West Front St.

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FOR JANUARY

Will Contain a Complete Story

—BY—

MRS. M. E. STICKNEY,

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A PACIFIC ENCOUNTER.

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CRESCENT RINK,

Polo and Foot Ball Thursday night, December 15.

Roller Skating every

Tuesday and Saturday Nights and Saturday Afternoon,

excepting the week before Christmas, which is engaged for the Plainfield Band Fair.

EVENING PRICES.

Package of 10 admissions for.....$1 00
Or single admission for.....25 cents
Package of 10 surface checks for....$1 00
Or single surface checks.....25 cents
Package of 5 skate checks for.....$1.00
Or single skate checks.....25 cents

SATURDAY AFTERNOON PRICES.

Single admission.....10 cents
Single surface checks.....10 cents
Single skate check.....15 cents

NOTICE—Surface checks are sold only to persons bringing their own skates.

Grand Xmas and New Year's skating festival Dec. 26, and January 2.

Prepare for the great spectacular carnival, the date of which will be announced later.

11 28 tf

The Elegant Presents ARE NOW ON EXHIBITION.

Take your pick at prices you never dreamed of before from an endless variety of iron, tin and wood toys, all sorts of blocks and games, Japanese dolls, screens, trays, electric motors, fancy shell boxes, photograph and autograph albums, fancy plush and wood work boxes, "merry Christmas" novelties in place of cards, children's pianos, black boards, velocipedes, juvenile books, varied and exceedingly beautiful, 50 different styles of fancy china cups and saucers, plates and bread and milk sets, fancy scrap and other baskets card and cutting tables with folding legs, shoe blackening cases and commodes, children's chairs and wash sets, tables, dishes in china and pewter, dolls and dolls' beds, chairs, furniture, drums, horns, sleighs, horses and carts, express wagons, doll's carriages, single and double rockers, tool chests, Christmas tree ornaments, wax candles, bisque figures, china and glass vases, silver plated ware 25 cent display, sheet music, plush goods in many designs, lamps for everyone, stationery, soaps, combs, brushes, plate and common mirrors, large framed pictures, Royal Tooth Powder, surpassing all others at less than half their cost, harmonicas and music boxes, pocket and table cutlery, elegant carving sets, day books, ledgers, memorandums, etc., banks of all kinds, steam engines, magic and other lanterns, toad novelties, singing birds, ten pins, Noah's arks, scrap books and pictures, and this only hints at our immense stock.

Come and see us and you are money in by odds. Large crayon portrait free, guaranteed to please, when purchases to the amount of ten dollars have been punched from card given on application.

THE 5 AND 10 CENT STORE.

J. C. ALLEN, 28 West Front St.

PROTECTION! PROTECTION!

No politics about this. The protection of the hour is a protection against the cold blasts of winter. For a supply of cold weather Clothing, such as Heavy Weight Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Leather Coats, at lowest cash prices, call on

COLYER & CO.,

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R. W. Rice & Co

Have a fine new assortment of

Jellies, Jams and Preserves, Gordon & Dilworth's Mince Meat Preserved Strawberries, Raspberries, Etc.

Also a fine line of Fancy Goods, Sliced Chutney (Bombay) Canadian Cheese, Anchvoiesin Oil, Edam Cheese.

Extra Fine Maple Syrup

In gallons, half gallons, quarts and pints. R. & S. Flemington Sausage.

Telephone 75 B Corner Emily and Duer Streets.

Ready for Christmas!

You can't make any kind of a present that will be any more useful than some article of Footwear. We have got them, Slippers, House Shoes, Rubber Boots Overshoes, etc. You can't go amiss.

SHERWIN'S,

23 West Front Street. Strictly Cash.

Where Did You Get Them My Pretty Maid?

I TRADE AT SPRINGERS

Was all she said. And so may you.

SPRINGER'S

SHOE STORE

32 West Front Street.

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Our New Holiday Line

Consists of Silk Umbrellas, Alligator Bags, Dress Suit Cases, Gold Headed Canes, Fine Dress Gloves, Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers, Mackintosh Jersey and Rubber Coats. Also 100 dozen new Holiday Ties.

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12 Park Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

BRANCH—BROAD STREET, WESTFIELD, N. J. 10 28 tf

PLAINFIELD BARGAIN HOUSE.

Annual opening of Holiday Goods of every description, including the most complete line of Useful Presents, such as silk handkerchiefs and mufflers, an endless variety of ladies and childrens muffs, gloves, mittens, umbrellas, gent's neckwear, etc. Also an immense assortment of plush dressing cases, smoking sets, glove and handkerchief boxes, dolls, perfumery and fancy articles. In our Millinery Department you will see a pretty line of doll's hats, together with our usual variety of tastily trimmed hats for which this house has an established reputation.

I. H. Boehm, 7 West Front St.

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Gives Relief at once for Cold in Head.
Apply into the Nostrils. It is Quickly Absorbed.
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THE Best Remedy CATARRH COLD IN HEAD HAYFEVER ELY'S CREAM BALM

PLAINFIELD'S LEADING STORE.

Regular opening of Holiday Goods of every description, including the most complete line of Toys and Dolls to be found in this city.

Our assortment of Useful and Ornamental Goods is almost as large again as it was last year, at prices from 25 to 50 per cent. lower than other stores.

FOR THIS WEEK

We will sell 500 fine large Curtains, 3 yards long, at 50c. each.

We will sell 8-4 Turkey Red Table Covers at 90c. each.

We will sell Dress Patterns of 8 yards each for $3.98, former price 75c. per yard.

We will sell 10-piece English Porcelain Toilet Sets for $2.40 per set.

We will sell fine Chenile Curtains $1.89 each.

We will sell the best Germantown Yarn, Utopia and Arcadia' for 13c. skein.

We will sell Men's all-wool Cardigan Jackets for $1.25 and $1.50, were $2.00 each.

We are selling Gloves and Mittens of all kinds for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children at reduced prices.

Our immense stock of Underwear to be sold and down go prices to what they cost to make.

White & VanArsdale.

10 15 tf

A Woman Takes Pride

In a beautiful Shoe, and will have a constant source of pleasure if she buys a pair of our

$3.00 Derby Toe Shoes,

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TO DIVE FOR THE GUN.

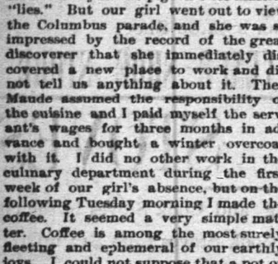
not believe it. Fate is waiting till they are ripe, and then she will shake the tree, and they will fall, as I did.

We had never had any trouble with cooks, and I had filed the servant girl stories away in the pigeon hole marked "lies." But our girl went out to view the Columbus parade, and she was so impressed by the record of the great discoverer that she immediately discovered a new place to work and did not tell us anything about it. Then Maude assumed the responsibility of the cuisine and I paid myself the servant's wages for three months in advance and bought a winter overcoat with it. I did no other work in the culinary department during the first week of our girl's absence, but on the following Tuesday morning I made the coffee. It seemed a very simple matter. Coffee is among the most surely fleeting and ephemeral of our earthly joys. I could not suppose that a pot of it would become immortal in our family just because I made it. But I am now certain that it will never die.

We were to have Sam at our house Monday night. He had come to the city to attend an important business meeting, so he told his wife. He was right. The meeting between "Judge" Lynch and Billy the Kid was strictly business. They did not hammer each other three hours for fun.

Sam is a good judge of coffee and several other drinks, and I knew that a cup of the amber fluid, if made by a competent person, would be especially grateful to his palate on the morning after the important business meeting. So I arose early and built a fire in the range. Half an hour later I built another, because the first had gone out. Then I prepared the coffee. I had made barrels of coffee in my day, but never before within the confines of civilization. I had brewed it over driftwood fires on half the islands off the Maine coast. Hot and strong I made it in those days, so that a single cup, drank standing, would draw the salt water out of the linings of my rubber boots, and the steam from the spout of the coffee pot would wrestle with the sea fog and "down" it. I could not feel quite at home in a kitchen, but yet it was with considerable confidence that I measured out the usual dose, and broke an egg into it for richness.

Maude had appeared upon the scene by this time, and she began to criticise me in that feminine fashion which never does the victim any good, but leaves



"IT WAS THAT EGG, HOWDY."

vast opportunities for "I told you so" afterward. On such occasions a woman does not wish to convince. It would break her heart if one followed her advice. She would much rather he should go his own way and fail, and never hear the last of it.

"I wouldn't put that egg in," Maude had said; "it will taste."

Then I had hesitated, and she, for fear I wouldn't do it and would make good coffee after all, had hastily added: "Oh, put it in if you want to. Here's another one; we've plenty of eggs, but" —and now the egg was irretrievably in—"remember that I told you not to do it."

The coffee did not cook very fast. There's a difference between a stove lid over a feeble, struggling coal fire, and the blazing heart of a cord of driftwood. My theory of coffee is that it should come to a boil in a hurry, but this remained calm, and threatened to simmer for an hour. However, I opened all the draughts, and then called Sam.

"Give it to him, Billy; hit him on the point of the jaw," he was muttering in his sleep. "Hello, Howdy; is it time to get up?"

I told him that it was, and added that some real old-fashioned coffee was awaiting him. Presently we three were seated at the breakfast table and ready to taste my stimulating decoction.

"Howdy made this himself," said Maude, as she lifted the coffeepot. "It is different from mine."

Yes, it was very different from hers; it was not like any I had ever seen before; but I was the architect of it, and I didn't propose to go back on it. When Maude started to pour it she found that the spout was plugged with about four ounces of egg, cooked to the consistency of tired mucilage. I took the coffeepot into the kitchen and removed this obstruction with the thing which we use to clean lamp chimneys. I tasted it, also, while I was out there, and was tempted to throw the whole business out of the window and call it an accident, but my pride withheld me. Sam was sure to like it for politeness' sake, and then I should have the laugh on Maude.

"This is the sort of coffee," said I, returning, "that puts new life into a man after he has lain four hours in a swamp waiting for ducks that have an engagement in some other part of the country."

Sam and Maude tasted it.

"You remember the coffee we had on Western island," I continued, "the morning when you dropped your shotgun overboard and we had to dive for it in ten feet of ice water? That's the sort of experience that teaches a man how to make coffee. I've never been satisfied with the mild, pale product of civilization since then."

"I told you not to put an egg in it," said Maude.

"Nonsense," I rejoined, cheerfully; "that gives it flavor. Of course," I continued, turning to Sam, "we don't get quite so good a quality of coffee here. When a fellow goes out into the wilderness he depends upon his coffee, and the storekeeper who sells it to him realizes his responsibility. He knows that if he puts up an inferior article, the hunter will return with a double-barreled gun full of duck shot and reason with him. You can't shoot a groceryman here in Brooklyn without exciting remark."

"I knew the egg would taste," said Maude.

"You don't know good coffee when you get it, my dear," said I. "Fill up Sam's cup and give me another. This is a treat we don't get every day."

"I told Howdy not to put in a whole egg," said Maude, "but he would do it."

"This has the real strength," said I. "You remember the coffee I made at the head of Dead river?"

"I made it at that time," said Sam, "and Johnny Brooks got the wood."

This savored of treason, but I could not believe that Sam would go back on me and make his old friend's whole

SO I AROSE EARLY AND BUILT A FIRE.

married life wretched for the sake of a little coffee.

"If you hadn't put that egg in"—Maude began.

"That gives it body and color," said I, stirring the muddy fluid. "I'll take another cup, my dear. I seldom drink more than two, but this reminds me of old times. Have some more, old boy. Don't be backward."

"Howdy," said Sam, with that solemn deliberation which marks his most important utterances, "your coffee tastes like an underdone ham omelet with gravy on it."

"There!" said Maude; "I told you not to put that egg into it."

So I was alone, and my old friend had turned against me; but I was not to be defeated so easily. I rallied at them. I told them that they had no appreciation of a good thing. I accused Sam of falsely aiding with a lady through a stupid and mistaken notion of chivalry.

"No," said Maude, "it's that egg. I told you—"

I would not let her proceed. I called for another cup of coffee; and so we finished the breakfast somehow, and Sam and I went to town. But the coffee began to take hold of me. It is always very trying to my nerves when taken in excess. I remembered too late that I had just put the same amount into the coffeepot that was considered a full dose for a party of six hunters, and that I had drank it almost all alone. My hand shook so by eleven o'clock that I couldn't put a cigar into my mouth without risk of poking it into my eye. We went over to the races in order to complete Sam's business in the city, and I was as nervous as if I had been losing my own money instead of Sam's.

That night as I lay staring up to the dim obscurity of the ceiling, counting a thousand or trying to remember an old dream, or using some other of the hundred tricks which are said to bring sleep and never do it, I heard a murmuring beside me, and a drowsy voice said: "It was the egg, Howdy; I told you—"

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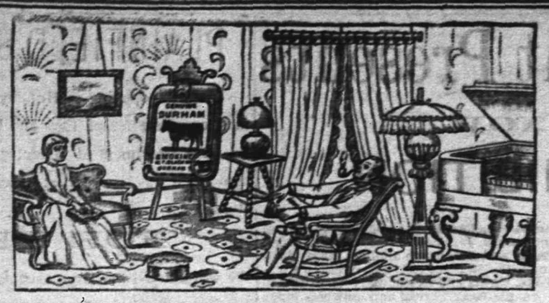

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For Philadelphia—1.05, 8.07, 7.55, 9.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.07 A. M.; 12.55, 1.20, 4.04, 5.05, 5.25, 6.54, 7.15, 9.30 P. M. Sundays at 1.05, 8.05, 9.05, 9.30, 10.05 A. M.; 5.40, 7.47 and 9.20 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7.20 A. M.; 2.34 and 5.25 P. M.

For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1.20 P. M.

For Flemington—7.20 A. M.; 2.34 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden via Trenton—7.20, 11.07 A. M. 1.20, 2.34, 7.49 P. M. Sundays at 10.41 A. M. and 7.47 P. M.

A full line of tickets are on sale, and sleeping car accommodations can be secured at the ticket office at Elizabeth.

For further information, see time tables to be had at the ticket offices.

CHARLES E. PUGH, General Manager.
J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass. Agent.

Central Railroad of New Jersey.

Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in Effect, NOV. 13, 1892

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 27, 5 33, 6 05, 6 29, 6 59, 7 20, 7 55, 8 55, 9 15, 9 37, 10 01, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 52, 1 02, 2 20, 3 12, 4 01, 5 15, 5 48, 5 57, 6 54, 7 09, 9 02, 9 28, 10 12, 11 26, P. M. Sunday—3 01, 8 02, 11 42, A. M. 12 38, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 9 22, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9 15, 10 00, 11 30, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4 50, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 28, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 45, 9 33, 10 04, 10 37, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 09, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 09, 9 02, 10 12, 11 26 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 02, 11 42, A. M. 12 38, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 9 22, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 5 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 55, 10 05, 11 35 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 32, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 36 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 15, 2 30, 4 10, 5 40, 8 05, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m., 12 37, 1 50, 3 25, 5 45, 6 05, 8 25, 8 54, 9 04, 9 30, 10 08, 11 37 P. M. Sundays—8 45, 9 28 A. M., 2 03, 6 30, P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 50, 7 05, 7 35, 7 55, 7 55, 8 25, 9 08, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 05, 3 05, 3 35, 4 50, 5 32, 6 35, 8 41, 9 45, 11 05, P. M. Sundays 9 25, 11 15 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 4 00, 5 40, 8 08, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 6 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 09, 5 20, 5 35, 8 30 P. M. Sundays—8 45, 9 28 A. M. 2 03, 6 30, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 39, 11 18 A. M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, 8 m 12 27, 5 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Mauch Chunk and Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 09 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 05 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

8 20 P. M. for Flemington.

8 28 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

9 50 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c. 2 03 p. m. Sundays to. High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 11 09, 8 m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 9 52, a. m., 5 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 8 38, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16, 5 57, 7 09 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 5 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 6 15, 6 29, 9 48, 10 46, a. m., 1 09, 3 04, 5 25, 6 25, 8 35, *9 37 p. m., 12 01 night. Sundays—9 46, 11 15 a. m., 2 09, 5 14, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 6 15, 9 29, 9 48, 10 46, a. m., 12 27, 1 09, 3 04, 5 25, 6 25, *9 37 p. m., 1 17 night, Sundays—9 46, 11 15 a. m., 2 09, 5 14, 6 55 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 3 14, 4 13, *6 30* (6 30* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night. Sundays—9 46 a. m., 2 16, 5 14, 5 14* (6 55 Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 30, 11 08, a. m., 1 50, 5 15*, 4, 6 15, 6 16, 8 02, 8 46, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 5 15, 6 15, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 20, 9 20, 11 14, a. m. 2 53*, 6 20, 8 18, 11 45, p. m. Sunday—3 56, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 3 53*, 6 20, 8 12*, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 50, 9 02, 10 12, 11 02, a. m. 2 09, 4 09*, 4 40, 5 54, 6 09, 7 05, 10 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 4 58, 10 27, 11 56 a. m., 4 16*, 5 13, 7 07, 8 09* p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked * change cars at Bound Brook.

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I take this method of informing my friends and the public in general that I am again in business at the old stand. I solicit your patronage. Will not be undersold by any in the business. Store will close at sundown on Friday, and open at sundown on Saturday night. 8 16 1

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Meat, Vegetable & Produce Market!
Also, a full line of Staple Groceries.
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Orders called for and goods delivered free of charge. 11-14-tf

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At short notice.
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Parlor Heaters, Horse Blankets, Skates,
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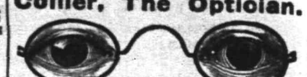
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This establishment is now open to the public, who are assured that no pains will be spared to serve them in a prompt and attentive manner with Tier's celebrated
Ice-Cream in Bricks, and Choice Confectionery,
Of their own manufacture.
Wedding parties supplied at short notice. Consult Tier for prices before leaving your orders for cream elsewhere. 5 tf

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A CARD.

We beg to call the attention of the public to the fact that Mr. Frank Linke, of Plainfield, N. J., is no longer served with our beer, and we request our patrons to send their orders in the future to Mr. William H. Cawley, of Somerville, N. J., who will give the same his prompt attention and supply them with our goods in fine condition.

BALLANTINE & CO.

Referring to the above card, I beg to add that I shall establish a bottling business in the city of Plainfield as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. In the meantime, I shall promptly deliver all orders sent to me.

WILLIAM. H. CAWLEY,
Somerville, N J.

12 13 1m-c 12 15 4

Another Card.

Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

FRANK LINKE'S WHOLESALE LIQUOR ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 43 West Front Street

A Great Christmas Special Spot Cash Sale

Every item actually reduced and plainly marked in bold figures. Our counters, windows and shelves fairly bristle with business, and all are well worth your close study and examination. The success of this sale is a compliment to our reputation, and proves beside that the public "know a good thing when they see it.

Best Leghorn citron	25c. lb.; 2 lbs. 45c	New soft shell almonds	1 lb. 25c
Best table raisins, layers in clusters	15c	New English walnuts	2 lbs. 25c
Fine table raisins (in clusters)	2 lbs. 25c	New mixed nuts	2 "
Best California raisins	4 "	New Holiday mince meat	3 "
Best currants	4 "	Oranges	from 15c. per dozen up
Choice new figs	2 "	Choice mixed candy	3 lbs. 25c
Best new golden dates	4 "		

Extra special inducements with tea and baking powders. Fine creamery butter 28c. lb. Don't fail to ask for one of our beautiful calendars.
Mail orders receive the same prompt attention as if you were here in person.
Store open evenings until 9 p. m.

United Tea and Coffee Growers' Assio'n.,
29 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

WE HAVE
Dent's Dress Gloves
In all the popular shades for gentlemen.
Hallock & Davis, 5 West Front St.
Hatters and Men and Boy's Fine Furnishings.
The largest stock of BOY'S SHIRT WAISTS in the city.

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Evening Dresses,
Evening Dress Suits
Kid Gloves and Kid
Slippers Cleaned.

HILLIER & CO'S.,
49 North Avenue.

SPECIAL HOLIDAY CARD.

My stock of candy for the Christmas season of 1892 will be the largest and the variety the greatest ever offered in Plainfield. I guarantee prices the lowest in the city.

C. K. Compton. 26 West Front St.

The one chance of a lifetime to secure a charming location for a Summer Home is at
MIZZEN PEAK, WATCHUNG MOUNTAIN,
Twenty minutes' drive from Bound Brook station, and one and one-quarter hours from New York via. Royal Blue Line. Every one who has visited the spot pronounces it without exception the THE MOST DESIRABLE RESORT OF THE WHOLE RANGE; more natural advantages than at any other point. Do not fail to see it; first buyers can procure lots at very reasonable prices.
Also have other mountain property for sale at various points, viz.: near Washington Rock, 35 acres, house and barn; plots back of Plainfield, west of Somerset st., and on Johnston drive.
J. T. VAIL, Real Estate and Insurance Broker, Dealer in Blue Stone Flagging, etc.,
49 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 11 1 tf

Lumber & Coal
LOOMIS & RICE
B'dway. 49 TELEPHONE 75 A

HE LOVED good bread, pie, and pastry, but his stomach was delicate. SHE LOVED to cook, but was tired and sick of the taste and smell of lard. She bought Cottolene, (the new shortening) and THEY LOVED more than ever, because she made better food, and he could eat it without any unpleasant after effect. Now THEY ARE HAPPY in having found the BEST, and most healthful shortening ever made—
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ALL THE LATEST STYLES IN
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AT THE MILLINERY PARLORS OF
Mrs. L. Adams,
5 East Front Street, Opposite Park Avenue.
Evening Bonnets a specialty. Ladies' own material made up.

BIRD'S CUSTARD POWDER.
AN ENGLISH SPECIALTY MAKES DELICIOUS CUSTARD Without Eggs.
A 25c. package will be sufficient to make four pints, which can either be served in dishes or from glasses.
A supply, fresh from England, has just been received by the LEADING GROCERS.
THE FOLLOWING ALL KEEP IT:
G. W. Rockfellow, Plainfield, N. J.
E. W. Rice & Co., " "
Fred W. Dunn, " "

THE NEXT MORNING I FEEL BRIGHT AND NEW AND MY COMPLEXION IS BETTER.
My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a splendid laxative. This drink is made from herbs, and is prepared for use as easily as tea. It is called
LAXA-LIVER MEDICINE
All druggists sell it at 25c. and 50c. packages. If you cannot get it, send your address for a free sample. Laxa-Liver Medicine moves the bowels each day in order to have health. Its action is mild. Address, CHARLES F. WOODWARD, Le Roy, N. Y.

Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.
Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,
41 East Sixth Street.
9 19 6m

Carty & Stryker

Opened their new store with a full line of first-class
Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables,
CHEAP FOR CASH,
Saturday, November 26, corner
CENTRAL AVE. AND SECOND STREET.
If you will kindly favor us with your order, it will receive prompt attention.
Don't forget the place, corner Central avenue and Second street. 11 23 tf

F. D. WHITING, Engineer,
Will contract for
House Heating by Steam or Hot Water.
Licensed to put in City Water.
Residence 24 East Fifth street. 10 21 y

The largest house for Painter's Supplies in the city.
MARSH, AYERS & CO.,
Successors to W. F. Adams, dealers in
Paints, Oils, Glass, Wall Paper, &c.,
No. 19 EAST FRONT STREET,
PLAINFIELD, N J

Estimates furnished. Work done promptly in a first-class manner.
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MR. BLAINE'S ILLNESS

Conflicting Stories Regarding His Condition.

NO IMMEDIATE DANGER OF DEATH.

At His Residence He is Reported "About the Same"—Joseph Manley Says the Reports Are Exaggerated—A Relative's Story is that the Ex-Secretary is Gradually Sinking.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Inquiry at Mr. Blaines' residence this morning elicits simply the response through an attendant that "Mr. Blaine's condition is about the same."

From another source it is learned that his condition is less favorable than it was yesterday. Although there is no danger, apparently, of an immediate fatal termination of his illness, there is no doubt that Mr. Blaine is a very sick man and his present condition excites the gravest fears.

It is in fact so serious that there is said to be only a possibility of his recovering sufficiently to admit of his removal to a milder climate.

A person qualified to speak by reason of relationship with the family says: "It is only within the past four days that Mr. Blaine's family have fully realized that the sands of his life are rapidly running out. As no period of his declining health for some time past has Mr. Blaine failed to appreciate that he was stricken with disease that must sooner or later terminate fatally, but with a splendid courage characteristic of the man, he has carefully guarded the secret from his family and carefully performed his duties public and private.

"Mr. Blaine's disease is of the kidneys. Those organs being the weakest, become congested whenever he takes cold. Mr. Blaine is at present suffering from a cold contracted out driving a few days ago. Throat and lungs are incidentally affected. That which alarms his family and friends most is that upon the occurrence of every relapse, such as the one from which he is now suffering, his vital powers show less and less recuperative energy.

"As a matter of fact, Mr. Blaine is growing weaker and weaker as the days go by. He is much emaciated as compared with his condition six days ago. Until quite recently he has not felt inclined to discuss the subject of death. Now he speaks upon that subject freely; is preparing for the end, and is becoming reconciled to the common lot of man.

"A loving father, the death of three children within a comparatively brief period has sorely stricken him, and his grief has hastened the progress of the malady with which he is afflicted."

MR. BLAINE'S HEALTH.

Joseph H. Manley Says the Reports Are Greatly Exaggerated.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Joseph H. Manley of Maine has returned from a visit to Washington. When asked about Mr. Blaine's health, he said the reports were unduly exaggerated and that the ex-Secretary was feeling first rate.

So far as the reports that he intended to join the Catholic Church were concerned, that, he said, was ridiculous.

A POINT FOR CORRIGAN.

Witnesses Examined All Against Vicar-General O'Connor for Judge.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 16.—Monsignor Doane and the Rev. Dr. Patrick F. McSweeney, of St. Bridget's Church, New York city, who were selected as referees to decide whether Vicar-General O'Connor is unfitted by prejudice to preside as judge of the ecclesiastical court which is to try the Rev. Patrick Corrigan, of Hoboken, met yesterday afternoon for that purpose in the rectory of St. Patrick's Cathedral.

The witnesses who were examined were to a man against Father O'Connor, and if Bishop Wigger takes any notice of the testimony he will have to appoint some other priest to act as the judge of the court.

The witnesses examined testified that they thought Father O'Connor was not competent to act as judge.

Congressional Contest.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Dec. 16.—Edwin Hallowell, Democrat, has served through the sheriff notice that he will contest the seat of Congressman-elect Irving P. Wanger, Republican. The grounds alleged for the contest are general in character, and to the effect that votes were counted for Wanger that should not have been so counted, etc. Wanger had a plurality of about 250 in the district.

Convict Escapes from Officers.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—James Stewart, a convict, serving a sentence of five years in the Eastern penitentiary for highway robbery, while being taken to court by Warden Cassidy and a keeper to receive an additional sentence for another robbery, made his escape from his custodians, and has not been captured.

Another Fatal Dualin Explosion.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Dec. 16.—While John Garise was preparing a blast he found the dualin frozen and took it to a fire to thaw it. Immediately there was an explosion and Garise was found 300 yards from the spot where the explosion occurred in a terribly mangled condition. He died while being taken to the hospital.

Appeal in Schultz's Case.

ALBANY, Dec. 16.—Gov. Flower has received a letter from Judge Moore, of Kings county, who sentenced the boy Schultz, who was to be electrocuted next week at Sing Sing, saying that notice of appeal had been served, which would have the effect of staying execution.

Mrs. Maybrick Out of Danger.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Mrs. Maybrick is reported to be well out of danger and the government has consequently withdrawn the permit for her mother, Baroness de Roques, to visit her.

South Carolina's Official Vote.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 16.—The official vote of South Carolina in the recent election for President is as follows: Cleveland, 54,696; Harrison, 13,384; Weaver, 2,410; Bidwell nothing.

Tragedian Townsend Dying.

HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 16.—John Townsend, the veteran tragedian, well known in the United States and Canada, is dying here of cancer of the liver.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.
Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

WORLD'S FAIR RAILROAD RATES.

No Further Reduction—Providing Facilities for Increased Traffic.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—George H. Daniels, of the New York Central, says that about 600,000 passengers will be carried to Chicago and back by Eastern trunk lines during the 240 days covering the time of the World's Fair and the transportation and removal of the exhibits.

When asked for an estimate D. I. Roberts, of the Erie, said that there would probably be an increase of their through traffic from local points, exclusive of the city of New York, of about 100,000 passengers, and says that he bases his estimate upon a careful computation proportioned to the population as given by the census of 1890.

In addition to this comes a very authoritative statement that no reduction in rates on regular trains will be made beyond that recently adopted by the presidents of the Eastern trunk lines. The reason given is that such an overwhelming amount of traffic would result that travel would be blocked.

As it is now, the sleeping car companies have been working double time for months past turning out new cars, for almost all the through passengers will want sleeping accommodations.

DEATH OF LEOPOLD MORSE.

The Ex-Congressman Stricken With an Epileptic Shock.

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—Ex-Congressman Leopold Morse called at the Hotel Vendome shortly before 6 o'clock to see Representative Hitt, who was attending the reception of the Boston Merchants' association.

While waiting in one of the outer rooms of the hotel, he had an epileptic shock.

His physician was called and just as the guests of the Merchants' association were filing into the dining hall he was removed to his house, nearly opposite, where he died within an hour.

Deceased was born in Bavaria 58 years ago and came to this country when 17 years old. He was the only Hebrew ever elected to Congress from New England and served as a Democratic representative in that body in 1868-72, 1876-78, 1880-82, 1884-86. At one time he was president of the Boston Post Publishing company.

THEIR SENTENCES SUSPENDED.

But if the Keely Treatment Fails They Must Do Time.

ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., Dec. 16.—Chief Justice Ross has just established a peculiar precedence here.

He sentenced two prisoners to jail for two months and added a fine to each for habitual drunkenness.

The prisoners said they were anxious to undergo Keeley treatment and that if the sentences and fines were suspended their friends would help them.

The judge let them go under suspension with the understanding that if they failed to take the treatment or the treatment failed to work, they should serve their sentence.

Surveying for New Railroads.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., Dec. 16. — Three separate groups of surveyors are in Delaware, Broome and adjacent counties of New York surveying three different railroad routes from the Albany section to the coal fields of Pennsylvania. One corps is now between the State line and Gulf Summit, Broome county, six miles from here. It is rumored that the Erie is interested in one of the three proposed routes.

A Female Convict's Attempt at Suicide.

WOODBURY, N. J., Dec. 15. — Annie Myers, the notorious woman burglar, who was sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the county jail, made a sensational attempt to end her life yesterday by setting fire to the mattress in her cell. The flames were discovered in time to prevent the destruction of the building. The woman is so horribly burned that her recovery is doubtful.

Republican Senatorial Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The Republican Senatorial caucus to consider a programme to be followed in regard to prospective Senatorial contests in several Western States, adopted a resolution of Senator Hawley's of Connecticut, that a committee of five Senators be appointed to take into consideration the wisdom and propriety of Senatorial interference in these contests.

Yale Faculty Takes No Action.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 16.—The Yale faculty was unable to dispose of the cases of the "rioting" freshmen at a special meeting of the governing board yesterday. A number of the suspected students were examined, but no vote was taken in regard to the disposal of any of the cases. Another meeting will be called in a few days.

The Loss of Gold.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Treasury officials disavow any feeling of anxiety over the recent heavy shipments of gold amounting to over five million dollars during the present month. They show a strong disinclination to discuss the matter and it is evident that they are not pleased with the situation.

A Case of December and May.

WINCHESTER, Pa., Dec. 16.—Nathan Fawcett, aged 85, a wealthy farmer of Birmingham, was married yesterday in Wilmington, Del., to Miss Sadie Sharp of Westchester, aged 20. The friends of both parties are greatly surprised at the marriage was unexpected.

Pennsylvania State Grange Officers.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 16.—At the session of the Pennsylvania State Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, Leonard H. Rhone was re-elected worthy master; Robt. H. Thomas, secretary; Wm. Vocum, Berks county, treasury; Wm. McHenry, Indiana county, overseer.

HILL FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

The Senator and the President-Elect Both Deny the Story.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—It is said that Senator Hill has been tendered the portfolio of State by President-elect Cleveland. This is following the custom to give to the leading opponent the portfolio.

United States Senator Hill was approached while in New York by a close friend of the President-elect. As a result Mr. Cleveland met Mr. Hill later on in Baltimore, where all differences were healed and the President-elect in person tendered the Senator the Secretaryship of State.

This would result in the following changes in New York State: Gov. Flower and Hon. Edward Murphy, jr., will both be sent to the United States Senate, placing Lieut.-Gov. Sheehan in the Governor's chair.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—President-elect Grover Cleveland was apparently up to his eyes in business when a reporter called to ascertain the truth of the announcement that Senator David B. Hill had been tendered the portfolio of Secretary of State.

He sent down word that he was too busy to be seen and refused absolutely to grant the reporter a personal interview. In answer, however, to the paragraph announcing the selection of Mr. Hill as premier of Mr. Cleveland's Cabinet, the President-elect sent the following note:

"So far as I know, not a single word of truth in the stuff."

Senator Hill Denies.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Senator Hill's attention being called to the Washington despatch, he at first declined to discuss the matter, but finally consented to state that he had not been tendered a Cabinet position by Mr. Cleveland, and did not expect to be tendered one.

THE MINERSVILLE EXPLOSION.

Four Are Dead—Five Hundred Pounds of Dynamite Exploded.

HAZLETON, Pa., Dec. 16.—Dominick Walker, who was injured in Wednesday's explosion at Minersville, has since died at the hospital here. Mike Martin, the other injured man, is also dead.

Contractor Thomas Walker, who was reported killed, was not in the building. The name of the man identified as Walker is James Defrane.

Following is a corrected list of the dead:
JAMES DEFRANE, aged 24, lived at Lattimere.
DOMINICK WALKER, 23 years, married, Lattimere.
MIKE FARREN, 28 years, single, Hollywood.
MIKE MARINE, 24 years, Harleigh.
Wm. Walker, the contractor says that it was customary to place the dualin about the forge preparatory to firing a blast and that from five to ten boxes of this high explosive was usually near by.
In all 500 pounds of dynamite went off.

SENATOR GIBSON DEAD.

He Passes Painlessly Away at Hot Springs—Funeral at Lexington, Ky.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 16.—After a lingering but apparently painless illness, Senator R. L. Gibson died at 3:10 p. m. At the time of his death he was surrounded by the members of his family and several close friends. Senator Gibson passed away as though he had merely gone to sleep.

He had been confined to his bed here since the 12th of November, since which time his death has been expected daily.

In accordance with his wishes, his remains will be buried in Lexington, Ky., by the side of his wife, who died some years ago. The funeral train bearing his remains will leave here for Lexington today.

Another Vein of Coal Discovered.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., Dec. 16.—In addition to the discovery of a six-foot vein of coal at Herrick, Susquehanna county, Pa., extending the Lackawanna and Susquehanna fields westward, it is reported that a four-foot vein has been discovered at the State line, five miles from here on the Delaware & Hudson road at the point dividing the States of Pennsylvania and New York. Albany and Scranton capitalists will combine to prospect at this point.

White Caps in Rockl and County, N. Y.

NYACK, N. Y., Dec. 16.—The inhabitants of the upper part of Rockland county are much excited over an act of prompt, if irregular justice, administered by six White Caps. These men, wearing white caps and otherwise well disguised, seized, gagged, and severely beat a man of the name of Whell for beating his daughter without cause. They then disappeared.

Must Not Dodge Responsibility.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The House has placed the bill making it unlawful for any common carrier to insert in any bill of lading or shipping document any clause, whereby it shall be relieved from liability for loss or damage arising from negligence, fault or failure in proper loading, stowage, custody, care in transport or proper delivery of any merchandise committed to its care.

Beatty in Jail at Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 16.—Robert Beatty, who is alleged to be implicated in the Homestead poisoning cases, on his arrival here from Louisville in charge of a detective, was confronted with an additional charge of felonious assault, and committed to jail in $5,000 bail.

Married a Fourteen-Year-Old Girl.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 16.—Hattie May Barnum, a 14-year-old girl, was married yesterday to James Halder, by Rev. Dr. Damon, the "Marrying Parson." Two hours after the wedding, the girl's mother appeared and placed her in the Home of the Good Shepherd.

MRS. BRADFORD'S LUCK

An Astoria Young Woman Falls Heir to a Fortune.

SHE HAS BEEN LIVING IN POVERTY.

Her Uncle, Who Owned Several Millions Worth of Mining Property Near Creede, Col., Has Left His Possessions to Her—He Left Springfield, Mass., 15 Years Ago

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Aladdin's lamp is regarded with disdain by Mrs. Florence Bradford of No. 648 Barto street, Astoria, L. I., since she yesterday received a letter from Attorney George E. Sill of Hartford, Conn., informing her that she had inherited an estate that will, it is said, amount to $2,300,000, or even much more. The heiress is a very pretty young woman, who has been married about fifteen months, and she had only heard of the existence of the man who has left her this money when her family had discussed the "black sheep" of the flock in their New England home.

He left their home in Springfield, Mass., 15 years ago when "Flossie" was a little girl of 7 years, but she rembered her big, good-natured uncle who used to tell her about the fortune he was going to make and leave to her. His name was James G. Cummings and he ultimately took up his residence in Denver.

There he made money by dealing in real estate and in placing loans at high rates of interest for Eastern capitalists.

When the great gold and silver strikes were made at Creede, Col., last spring he went there and invested his money. Every claim he bought or took an interest in "hit it rich," and in a few months his mining property there, despite the low price of silver, was quoted at the very highest notch in the Western mining stock exchanges.

The most widely known were the "Florence" and "Sinclair" mines.

Sinclair is the maiden name of Mrs. Bradford, and the fact that the family name and her Christian name were used in naming these great fountains of bullion makes her certain that she is the heiress.

It was only yesterday that ex-Assistant District-Attorney Sill received the papers in the case from Denver.

They said that Cummings had been offered $2,500,000 for his interest by an English syndicate, and he expressed his belief at the time that his holdings were worth fully four times that amount.

Mrs. Bradford's husband comes from the South, and they are not well-off. She has worked most of the days of her married life in a corset manufactory in 23d street.

When seen at her home in Astoria last night she did not seem at all moved by the news of the change in her condition, and simply said: "If the money belongs to me I can spend it." Her husband said: "We will not sell any of the property. If these mines are worth $2,500,000 to investors they are worth twice as much to us."

PRESIDENT SMITH VINDICATED.

Frank McDermitt Pleads Guilty to Indictments for Criminal Libel.

RAHWAY, N. J., Dec. 16.—Frank M. McDermitt surprised everybody in the Court of Common Pleas by pleading guilty to six indictments for criminal libel against the Board of Public Works, of this city.

McDermitt claimed that he had evidence which showed that James Smith, jr., president of the board, and candidate for United States Senator, had secured $250,000 for securing the payment of $6,000,000 to the East Jersey Water company for its supply to the city before the work had been completed.

This is a complete vindication for Mr. Smith.

Father and Three Children Missing.

PATERSON, N. J., Dec. 16.—George Mather, a cigar store keeper, of 41 Market street, and his three children are missing from home. A month ago Mather informed his wife that he was going to Passaic to attend a concert and wanted his three children to go with him. They all departed, since when nothing has been heard of them.

Her Divorce Suit Dismissed.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The suit of Lady Abdy, wife of Sir William Neville Abdy, for seperation from her husband on the ground of his adultery with Madame Benitez, has been dismissed as it was proved that Madame Benitez had not ever even seen Neville. It was shown that Lady Abdy was mentally irresponsible.

Conferred With the President.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Assistant Secretary Spaulding, of the Treasury Department, was in conference with President Harrison in regard to immigration, including the question of the proposed reduction of the force engaged in that service necessitated by the low state of the emigrant fund.

Mrs. Murphy's Arrest Reported.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—A report was received here that Mrs. Annie Murphy, alias Miss McRae, who is accused of having forged numerous drafts purporting to be drawn by the Tacoma National Bank of Commerce on the Chase National Bank of New York city, is under arrest at Huntsville, Ala.

Franklin Vessey's Will.

EXETER, N. H., Dec. 16.—The self-written will of the late Franklin Vessey directs that not more than $6 be expended on his funeral outfit, and that all the other expenses be in proportion. Expensive funerals, he says, are inimical to genuine philanthropy.

An Equestrian Statue of Gen. Hancock.

SANDWICH, Mass., Dec. 16.—F. Edwin Elwell, the sculptor, has been awarded the contract for an equestrian statue of Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock, to be erected on the battlefield of Gettysburg, for which he will receive $32,000.

For American Registry.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Senator Quay introduced a bill in the Senate to provide an American registry for the steamer Oceanic of Philadelphia. The vessel is owned by the Hart Steamship Company.

Four Prisoners Escape.

NASHVILLE, Dec. 16.—News comes from Gallatin that at Scottsville, Allen county, Kan., the jail was broken during the night and four prisoners escaped.

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No Ammonia. No Alum.
BAKING POWDER
A pure cream of tartar powder.
Used in the U. S. Army and by teachers of cookery.
Cleveland's is the standard, it never varies, it does the most work, the best work and is perfectly wholesome.
But your own experience is better than anybody's "say so," and your own experience will show you that Cleveland's baking powder is the strongest and the best. Try it.

CRISP TO ANDERSON.

The Latter Says He and the Speaker Are Satisfied, But Will Say No More.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—E. Ellery Anderson, president of the Reform Club, has received from Speaker Crisp of the House of Representatives, a reply to his letter of two days ago.

Mr. Anderson declined to make the letter's contents public, nor would he say what his recent letter to Mr. Crisp had contained.

"Was Mr. Crisp's letter friendly?"

"I could not answer that without disclosing its contents. I will say, however, that both Mr. Crisp and I are satisfied, and that the public ought also to be satisfied and allow us some respite from its continuous round of inquiries."

Presidential Nominations.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The President, among other nominations, sent to the Senate those of Charles Orr to be pension agent at Buffalo; Frank Emmons to be postmaster at Manlius, N. Y., and Augusta Berard at West Point, N. Y.

The Mayor of St. Louis Loses His Father.

READING, Pa., Dec. 16.—Martin Noonan, a well known citizen of Reading, father of Mayor Noonan, of St. Louis, is dead here, aged 75 years.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—The whiskey trust has again raised the price of whiskey five cents a gallon.

—The Henry W. Grady Confederate Soldiers' Home has not been accepted by the Georgia Legislature, and will probably revert to the donors.

—Mrs. Jennie Eacims, keeper of a boarding house in Union Park, a suburb of St. Paul, Minn., her 7-year-old son and 5-year-old daughter were burned to death last night.

—Albert M. Lasrom, a prominent lawyer, of Effingham, Ill., and Henry R. Harris, of Reelfoot, Tenn., visiting in St. Louis, Mo., have mysteriously disappeared, and foul play is suspected.

—The inquest into the murder of Archie Cammell at Port Arthur, Ont., points to the guilt of James Rowe, brother-in-law of the deceased.

—The Board of Pardons will not take any action in the case of the Jersey City ballot box stuffers until Tuesday or Wednesday of next week.

—The short term, Order of the Shield was wound up in Providence, R. I., by payment of $1 for $100.

—Katharine Donahue, 19, and Della Barry, 20, were struck by a train at Boston and the former was killed.

—Andrew Tiernan and Phillip Bernke, Italian railroad laborers, were killed by an explosion of dynamite in Lynn, Mass.

—Thomas E. Harvey, 52, a member of the Veteran Legion and Knights of Pythias, is mysteriously missing from his home in Baltimore, Md.

—United States Commissioner Henry L. Hallett died at his home in Dorchester, Mass., yesterday.

—The negro who assaulted Emma O'Brien, aged 16, of Nashville, Tenn., was caught, hanged and cremated near the scene of his crime.

—Owing to the crowded condition of Sing Sing prison, State Superintendent Lathrop has ordered the removal of 50 prisoners to Clinton prison.

—Gen. I. N. Stiles of Chicago, who won his title at the battle of Franklin, Tenn., has become a mental and a physical wreck. He is totally blind.

—A dynamite scare has been caused in Cadiz, Spain, by the finding of eight bombs in a sewer.

—Barney O. Champaugh, 60, of Broadalbin, N. Y., had a tussel with a cow while trying to kill it. He cut its throat and then fell dead.

—O. A. Skinner, son-in-law of ex-Secretary of the interior Browning under President Johnson, is under arrest in Syracuse, N. Y., charged with forging a check on a bank. He has run through a fortune of $250,000.

—The Supreme Council of the American Order of Steam Engineers has been incorporated, to establish schools in which members may study the highest branches of steam engineering, for the mutual benefit of the members, and to have the license laws extended throughout the United States.

—The Senate Commerce Committee has ordered a favorable report on the Frye bill to protect our coasting trade by prohibiting foreign vessels to transport merchandise from one United States port to another United States port via any foreign port.

A Postmaster Under Arrest.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 16.—Isaac Tillinghast, for ten years postmaster at La Plume, is under arrest charged with making false returns of business of the postoffice, having a deficiency in the postal note and registry business; the misappropriation of $300 and depositing government funds in other than a national bank.

Will Likely be Tried for Heresy.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 16.—Rev. W. J. McCrory, the late pastor of the Oak Grove Presbyterian Church, whose church doctrines have caused him to ask for a release from the denomination and from the Allegheny Presbytery, will likely figure prominently in a heresy trial before the matter is settled.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Forecast Till 8 P. M. Saturday: For Northern New Jersey, Fair To-Day, Followed by Rain or Snow Saturday; Stationary Temperature; Winds Becoming Northeasterly.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A

—Breezy

—Time at

—Music Hall

—This evening.

—Get a "baby grand" of Hulett.

—See perpetual motion in Allen's show window.

—Gold pens and pencils for holiday gifts are sold by Estil.

—Get your bonbons for the holidays from Tier's fresh assortment.

—The women all buy their Christmas finery and fancy work at Peck's.

—That Rahway murder mystery story of yesterday proves to be a fake.

—Rogers's bicycle census to noon to-day: Wheels, 1,018; riders, 1,348.

—The choicest line of books and fine stationery is at Estil's, 9 Park avenue.

—Organs and pianos are sold on best terms by Hulett, 74 West Front street.

—Music and musical instruments for holiday gifts are sold by F. M. Hulett.

—Japanese goods and other Christmas novelties are kept in stock by Estil, 9 Park avenue.

—You can get a pound of dairy butter for 28 cents at Carty & Stryker's, Central avenue and Second street.

—The C. Y. M. L. will bowl against the Arthur Kulls at Elizabeth this evening, a game in the *Journal* trophy tournament.

—Great Christmas special spot cash sale of nuts, oranges, dried fruits, etc., now going on at the United Tea and Coffee Growers' association.

—350 tickets have already been sold for the amateur theatricals at The Casino, Thursday evening, the 29th inst. They may be obtained at Reynolds's and the Central pharmacies.

—"Beacon Lights of History" is a work at once delightful and educational. It is a choice and substantial Christmas gift, obtainable only by subscription of Walter I. Clarke, 3 North avenue.

—Have you been in J. F. MacDonald's since he has changed his counters and made so much more room in front to show goods? If not, drop in and look around; it will cost you nothing.

—Take your children to VanEmburgh & Son's show window, Front street, opposite Park avenue, and let them enjoy the sight of that window filled with dolls. Then step inside and complete their happiness by buying one or a dozen at only 15 cents each.

—Sherwin the shoe man rings them up, with a special holiday sale on ladies' house slippers at 98 cents, his regular $1.25 and $1 50 qualities, handsome, warm and comfortable. And have you seen the ladies' over-gaiters at 43 cents? You may have paid 75 for ones no better.

—"A Breezy Time" is one of the most effective farce comedies on tour this season. It is diverting without being inane, and has a slight story to which to fasten the various specialty performers; and it has the advantage of having as the principals of the cast E. B. Fitz and Kathryn Webster.

—Sheet music given away at Allen's, three thousand different pieces, to holiday customers, one copy with each and every dollar purchase, or handsome souvenir World's Fair photographic views with dollar purchase and above in addition to crayon portrait free, guaranteed excellent, when purchases come to ten dollars, punched from card.

—"A Breezy Time" has been described by western critics as "a scream in three to fours". Translated into eastern English, that means that the piece is a successful farce comedy in three acts. It is promised by the management that "A Breezy Time" is inherently funny, that it is illustrated by a cast of exceptional abilities, and that the scenery and costumes will be such as to catch and please the eye.

Three of the Braves Hail from Plainfield.

At the Y. M. C. A. encampment last summer, at Wanamassa, a company was formed called the "Wanamassa Braves". This tribe of Indians was the life of the camp, and afforded much amusement to the visitors in the entertainment which they gave.

It has now been proposed to celebrate the formation of this organization, by a grand dinner of all the braves in New York city, the evening of Dec. 29. The organization is a permanent one, and includes many prominent Y. M. C. A. men in this State and elsewhere.

The Rev. H. E. Cleland of New York city is secretary. Plainfield has three members, Dr. Probasco's two sons and Charles Brown.

Hurt His Leg But Spared His Wheel.

A Plainfield cycler was run over last Sunday on Westfield avenue near Roselle by an Elizabeth real-estate dealer by the nome of Scott. The latter, strange to say, did not run away, but turned his buggy round, took in the unfortunate victim, brought him home, gave him his name and address, and asked to be informed if he ever could do anything for him.

It is hard to say whose fault it was. The driver was coming along at a pretty rapid gait behind the rider. The former yelled a warning which scared the latter, and then both turned the same way. The horse and buggy went completely over the cycler and his machine. The bicycle was not injured, however, but the wheelman is yet abed with a sore leg which may be stiff as long as he lives.

MRS. BARTLETT AND HER DOG.

She Was Ignorant of the Fact that the Plainfield Law Compels Muzzling of Canines the Year Round, and Will Complain to the Mayor of Frisbie's Methods.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I trust you will kindly correct the erroneous and uncomplimentary statement which appeared in your last issue, regarding the public outrage inflicted upon me yesterday by a local dog-catcher. I am a stranger in your community, having only recently become a property-holder and a resident of Plainfield; naturally, I am unfamiliar with the town ordinances, consequently the shameful experience of yesterday, is certainly not creditable to your public officials. The occurrence was an unwarranted assumption of petty authority, and should not be permitted to occur again. An uncreditable condition of affairs exists when a lady cannot quietly and safely walk along the streets here without being grossly insulted and imposed upon.

The facts of this embarrassing and unpleasant affair briefly stated are these: I fortunately, or as it appears unfortunately, own two little pet dogs, a black and tan, and a Scotch terrier, both finely bred. I was giving them some exercise yesterday afternoon, and was passing along Park avenue, when I was addressed by a colored man, asking me if a Mongrel dog near by with my two dogs, was mine. I answered No, surprised at the question. He then informed me to beware of the dog-catchers. This hint did not open my eyes to the fact that I was a law-breaker, and I unsuspiciously walked along a short distance, when one of my dogs was picked up by this colored man's assistant. Even then I did not know their object, and thought them two thieves, for they acted in an underhanded and suspicious manner. I struggled to regain my dog, and demanded his return. A crowd at once surrounded me, but no one offered any assistance. I was finally told that these colored individuals were the dog-catchers. I demanded to see their authority, which they did not show me until they were forced to and only after they had made this public exhibition of me. I was obliged to yield as any law-abiding citizen would. I explained my position to them in vain. I was compelled to follow them some distance, as I supposed to the police station, but instead went to a barn, where I was coolly informed that I would have to wait until evening, before I could get possession of my dog. The dog was finally returned to my house, the man making profuse apologies. I saw the chief of police this morning, and he strongly advised me to have an interview with the mayor this evening, which I shall do. I wish to ascertain if this is a specimen of the manner in which the laws are enforced here. In justice to myself, I did not offer to strike this man, nor did I use unladylike or vituperative language. I did indignantly protest against this unwarranted outrage. I trust you will give my grievance a place in your columns, as I doubt not there may be others who like me have met with a similar mishap, through this same individual, who should be taught how to perform his duty and also wear his badge of authority conspicuously.

MRS. ABNER BARTLETT, JR.
141 Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Anne J. Cox will leave Plainfield in a few days for an absence of some time.

Annie Mattox, wife of Louis S. Mattox, died at her home, Plainfield avenue, this afternoon, of consumption. She leaves a husband and three children.

An evening sociable will be given at the home of Bertha Fisher, 59 Jackson avenue, North Plainfield, this evening. The committee is composed of H. W. Crawford and W. A. Crawford.

Mrs. Dexter Tiffany and Dr. H. P. Reynolds are among the members of the board of managers chosen by the State Charities' Aid society at their annual meeting in Newark, Wednesday.

The Rev. Mr. Martine, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Dunellen, will preach at the Seventh-day Baptist church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all strangers.

THE PRESS is glad to be able to inform the people that the great pressure brought to bear on Chas. B. Brown to induce him to withdraw his resignation as assistant pastor of Dr. Yerxes's church, may result successfully.

Pundita Ramabai, the accomplished Hindoo woman, who is well remembered in this city, and in aid of whom a circle has been formed in Plainfield, has formed a club of King's Daughters among her pupils in India. She has translated into Maratti the four mottoes: "Look up and not down", "Look forward and not back", "Look out and not in", and "Lend a hand".

James Edward Dunham, son of Charles C. Dunham, formerly of Plainfield and now of Bound Brook, died yesterday afternoon at 1:15, of inflammation of the brain, following severe rheumatism. He was 21 years of age on election day. He was taken sick Friday. His mother is a sister of Mrs. Carmon Parse of North Plainfield. Funeral services will be held on Monday.

Miss Fannie Rafferty, of Park avenue, was pleasantly surprised by a party of friends who drove up from Elizabeth last night and spent the evening at her home in dancing and other merry making. Among the visitors were: Lawyer Dunn, son of Congressman Dunn, and Miss Dunn; Mr. and Mrs. Burns and the Misses Haley, McMahon, Burns, Smith, and Kittie and Agnes Meehan; and Messrs. Wyckoff, Collins, Davis, and Macklin; Daley and Davis of New Brunswick, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kenney and T. Hughes, of Plainfield.

Choral Society Postponement.

Owing to circumstances over which the Choral society has no control, the orchestral rehearsal of the society at Chickering Hall is postponed from Saturday to Monday at 10.

—Hulett's piano warerooms are a busy scene, with the rush of holiday trade.

SOME RARE GOOD MUSIC.

What Will Be Sung and Played at the First Philharmonic.

The programme for the first subscription concert of the New York Philharmonic club, at the Casino Dec. 22, will be as follows:

PART FIRST.

Sextet, No. 2.....Heinrich Hofmann
Allegro. Andante.
(Composed for and dedicated to the Philharmonic Club)
Violin Solo, 2d Polonaise. Op. 21, H. Wieniawski
Mr. Johannes Miersh.
Aria, from "L'Allegro, Il Pensieroso, ed Il Moderato" "Sweet Bird, that Shun'st the Noise of Folly". G. Handel
Miss Emma Juch.
(Flute Obligato Mr. Eugene Weiner.)
a. Canzonetta.....B. Godard
b. Minuet.....
c. Serenade.....
New York Philharmonic Club.

PART SECOND.

Quartet, Op. 18, No. 5.....L. von Beethoven
a. Allegro. b. Maguetto.
c. Andante Cantabile (variations)
Two Violins, Viola and Violoncello.
Violoncello Solo.....
a. Nocturne, Op. 9, No. 2.....Fr. Chopin
b. Papillon (Butterfly).....D. Popper
Mr. Paul Miersch.
a. "Du bist wie eine Blume". (Thou'rt like unto a Flower).....A. Rubinstein
b. Les Filles de Cadix. (The Maids of Cadiz). Leo Delibes
Miss Emma Juch.
Slavonic Dance, No. 6.....A. Dvorak
New York Philharmonic Club.

—"A Breezy Time" to-night at Music Hall.

OPERATION OF TRANSFUSION.

Fresh Beef's Blood to Prolong a Consumptive's Life.

The operation of transfusion of blood was performed in this city yesterday in an effort to save the life of Ida, daughter of Samuel Frazee. The poor girl is 19 and very ill with hasty consumption. She has greatly wasted away, and had so little blood left in her veins that it was decided to fill them with fresh life-fluid from newly-killed beef. A jar full of the warm healthy blood was caught from the throat of a giant steer in a slaughter-house in New York, and two local physicians, Drs. Tomlinson and Hedges, successfully transfused the blood into the patient's veins. The operation may prolong the sufferer's life, but it is hardly hoped to save it, as the disease has progressed so rapidly and so far.

MISS BOUCHER INJURED.

Three Ribs and an Arm Fractured in a Runaway Accident.

Miss Emma Boucher, of the "Homestead" at Fanwood, had a narrow escape from death in a runaway accident Wednesday. She was alone in the carriage with her coachman, who lost control of the horse through the animal getting its tail over the lines. Finding itself master of the situation, the horse galloped furiously down the highway, finally crashing into a tree by the roadside. The collision wrecked the vehicle, and hurled Miss Boucher violently to the ground. An arm and three ribs were fractured, and she sustained many painful bruises as well. She is very ill at her home, and will recover slowly.

MISS CORLIES AND MISS VAN BOSKERCK AS VENEERED SAVAGES.

Full Cast of the Comedies to be Played by the Younger Amateurs at the Casino.

The plays to be given by the younger element among the aspiring amateur thespians of this city, in the Casino, Thursday evening, the 29th inst., are "The Duchess of Dublin" and "The Veneered Savages", with casts as follows:

THE DUCHESS OF DUBLIN.
A Farce in One Act.

Dr. Adam Aconite, a young physician, William W. Runyon
Frank Friskey.....Edward F. Bloodgood
Oliver Oldbuck, rich and gouty, Thos. R. VanBoskerck
Silas Sharpset, a speculator, Laurens H. VanBuren
Dennis Doolan, a widower, Howard Huntington
Peter Plumpface, with a bad cough, John P. Munn
Annie Aconite, the doctor's sister, Miss E. Massett
Lucy Linden, a milliner, Miss Frances B. Hawley
Miss Abigail Allove, an autograph hunter, Miss Jessame Harte
Maggie Mullen, the Duchess of Dublin, Miss Florence Huntington

THE VENEERED SAVAGE.

Miss Dayton, a Chicago belle.....Miss Corlies
"Madge," her younger sister, Miss Maud VanBoskerck
Dick Majendie, their cousin..Clarence Murphy
The Duchess of Diddlesex, Miss Catherine Stewart
Lady Fanny, her daughter, a silent young person.....Mrs. Lewis Timpson
Lord Algernon Penryhn, her son, a still more silent young person.....O. G. Waring

Reform at the Borough School.

THE PRESS has repeatedly protested against the spreading of crushed stone on the school yard playgrounds. The North Plainfield board did the proper thing in ordering the stone taken off the Somerset street school yard. The work of removal was accomplished yesterday.

A sensible woman will not fail to keep a bottle of Salvation Oil on hand for cuts and bruises. It is unrivaled. 25c.

Taken in time, even Consumption yields to the wonderful effects of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It won't make new lungs—but it will cure diseased ones healthy when nothing else will. There's reason for it, too. Consumption is Lung-scrofula. For every form of scrofula, and all blood-taints, the "Discovery" is a positive cure. It's the most potent blood-purifier, blood-cleanser, and flesh-builder known to medical science. For Weak Lungs, Spitting of Blood, Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, and all lingering Coughs, it's an unequaled remedy. It's a guaranteed cure.

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PARTING WITH THEIR PASTOR.

A New Market Man Joins the Ecclesiastical Exodus.

(Dunellen Weekly Call.)

The resignation of the Rev. J. A. Cubberley as pastor of the First Baptist church of New Market, was formally accepted last Sunday and the following resolutions adopted by the church:

To the Church Assembled:

Your Committee on consideration and conferment submit the following:

WHEREAS, Our pastor, the Rev. James A. Cubberley, has received a call from the Memorial Baptist church of Toledo, Ohio, and for the purpose of accepting the same has tendered his resignation as pastor of the New Market Baptist church, and

WHEREAS, He feels that his work, his Gospel seed-sowing with us, has been or will be accomplished at the expiration of the eight years of his labors here, and

WHEREAS, We all realize that none but a selfish interest would prompt us to retain him, when it may be that a much broader field, with nobler opportunities, is open to him, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we accept the resignation, which severs our relations as pastor and people, with feelings of heartfelt sadness,

Resolved, That the eight years of most faithful service rendered to this people by him and his companion (Mrs. Cubberley) have been greatly blessed and that some of our sons and daughters have been led by them, as we trust, into the way that leads to everlasting life and some others reclaimed,

Resolved, That for his ministrations, our kindest wishes ever attend him and that our prayer be that the truth, so faithfully proclaimed, find a lodgment in hearts that have not heretofore yielded to the invitations of the Gospel and that they be as stars in the crown of his rejoicing, and finally that it be our earnest desire that he may have a bright future of active usefulness in his chosen field of labor and that we may at last unite with all the truly faithful in sweeter songs of redemption, in the bright hereafter.

NELSON BLACKFORD,
EUGENE BURTON,
LEWIS D. WALKER,
JOHN M. DAYTON,
Committee.

The New Band Makes a Hit.

The Citizens' Cornet band were highly successful with their first annual ball in Saengerbund hall last night. The attendance was good, and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the event. Frank Hand was the capable floor manager, and was cleverly assisted by William Force and D. Kenney. Edwin Uren and Peter Hanson were the stylish reception committee, and Charles L. Hewitt kept everything in perfect order in the coat room. O'Reilly's music inspired the dancing.

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Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bragg, W. M.
D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 186, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis B. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 6 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,076. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Tilsworth, 68 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. B. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kletnecke Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Exeter Lodge, No. 6,543, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
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THE S. A. AUXILIARY LEAGUE.

Not Wholly Indorsing the Necessity of All the Salvation Army Methods but Supporting the Work of the Slum, Rescue and Shelter Departments.

The "Auxiliary League" of the Salvation Army held its first public meeting in Plainfield at the Young Men's Christian association rooms last night. A large number of invitations were issued to the friends of the league and the rooms were full. The purpose of the meeting was that the people might more fully understand the work of the army, especially in what are known as its slum, rescue and shelter departments, and these were explained and described by the officers engaged in them.

The names of these several departments indicate quite plainly their character, and it is not difficult for anyone to understand that slum work relates to the visiting the slums and helping those found there in every way possible; that rescue work means rescuing the fallen and providing homes and assistance for girls and women who have so few to care for them, and that shelter work is the new effort which the army has made for the homeless and friendless ones of both sexes, where food and lodging can be obtained at lowest cost.

These definitions are obvious, but it needed the thrilling recitals of the officers who were present last night for one to realize how truly great a work they are doing; and no one present could feel otherwise than that this work is carried on in the most practical way for the saving and blessing of the poor and lost. At the close of the meeting an appeal was made for new auxiliary members and ten new members were secured, placing Plainfield again in the lead as containing the largest number of auxiliaries of any other place except possibly New York.

The Auxiliary League is composed of those who while not wholly endorsing of necessity all the methods of the army, still support it in its efforts and its work and contribute $5 yearly to its treasury. The officers present last evening besides Capt. March who has charge of the Plainfield corps, were Mrs. Major Perry formerly of Sweden and Denmark, ensign Aldred attached to the Shelter work for men at Bedford and Downing streets, New York, Capt. Palmer assisting in the Rescue Home, New York, and ensign Marshall at the head of the Auxiliary League department.

During the evening a collection was taken in aid of the Slum work, as it was hinted that the Shelter needed some flour very badly, some friends undertook to supply that need at once.

—Allen's Christmas stock eclipses all. They undersell.

NEW ROAD TO PLAINFIELD.

New Brunswick Delighted at the Prospect of Macadamized Connection.

The New Brunswick *Home News* says: The Middlesex board of freeholders are calling for proposals for a macadam road, beginning at Holly's corner and extending to Metuchen, a distance of 3½ miles.

There is at present a macadam road from Highland Park to Metuchen which is to be widened through the Park so that teams may pass each other, and a similar piece of road from Holly's corner to Plainfield, leaving the 3½ miles between Holly's and Metuchen not paved.

This the board now propose to complete, and the benefit that will result to the farmers and the business interests of the city will be very great.

The completion of the new road means that there will be a macadamized drive from this city to Plainfield, something that has long been desired. The county is to be congratulated upon the progress it is making in the matter of road-building.

—A hall full of new pianos and organs at Vanderbeek & Sattels. Agents for Chickering, Behning, and Chase pianos. Always at 33 Park avenue.

Another Enthusiast for Street Railway Extension.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Now that the subject of the electric railroad's extension is up for discussion, I should like to add my voice to the general clamor for its building.

Suppose the road was extended from its present terminus near the North avenue station, to Park avenue, to Seventh street, to Monroe avenue. We would then have a loop, and a highly satisfactory route too. It seems to me that this road would run in a very desirable way.

Before the trolley came there was a great opposition party to it. Now these same opponents say that they do not see how they got along without this modern convenience, and now would not be without it for anything!

There is hardly anywhere to be found a town of Plainfield's size without its complete street railroad enabling its inhabitants to go to any part of the city in a very few moments. Surely we do not want this beautiful city to be behind in the steady march ahead for improvements, do we?

Property has already advanced along the present line. How much more benefit would it receive if the extension above spoken of was built, or in fact any extension! Let us then by all means have the new road! AN ENTHUSIAST.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the mostልtone above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

A MID-WEEK SABBATH IN OMAHA.

The Rev. B. Fay Mills Conducts a Remarkable Religious Movement in That Western City.

Omaha is having a remarkable experience, the result of the revival conducted by the Rev. B. Fay Mills, who is so well remembered in this city for his great revival here. Wednesday was observed in the city as a mid-week Sabbath, very much as was observed in Plainfield during Mr. Mills's work here.

In Omaha Wednesday morning at 9 a religious mass meeting, in which nearly 10,000 persons took part, convened at Exposition Hall. It was composed largely of business men and their employes.

Stores were closed, doors of saloons were closed up, and even freight trains were temporarily abandoned in the heat of the religious enthusiasm.

At 9:30 in the morning it seemed like Sunday. It is in the midst of the holiday trade, but merchants closed their doors and turned the keys in the locks, marshaled their clerks, and went out with them to Exposition Hall to listen to the words of the revivalist. Lawyers left their offices and bankers their desks.

Even saloon-keepers caught the infection, and many of them closed their doors tighter than they do even when the law says they must, and took their way to church.

The shoe stores and the drug stores and every other kind of stores pulled down their curtains and did no business, and the railroad offices shut up.

At 8 a. m., in 200 homes in all parts of Omaha were held neighborhood prayers. The Christians of the neighborhood gathered together to pray for a blessing upon the services of the day. The schools were closed.

Even the prisoners in the city jail were taken to the meeting. Some of them were shackled, as they were known to be desperate men.

The text taken by Mr. Mills for his sermon was, "He that covers his sins shall not prosper". More than one thousand persons requested special prayers.

—15 second-hand pianos and organs at great bargains at Vanderbeek & Sattels, 33 Park avenue.

ELIZABETH'S WITH US.

She Thinks the Mapleson Company Was Too Good for Some and Not Good Enough for Others.

[*From The Elizabeth Journal.*]

Elizabeth is not the only city that declines to support high-class entertainments. The Plainfield Press goes so far as to say that it was to that city's "disgrace" that the Schirmer-Mapleson opera troupe did not draw a full house, and it insinuates that the people there have "no tastes above nigger minstrels or Uncle Tom's Cabin". This is very severe, but it is not wholy conclusive. There are many people in Elizabeth and in Plainfield who delight in nothing more than in good music. But they are not found at all the entertainments given by traveling opera companies. And why? Simply because they have not all an abundance of money, and when they pay a high price for music they want to hear the best they can get for their money.

To take the Schirmer-Mapleson company as an instance, it was far from the best. The chorus work was fine enough, but musical people do n't pay big prices to hear choruses, and there was n't a first-class artist in the troupe; it is no discredit indeed to say that there was n't a first-rate artist of the second class in it. And, therefore, while much credit is due to the managers for bringing to these cities companies of so high an average of excellence, and while it is discouraging that larger audiences are not attracted, it is not because musical people are not "above" Uncle Tom's Cabin, but rather because they are above the traveling opera company. Such companies are too good for ordinary comedy lovers, and not good enough for cultivated lovers of music, and their audiences are therefore small.

—Marvelous, running electric motor, one dollar, Allen's.

Last Skating Session Until Christmas.

After to-morrow the Crescent rink will not open again for skating until Christmas, Monday, Dec. 26, owing to the Plainfield band fair taking place all next week. There will be skating both afternoon and evening, to-morrow, from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10:30.

The second trial heat in the schoolboys' race for the gold watch will take place at 4. The third trial heat in the "Trades" race for the ball-bearing skates will take place at 9:30. Both races are causing considerable excitement, as the prizes are good ones and the first trial heats have been close and exciting.

—Vanderbeek & Sattels are distributing the Domestic fashion paper for December, "The Style", to each house in Plainfield. It contains their card to the public. Pianos and organs. 33 Park avenue.

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FRACTURED HIS KNEE.

This and Other Injuries Received by Edward Mercier.

What came near being a fatal accident occured Tuesday on Spencer's hill, on the road leading from Washington valley to Scotch Plains. Edward Mercier, lessee of Scribner's brickyard in North Plainfield, had just bought a new team of horses. He drove them to a light wagon over to Berkley Heights, and when returning home, going down the mountain, one of the bolts in the clip came out, letting the pole fall, the whiffletree striking the horses' heels. They became frightened and ran away. Mercier pluckily held fast to the reins. As the horses ran, he tried to keep them in the road until a level could be reached. The wagon swaying from side to side, made it difficult to keep on the seat. On turning the bend in the road, a man in a light wagon was seen leisurely driving up the hill.

The horses, now beyond control, dashed into the other wagon before it could turn out of the way, completely turning it over and throwing the occupant out and making a wreck of the Mercier wagon, it being reduced to a mass of broken iron and wood-work. Mercier was thrown some distance, receiving a fractured knee and several bruises on his body. One of the horses was so seriously injured that he will have to be killed. Mercier was loaned a wagon in which he reached home. The man who was thrown out demanded $50 with which to fix his wagon and appease his pain.

WANT WATER FROM PLAINFIELD.

Dunellen Clamoring for Effective Fire Protection.

That lively little paper, the Dunellen *Weekly Call*, fights for much-needed public improvement as follows:

"Since the CALL urged upon the people of the borough the neccessity of having a fire apparatus for protection, the subject has been discussed by many of our citizens. The first question which arises in our minds is, where will we get water to supply an engine? We have an excellent chance to overcome this difficulty. The Plainfield Water company will run their pipes down to the borough for a reasonable figure, and by means of hydrants and plenty of hose we can do without an engine very easily. Besides being a protection to our town this would be a great convenience to many of our property owners who would use the water about their residences. The CALL invites our citizens to express their views upon this subject through our columns in order that we may know the exact feeling the community have toward effecting this improvement. We will publish some of the benefits our little town would derive from this improvement in our next issue.

"A committee has been appointed by the borough commissioners to look into the matter with a view of seeing what arrangements can be made to bring the water pipes here, and this committee would like to hear from the public on this question. Anyone who would be willing to take this water at the same rate as Plainfielders are paying, should make their wants known either to the commissioners or to the CALL. We invite our town people to discuss this subject through our columns."

New and Rare Attractions at a Popular Resort.

The enterprising management of the Eden Musee take the lead of amusement resorts in New York in the introduction of new and attractive novelties. With this object in view a grand programme has been arranged. The novelties will be inaugarated Tuesday, Dec. 20. Danko Gabor and his Hungarian band will make their first appearance. This is one of the finest musical organizations in Europe, and its fame has penetrated to this country. Unlike other Hungarian bands, which are able only to play the music of their own country, Danko Gabor and his orchestra will be heard in all sorts of popular selections. This is a feature which will be fully appreciated by all admirers of good music, many of whom prefer airs familiar to American ears. Musical circles are on the alert to hear Danko Gabor and his band. At the same time Mme. Selika, who is known as the "Brown Patti", will also appear. Mme. Selika is a handsome woman of fine form; she is a famous singer and has won merited success at concerts, and before the highest authorites on vocal culture. Her repertoire is an extensive and pleasing one, and she will doubtless be a favorite with Eden Musee audiences. Still another card in the grand new programme will be the Princess Lily Dolgerouky of Russia. The princess is known thoughout the world as a marvelous violin player. It is the intention to permit her to lead the orchestra. The princess is a great attraction by herself alone. The wonderful mind-reading entertainment of Guibal and Greville will be continued. Miss Greville will increase the number of answers given, and during her trance will correctly perform anything that may be thought of, no matter how difficult. Ando and Iomne, in Japanese specialties, remain. They are to bring forth new tricks of a clever nature. Altogether the bill presented was never excelled even at this popular house.

—Allen, agent, union cash register, cheapest, best.

Cut His Foot With an Axe.

Lewis Burghmiller, of Washingtonville, cut his foot with an axe while scoring timber. It is feared that lock-jaw may ensue, as the cut is quite severe.

—Allen will sell at cost until Christmas choice from twenty different styles daintiest souvenirs.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

THEIR WORK COMPLETED.

Madison Avenue Commissioners File Their Report.

In an interview this morning with one of the commissioners appointed to lay out Madison avenue to Duer street, THE PRESS learned that their work was completed late yesterday afternoon, when they met in the office of corporation counsel Marsh, who, with borough counsel Reed, had prepared the official reports in the legal form required. These and the assessment maps were duly signed and copies were then filed with the city clerk of Plainfield and the town clerk of North Plainfield. In referring to the statement made in these columns yesterday, the commissioner said:

"Your informant was in error when he intimated that the commissioners had discovered at the last moment that they had omitted to consider certain matters belonging to the case, thus compelling alteration of the figures. There was no such inexcusable oversight on the part of the commissioners."

He further said, "the assessment tables were placed in the hands of the surveyor nearly three weeks ago, and, as they were the result of a long and painstaking consideration of the subject, they represented the final judgment of the commission."

The article of yesterday referred to was based on information given by another of the commissioners.

Every season brings a new crop of cough remedies, but they cannot compete with that grand old Dr. Ball's Cough Syrup.

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There are many ways in which Diamond Dye Fast Blacks will help you. Dresses, cloaks, suits, ribbons, coats, feathers, stockings,—everything wearable, these Dyes make to look like new. They give a beautiful black that is warranted not to fade, not to crock and not to come out by washing with soap. There are three kinds—Diamond Dye Fast Black for Wool, Diamond Dye Fast Stocking Black for Cotton and Diamond Dye Fast Black for Silk and Feathers. Diamond Dyes are the perfect home dyes, for they are *simple, strong, sure.*

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DEATHS.

WOOD—In this city Dec. 15, 1892, Jane Ann Rutan, beloved wife of Robert Wood, in her 61st year.
Funeral from her late residence, 92 East 4th street, Thursday, 18th inst. 2

DRAKE—In this city at the residence of her mother, 76 Sherman avenue, Mrs. Oliver A. Drake, daughter of the late Edward J. Hillman

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this ending, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

LOST—A pet canary. Finder will receive liberal reward by returning to 74 West Front street. 12 15 tf

WANTED—Washing and ironing at home. Apply 96 West 4th st. 12 15 5

MELODEON, $10.00, a bargain, at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 12 14 4

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A CASH register for sale. Inquire at E. P. Thorn's, No. 17 Park avenue. 12 14 tf

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WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 15 Craig Place. 12 10 tf

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LOST—November 26, a pug dog. Finder will be suitably rewarded on returning him to 32 Sycamore avenue, North Plainfield. 12 16 2

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WANTED TO BUY—100 violet plants. T. B. Fenton, 112 Rockview ave. 12 16 3

LOST—Between Evona and Plainfield, canvass satchel containing machine clipping knives. Reward; leave at Seguine's livery. 12 16 2

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Skating from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10.30.

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Report of the Condition OF THE First National Bank

Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business,

DECEMBER 9, 1892.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$997,678 27
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	220 33
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	25 500 00
Due from approved reserve agents	144,406 20
Due from other National Banks	6,788 93
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures	11,149 17
Other real estate and mortgages owned	22,722 25
Current expenses and taxes paid	4,697 69
Premiums on Bonds	1,000 00
Checks and other cash items	13,890 14
Bills of other Banks	800 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	1,262 59
Specie	23,343 65
Legal tender notes	22,917 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (five per cent of circulation)	2,250 00
Total	$907,502 98

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$200,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits	64,656 06
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Dividends unpaid	815 00
Individual deposits subject to check	499,407 25
Demand certificates of deposit	85,720 99
Certified checks	5,279 72
Due to other National Banks	36 925 87
Due to state banks and bankers	3,199 81
Total	$907,502 98

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, COUNTY OF UNION, } ss.

I, F. S. Runyon, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. F. S. RUNYON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of December, 1892. NELSON BUNYON, Notary Public of N. J.

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WM. M. STILLMAN,
D. F. RANDOLPH,
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Good Dairy	25 "

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" "	50c.	"	34 "
" "	75c.	"	53 "
" "	$1.00	"	67 "

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"And I am to have the elegant establishment you promised?"

"You are."

"Horses, carriages, diamonds, and so forth?"

"Everything."

"Then I do love you, Reginald!"—Boston Globe.

In the Boudoir.

Mrs. Herdso—If there is anything I hate, it is a backbiter.

Mrs. Saldso—So do I. Now, there is Mrs. Westend; what a gossiper she is—and such a liar, too! She told me her husband got twice the salary yours did—that she didn't know how you managed to dress as you do.

Mrs. Herdso—The old cat! She took in washing a year ago to support the family, while the old man was on a six weeks' drunk. I hate gossips!—Truth.

Incompetent Testimony.

Mr. Noodles—I confess, Miss Mulligatawney, to having loved you for years.

Miss Mulligatawney (just admitted to the bar)—Mr. Noodles, I have only to remind you that the standard writers on jurisprudence no longer accept a confession unsupported by other evidence as conclusive proof. Good day sir.—Detroit Tribune.

A Scientific Definition.

Son—Pa, what is a whisky straight?

Father (who knows whereof)—Er—well, my boy, a large, swelled head; an erroneous impression of great and sudden wealth; a disposition to fight a man twice your size; an aptness for making the world to appear lop-sided and to be revolving rapidly; any one of them may be called a whisky straight.—Jury.

A Mitigated Compliment.

He—You are still amiable and beautiful.

Miss Elderly—Don't try to taffy me. I was never lovely or amiable. I was always homely and spiteful.

He—Will you allow me to say that you are remarkably well preserved?—Texas Siftings.

Couldn't Tell a Lie.

"Just throw me half a dozen of the biggest of those trout," said a citizen to the fish dealer.

"Throw them?" queried the dealer.

"Yes; and then I'll go home and tell my wife that I caught 'em. I may be a poor fisherman, but I'm no liar."—Rose Leaf.

Trying to Please.

Wife (in railway train)—It's mortifying to have you act so. Why don't you get up and help that young lady raise that window?

Dutiful Husband—She's so pretty I was afraid you'd be mad.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Fair Arrangement.

He—Will you kiss me?

She—No—that would be awfully improper.

He (desperately)—Well, may I kiss you?

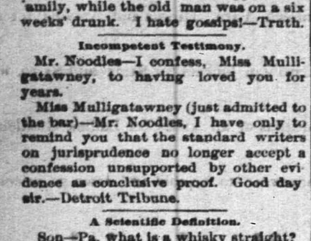
She (with surprise)—Why, certainly.—Truth.

Filial.

Wealthy but Economical Father—Do you know, my son, what strict economy would do for you?

Robert—I know what it has done for me, father, and I respect you for it.—Brooklyn Life.

NECK AND NECK.



—Truth.

At a Texas Hotel.

Guest—Waiter, bring me some rice pudding.

Waiter—Boss, I can't jess recommend de rice pudding to-day.

"What is the matter with it?"

"Nuffin', 'cept dar ain't none."—Texas Siftings.

Starting in Time.

She—Must you go so soon, darling? It is only ten o'clock, and father won't object if you stay until twelve.

He—True, my own. But that only gives me two hours in which to say good night.—Life.

Something Had to Break.

"Why did you break your engagement with Miss Hipton?"

"It had to be the engagement or me, and I'm too fond of good living to go into bankruptcy."—Harper's Bazar.

How the Doctor Felt.

Wellman—I say throw physic to the dogs.

Doctor—All right. Do as you please. As for myself, I can get more for it elsewhere.—Detroit Free Press.

A Flesh Reducer.

Stout Lady—Does a bicycle reduce the flesh?

Mr. Slimpurse (wearily)—If you buy it on the installment plan it does.—N. Y. Weekly.

He Was an Old Hand.

"Your proposal is so unexpected, Mr. Juggins," said the fair and blushing damsel, "you must give me time to think it over."

"Certainly, Miss Spooner. That—er—is what I have always—er—been in the habit of doing—er—in cases of the kind."—Demorest's Magazine.

Considerate Tommy.

The boys have been making a great deal of noise and at last their father appears with a strap, and, seizing Tommy, begins to thrash him.

"Don't wear yourself out, father," says Tommy. "Remember that Billy and Johnny have to get some too."—Texas Siftings.

Criticism Unappreciated.

Prisoner—Judge, you will never be a logician.

Judge—Why not?

Prisoner—Your sentences are too long.

Judge—Thirty days for contempt of court.—Town Topics.

Particular.

The Young Housekeeper—Let me have two pounds of nice ham.

The Butcher—Yes, marm.

The Young Housekeeper—Ham, remember. I have concluded not to buy meats in your form.—Chicago Junk.

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BALLANTINE & CO.

Referring to the above card, I beg to add that I shall establish a bottling business in the city of Plainfield as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. In the meantime, I shall promptly deliver all orders sent to me.

WILLIAM. H. CAWLEY,
Somerville, N J.

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Another Card.

Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

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A Great Christmas Special Spot Cash Sale

Every item actually reduced and plainly marked in bold figures. Our counters, windows and shelves fairly bristle with business, and all are well worth your close study and examination. The success of this sale is a compliment to our reputation, and proves beside that the public "know a good thing when they see it.

Best Leghorn citron	25c. lb. ; 2 lbs. 45c	New soft shell almonds	1 lb. 25c
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Extra special inducements with tea and baking powders. Fine creamery butter 28c. lb. Don't fail to ask for one of our beautiful calendars.
Mail orders receive the same prompt attention as if you were here in person.
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If You Saw Your Own Wood

and saw enough of it, your digestive organs may perhaps be equal, ostrich like, to any task you impose—even to the digestion of lard-cooked food.

If however, like thousands of other people, you have learned that you must "draw the line at lard," this is to remind you that there is a clean, delicate and healthful vegetable substitute, called

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which if used in place of lard, permits you to eat pies, pastry, patties and such "good things" without fear of dyspeptic consequences.

There's abundant proof, but none so convincing and so pleasant as a trial for yourself. We invite it. For sale everywhere.

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BIRD'S CUSTARD POWDER.
AN ENGLISH SPECIALTY MAKES
DELICIOUS CUSTARD Without Eggs.
A 25c. package will be sufficient to make four pints, which can either be served in dishes or from glasses.
A supply, fresh from England, has just been received by the
LEADING GROCERS.

THE FOLLOWING ALL KEEP IT:
G. W. Rockfellow, Plainfield, N. J.
R. W. Rice & Co., " "
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None Such CONDENSED Mince Meat

Makes an every-day convenience of an old-time luxury. Pure and wholesome. Prepared with scrupulous care. Highest award at all Pure Food Expositions. Each package makes two large pies. Avoid imitations—and insist on having the NONE SUCH brand.
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Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.
Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,
41 East Sixth Street.
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Opened their new store with a full line of first-class
Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables,
CHEAP FOR CASH,
Saturday, November 26, corner
CENTRAL AVE. AND SECOND STREET.
If you will kindly favor us with your order, it will receive prompt attention.
Don't forget the place, corner Central avenue and Second street. 11 23 tf

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PLOT AGAINST MEXICO

Revolutionary Forces Preparing to Invade the Country.

THEIR HEADQUARTERS IN TEXAS.

The Outrage at San Ignacio Denounced by the Mexican Authorities, Who Are Calling Upon the United States for Satisfaction—Troops Rushing to the Border.

MONTEREY, Dec. 17.—The Mexican government will demand of President Harrison that he take decisive steps toward breaking up and wiping out the bands of revolutionists that have their rendezvous on United States soil and the lower Rio Grande border country.

Gov. Manuel Reys, of the State of Nueva Leon, has forwarded to President Harrison documentary evidence in proof that a plot exists among a large force of Mexicans in Texas to make an armed expedition against Mexico.

Gov. Reys is greatly incensed over the inactivity of the military authorities of the United States in not putting down the proposed revolution in its incipiency. He said last night:

"The killing and roasting of those 11 Mexican soldiers and citizens opposite San Ignacio by a band of outlaws who crossed over from Texas is the greatest outrage committed upon persons of one friendly nation by subjects of another that has occurred in the nineteenth century."

It is believed that a serious international trouble will grow out of the San Ignacio outbreak if the United States Government does not show its disapproval of the act of the revolutionists by putting a large body of troops in the field after the outlaws and their sympathizers.

The Mexican government is strengthening its already strong force of troops on the border by rushing about 2,000 soldiers to the turbulent section from interior garrisons.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Gen. Schofield has received despatches confirming the press reports of lawlessness prevailing along the Texas border in the vicinity of San Ignacio, Mex.

One of the reports received by him says that a party of bandits from Texas crossed the line to San Ignacio on the 10th inst., set fire to the barracks, and burned to death a captain, ensign, and four Mexican soldiers.

Gen. Schofield said that United States troops were hastening to the scene, and would take whatever action was found necessary. No orders would be issued from Washington as the officer in command had already received general instructions covering such affairs.

BIG FIRE AT CARTHAGE, N. Y.

The Water Supply Gave Out—Buildings Blown Down With Dynamite.

CARTHAGE, N. Y., Dec. 17.—Fire broke out at 10 o'clock last night in the Hubbard block, and spread with such rapidity that over a score of occupants of stores and offices were burned out.

The Collins, Bomes and Bachman blocks are among the buildings that were destroyed.

The water supply in the reservoirs gave out, and dynamite was used to prevent the spreading of the flames.

Watertown was appealed to for assistance. The loss will be very heavy.

Earthquake Shock in Missouri.

IRONTON, Mo., Dec. 17.—At 7 o'clock in the morning the tardy slumberers of this locality were aroused by a tremendous vibration of the earth's crust. There were two distinct shocks, following in quick succession with scarcely any interval between them. The sensation was not unlike that produced by a heavy wagon with locked wheels moving over a rough road.

Changes of Sentences.

PATERSON, N. J., Dec. 17.—Judge Hopper has changed the sentence of Alderman Hartley, convicted of receiving a bribe, to pay a fine of $500, instead of one year in State prison, and that of Policeman Cox, convicted of conspiring to bribe, from one year in the State prison to six months in the county jail. The changes were received with surprise.

Scare on the Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Money "on call" rushed up to 30 per cent. in Wall street yesterday. It was a fictitious rate, but it produced a big scare on the Stock Exchange. Stocks tumbled and a panicky feeling permeated speculation. The flurry was wholly due to the fear of heavy shipments of gold to Europe.

Increased the Capital $16,000,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—The National Wall Paper company, popularly known as the Wall Paper Trust, has filed a certificate of the increase of its capital from $14,000,000 to $30,000,000. The capital is divided into 300,000 shares.

Brunswick, the Billiard Table Man, Killed

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Emanuel Brunswick, proprietor of the Brunswick Billiard and Pool Table company, of San Francisco, was killed last night while trying to board a State street cable car. He slipped and fell under the grip car.

Newark to Sue for $115,000.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 17.—City Counselor Coult has been instructed to collect $115,000 due by the various railroads for the purchase of the lands on which a union freight depot is to be built. The money has been promised for some time.

Lost $30,000 in the Mails.

FAIRBURY, Ill., Dec. 17.—Two banks of this place recently sent $10,000 each to a Chicago bank through the mails. It has developed that the money never reached Chicago, as the mail bag was plundered en route.

Consecrated Bishop of Spokane.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 17.—Rev. Lemuel H. Wells was consecrated Bishop of the Diocese of Spokane, Wash., at noon, in Trinity Episcopal Church here. There were present many visiting church dignitaries.

Trolley System for Newark.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 17.—The ordinance granting the street car companies permission to operate their various lines by the trolley system, has passed.

Death of a Paris Publisher.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Georges Sachette, head of the well-known publishing house, is dead.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.
Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

BOSTON & MAINE'S DEAL.

Control of the Connecticut River Road Carries With It Several Other Lines.

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—It is said that the Boston & Maine railroad, now holding control of the Connecticut River stock, will vote down the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad lease at the next stockholders' meeting, and then proceed to lease the road to themselves.

The control of the Connecticut River road carries with it several other lines, the most important of which is the Vermont Valley & Sullivan County road, 50 miles in length. This road was leased in 1880 for 50 years, and, in addition, the Connecticut River road owns control of its stock.

There is also the Ashuelot road of 24 miles, a branch from South Vernon to Keene, that was leased years ago by the Connecticut River system. There is the Chicopee Falls branch, six miles in length, and the East Hampton branch of three and one-half miles.

SURPRISE AT NORTHAMPTON.

Citizens Regret the Deal, as a Union With the Consolidated Was Preferred.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Dec. 17.—The purchase of a controlling interest in the Connecticut River railroad by the Boston & Maine railroad has surprised the natives. It was suspected by some of the directors that such a move would be attempted, but they thought it could not possibly succeed.

The change of owners and the failure of the Consolidated road to complete its lease of the Connecticut River road is very much regretted by leading citizens here, as it was thought this city's interests would be best served by a union with the Consolidated road.

It would have removed several grade crossings in the city, and given Northampton one depot and better facilities in every way.

The officers of the Consolidated road were in town yesterday looking over the ground for the purpose of deciding what they would do when the lease of the Connecticut River road was made by the stockholders of the Consolidated, which was expected to occur Dec. 28.

BLAMES THE AMERICANS.

The "Times" Says the Failure of the Monetary Chnference Was Due to Us.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The "Times," referring to the International Monetary Conference, says:

"The American delegates must be held largely responsible for the ignominious failure of the Conference. America called the meeting as if prepared with a practical scheme, and then offered only vague platitudes. The exuberant rhetoric of Senator Jones would have been more to the purpose if the Americans themselves had not grown tired of protecting silver."

The American delegates to the International Monetary Conference are booked to sail on the steamer Lahn from Southampton for New York on Dec. 21. It is not understood that there will be any celebration or dinners in honor of the occasion.

APGAR TO CONTEST.

He Claims That He Was Elected Senator from Mercer County, N. J.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 17.—W. Holt Apgar, the defeated candidate for Senator in Mercer county, has filed notice of his contest for the seat of Col. William H. Skirm, the Republican, who defeated him by a large majority.

Apgar claims that the Republicans were guilty of bribery and intimidation at the polls and that the majority of Skirm is void, because unlawfully gained.

Two Killed by an Express.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 17.—Fanny Anderson, colored, employed as a domestic in Elizabeth, came to this city during the night to see her husband. She started for home at 11 o'clock. Her husband walked with her along the railroad track, she intending to take a Jersey Central train at Communipaw. Meeting a freight train, they stepped to the opposite track, when an express train going the other way struck them. Both are dead.

Fears for the Beechwood Colliery.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 17.—The Reading company entertain fears for the safety of their Beechwood colliery at Mount Laffee. A mine fire which has been burning in the old Wadesville shaft near here for years is working its way towards this colliery and means are now being taken to prevent its further progress in that direction.

A Teamster Instantly Killed.

WILKESBARRE, Dec. 17.—Thomas Daly, a teamster, was loading coal into a wagon from chutes in a coal breaker, when a loaded car rushed down the steep incline, 1,000 feet, bounded over the wagon and horses, striking Daly, who was standing at the horses' heads. The man was instantly killed, but the horses were not injured.

Report of a Marriage Denied.

VIENNA, Dec. 17.—It is officially denied that a marriage has taken place between Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, and the Princess Helene Louise Henriette, daughter of the Count of Paris, and cousin of Prince Ferdinand, whose mother is related to the Count of Paris.

Three Years for Young Baker.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Charles Baker, the young man who represented himself as an agent of Dr. Parkhurst's Society, pleaded guilty to extortion in the Court of General Sessions, and was sentenced to State prison for three years.

Gen. Rosecrans About the Same.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Gen. Rosecrans' condition is about the same this morning. The General, on account of an abnormal appetite, is suffering at present from an attack of indigestion.

THE SOUVENIR COINS.

First Sixty Thousand Shipped from the Philadelphia Mint.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17.—The first sixty thousand of the new Columbia souvenir half-dollars were shipped yesterday from the United States mint in this city.

The first delivery of ten thousand coins left on the 9:50 express for New York city in possession of John F. Shriver, representing Colonel Elliot F. Shepard. The remaining fifty thousand, including the "$10,000 beauty" and three other valuable pieces, were placed in the hands of the United States Express Company consigned to the sub-treasury at Chicago and left on the Columbian express over the Pennsylvania railroad at 4:25 p. m.

Colonel Shepard's coins were not delivered until after an order from the Secretary of the Treasury, through whom the transfer was made by the World's Fair Commission, had been received.

The 50,000 destined for Chicago occupied five kegs in sealed bags marked $5,000 each. On the head of each keg was nailed a label marked: "Columbian Coins. 10,000 half dollars. Assistant Treasurer of U. S., Chicago, Ills."

Each keg was sealed in such a manner that the seal must be broken in removing the head.

Particular attention was devoted by Mint Superintendent Bosbyshell and his assistants to the packing of one keg which was distinguished from the others by the word "Special" marked in blue pencil on the head.

There were five bags of coins placed in this keg as in the others, but one of them was marked "$4,998 instead of $5,000." This indicated the the omission from its contents of four dollars, one of which is the most valuable piece of its denomination ever produced.

These four were the first, or "$10,000 beauty," the 400th, 1,492d and 1,892d coins of the new issue. These pieces, on account of their extraordinary value, which is estimated at not less than $15,000, were placed in a separate package.

The general agent of the United States Express Company declares that no especial precaution will be taken to guard the consignment to Chicago against loss by robbery or otherwise.

One of the special coins, it is reported has already been sold for $10,000.

MAUNA LOA IN ERUPTION.

Hawaii's Volcano Threatening Destruction to Property and Life.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Mauna Loa, the great volcano of Hawaii, is in eruption again and threatens the destruction of the villages of Hilo and Wa Waikia at its eastern base, and extensive plantations of cocoanuts and cane.

L. A. Thurston, a member of the Hawaiian Legislature and late Minister of the Interior, who has arrived here by steamer Australia, brings news of the overflow. It was contained in a letter to him from Hilo, and was brought to Honolulu by steamer and handed to him just before the Australia sailed.

For five days previous illuminations had been on a grand scale, and the whole country was shaken by a prodigious earthquake. Even in the neighboring district of Kan there were heavy earthquakes and Mauna Loa for a distance each way of more than 60 miles, threw a weird light over the ocean and country round about.

The earthquakes commenced on Friday morning Dec. 2, and increased until evening in force, and increased in noise from that time on. It was feared the entire village of Hilo and the neighboring town of Waiakea would be destroyed and that the plantations surrounding them will be covered with lava.

NICARAGUA CANAL BILL.

To Be Reported to the Senate Next Week—Senator Morgan Sure of Its Passage.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee continued its discussion of the Nicaragua Canal bill. The full committee was present, and the main features of the bill, namely, the Government guarantee of the loan, was again discussed at length, but without arriving at any conclusion the committee adjourned.

The bill will probably come up from day to day, and, by the middle of next week, it is expected that it will be in shape to be reported to the Senate.

Senator Morgan is confident of its passage.

MR. BLAINE AND CATHOLICISM.

His Wife Says He Has No Intention of Joining the Roman Church.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—This letter has just been given to the press:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16, 1892.

Mrs. Blaine, in reply to the many letters of anxious inquiry sent to her on this subject, asks me to state that there is not the slightest truth in the report that Mr. Blaine has entered the Roman Catholic Church, and that nothing could be further from his thoughts or intention.

It should be needless to state that Father Ducey has never been at the house.

JAMES G. BLAINE, JR.

Keeper McNamara Dismissed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Keeper McNamara, who allowed Kyle, indicted for grand larceny, to escape Thursday, and who was hugged by a woman to prevent him from following Kyle, has been dismissed from the force by the Commissioners of Charities and Correction. During his twelve years' employment at the prison, this is the first serious charge brought against him.

Gray Will Appeal His Suit.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Frank S. Gray, who lost his suit against Col. Elliott F. Shepard, proprietor of the Mail and Express, for breach of contract, has decided to take his case to a higher court.

Hallett's Remains to be Cremated.

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—The remains of U. S. Commissioner Hallet have been taken to Troy, N. Y., where they will be cremated.

MGR. SATOLLI'S MISSION

He Comes to America to Found a Canonical Court.

HIS POWER PRACTICALLY ABSOLUTE

What the Archbishop Says Must be Accepted as the Order of the Pope—Bishops' Powers to be Curtailed—Dr. McGlynn's Case Again.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Much controversy has existed since the arrival of Archbishop Satolli in this country as to his mission and the exact relation he holds between the Pope and the Roman Catholic Church in the United States.

On the authority of an eminent priest in this city it can now be told just why he came here, the circumstances which necessitated his coming, the immediate object, and the ultimate design of his mission.

"I am surprised," said this reverend gentleman, "that so few should be aware of the significance of Mgr. Satolli's mission here.

"Stated as briefly as possible, he is the delegate of the Pope, with absolute authority to act in any case which may be brought before him, and which otherwise would have to go to Rome.

"The reason for his coming is this: The United States, as well as every other English speaking country, together with Japan, India, and China, are mission fields. As such they are governed from Rome by the Propaganda Fide, which, however, always submits its decision to the Pope.

"In the United States there is no enforcement of the canonical law, for the reason that here there is no canonical court. In Germany, France, Poland, Spain, Italy and other countries these courts are established.

"They stand between the clergy and Rome. In other words, instead of applying direct to Rome, as we do in this country, the clergy who have grievances appeal to these courts.

"From them they may appeal to the Pope, but only after a decision has been rendered.

"If the Catholic Church in the United States should govern itself, Rome being only the court of final appeal in cases of law, the work of the Propaganda Fide would be materially lessened. And not only that, but there would be greater satisfaction to Roman Catholics in this country.

"The Pope has given evidence since his election in 1878 of the greatest breadth of judgment in all matters of national importance.

"He is willing that the Catholics in any mission field should govern themselves as soon as they indicate an ability to do so.

"He thinks that the United States has that ability now, and the ultimate design in sending Mgr. Satolli here is to found a canonical court.

"The court will consist of a prelate, who who will be the judge, and several expert canonists. It will have the effect of curtailing the power of the bishops over the clergy. As it is now, the bishop has almost absolute power over his priests.

"He may suspend a priest, as Bishop Wigger suspended Father Corrigan a few years ago, without a trial. Under the canonical law, which is not in force now, but which will be in force when the court is established, this cannot be done. The United States will then have ceased to be a mission field.

"At present Mgr. Satolli, while not 'the Pope of America,' as he has been called, is absolute in his power. What he says on any great question must be accepted as final and as the dictum of the Pope. Father Corrigan's case, as well as any others which may be agitating Catholic circles, cannot go to Rome while Mgr. Satolli is in the country."

CASE OF DR. M'GLYNN.

Reports from Rome Say the Deposed Priest is to Be Reinstated.

ROME, Dec. 17.—The statement by Archbishop Corrigan, published in a New York paper in September last, in regard to a settlement of the differences between the Church and Rev. Father McGlynn, has received full confirmation at the Vatican.

The news of the reconciliation has produced the happiest impression at the Vatican, where Father McGlynn had always been a favorite prior to the difference with his religious superiors. It can be stated on the highest authority that the Pope has given special power to Monsignor Satolli, his Holiness's Ablegate in America, to settle the case.

N. E. Tariff Reform League.

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—The annual dinner of the New England Tariff Reform League was held at the America House last evening. President Henry L. Pierce was presiding officer. The speakers were Hon. Charles S. Fairchild, Secretary of the Treasury under Cleveland, Hon. Harvey N. Shepard, Josiah Quincy and William B. Rice, late candidate for councillor in Massachusetts.

Convict Escapes from Officers.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17.—James Stewart, a convict, serving a sentence of five years in the Eastern penitentiary for highway robbery, while being taken to court by Warden Cassidy and a keeper to receive an additional sentence for another robbery, made his escape from his custodians, and has not been captured.

Would Not Consent to a New Trial.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 17.—Charles J. Peshall yesterday sent lawyer John J. Furey to Prosecutor Winfield to ask him if he would consent to a new trial for Edward Hallinger, four times sentenced to be hanged for the murder of his wife. Mr. Winfield answered no emphatically.

To Establish a Coal Market in Germany.

POTTSVILLE, Dec. 17.—Capt. John A. Schweers, chief of the Reading Coal and Iron Company's pay-roll department here, has been appointed to represent that company in its endeavor to establish a market for its coal in Germany. He will shortly sail for Berlin.

Preparing for an Electrocution.

SING SING, Dec. 17.—Preparations are being made at the State prison here for the electrocution of Fred McGuire Monday next.

Carlisle for Secretary of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—It is said in high Democratic circles that it is almost certain Senator Carlisle will be the next Secretary of the Treasury.

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YALE STUDENTS CONVICTED.

McCrea and Wyrehause Fined $100 Each, the Extreme Penalty.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 17.—A fine of $100, the extreme penalty of the law, was inflicted by Judge Rufus S. Pickett at the City Court at noon upon James A. McCrea of Pittsburg, Pa., and F. M. Wyrehause of St. Paul, Minn., the Yale students who were charged with breach of the peace on December 3, during a celebration of the successful football season by the Freshman class.

Manager Smith, of the Opera House, where the disorder occurred; Conlan, the scene shifter; Ryan, the stage carpenter, and Lawton, the officer present, all testified to the identity of both prisoners, and Ryan and Conlin asserted that they saw Wyrehause throw the torpedo which caused a large part of the audience to leave the theatre, terrified the actors, and inflicted a painful injury upon the eye of one of the musicians in the orchestra.

Attorney Goodhart tried to establish the uncertainty of the identity of the prisoners charged, especially that of McCrea.

Judge Pickett in making his decision stated that the disturbance had all the elements of a panic in effect, and that only the small number of persons arrested deterred him from treating the affair as a riot.

Both cases were appealed.

Wyrehause is a prominent member of the Yale Y. M. C. A., and McCrea is the giant who played left guard on the Yale champion Varsity football eleven.

Reception to the Pennsylvania Team.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17.—As a recognition of their work during the season just closed, the University of Pennsylvania football team and substitutes were last night given a reception in the college chapel. About 1,500 students and alumni were present and the occasion was made one of congratulation at the college's stride forward on the gridironed field.

Deserted, He Goes Insane.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 17.—Edward Steadman, an electrician connected with New York and Boston concerns, was sent to the lunatic asylum, yesterday, being adjudged a maniac. He said the trouble was the sequel to the elopement of his wife some time ago.

Death of an Old New York Merchant.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17.—George Turnbull, formerly a leading merchant of Boston and New York, is dead here.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—While temporarily insane Mrs. George Bowers murdered her husband near Greenwich, N. J.

—John K. Ricker and his wife Mary E., builders of Somerville, Mass., have gone into insolvency. Liabilities about $34,000.

—L. O. Taillon has been elected to the Premiership in Quebec in place of De Boucherville.

—K. A. Benjamin, until now a well-to-do and respected merchant in Montreal, has fled and left $10,000 in debts.

—Beman Brockway of the Watertown "Daily Times," who was the oldest editor in the interior of New York State, is dead.

—Squabbling in the World's Fair Commission of Washington led to the resignation of Dr. N. G. Blalock, its president.

—Charles H. Wiggins, a dairyman of Rochester, N. Y., was killed by a train on the New York Central railroad.

—The Rev. J. R. Davis of the First Church in Tyrone, Pa., has been called to the pastorate of the Fourth Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York city to succeed the late Dr. Howard Crosby.

—At the tenth anniversary of the encampment of the Salvation Army in Canada, celebrated in Toronto, Commander Booth was presented with a check for $12,920, accumulated during "self-denial week."

—L. L. Jiernojol, a Norwegian, is in jail at Norway, Ia., charged with swindling 22 Norwegians by selling for $22,000 a part interest in land he claimed to have paid $23,000 for, and for which he actually paid $2,000.

—Ex-Senator Thomas W. Ferry, of Michigan, Hiram V. Reed and Allen W. Fowler have entered suit in Chicago for $300,000 damages against the Grand River railroad and J. W. Boynton, its president, for alleged breach of contract.

Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 17.—For New England: Cloudy, threatening weather in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut, with occasional rain or snow; variable winds; much cooler; in Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, generally fair; variable winds; slightly cooler.

For Eastern New York: Occasional rain or snow; variable winds; cooler.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Generally fair weather, followed by occasional rain or snow; variable winds.

For New Jersey, Maryland and Delaware: Occasional rain or snow; variable winds shifting to westerly; slightly cooler in New Jersey; stationary temperature in Maryland and Delaware and on the coast.

For Western New York: Generally fair, followed by rain or snow; variable winds shifting to south erly; probable snow at lake stations; colder.

For Western Pennsylvania: Fair weather followed by rain; variable winds shifting to southerly; stationary temperature.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Old Santa loads his pack at Allen's.

—China cups and saucers redu d at Allen's.

—Extra fine chocolates can be had at Compton's.

—Estil has the finest stock of books and stationery.

—Twenty-five cent assortment plated ware at Allen's.

—Go to Estil's book store to-night and select your holiday gifts.

—Tier's Christmas candies are superior. Take a look at his goodies.

—Go to Harper's, 75 Park avenue, for toys, games, dolls, and fancy goods.

—A praise service will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms this evening at 8.

—Willet at 7 Park avenue has slippers that will make nice Christmas gifts.

—Compton's stock of candy for Christmas will be unusually large and delicious.

—A ladies' meeting will be held in the First Church of Christ Wednesday at 3 p. m.

—There will be a regular meeting of the Exempt Firemen's association this evening at 8.

—The cheapest place in the city for holiday goods is at Harper's, 75 Park avenue.

—If you have never tried Compton's candy, do it once and see how well you will be pleased.

—The Park club married men will bowl the unmarrieds this evening. The gentler sex anticipate much fun.

—Charles B. Brown will lead the W. C. T. U. meeting this evening at 8, in the rink building on Broadway.

—Go to Harper's, 75 Park avenue, and see the large assortment of steam and mechanical toys in operation in his window.

—Mixed candy from 10 cents per pound up, can be had at Compton's; pure candy, not starch and glucose, but pure sugar candy.

—The Jersey City Athletic club will send a strong ten-men bowling team to Plainfield to-night to take the scalps of the Crescents in a return game.

—The Central railroad settled with Joseph Angerbauer, jr., Friday, for his slight injuries in the Greenville collision. The amount paid he declined to state.

—The house and lot at 73 Manning avenue will be sold, under foreclosure, at the court-house, Somerville, by Sheriff Dilts, Monday afternoon, Dec. 19, at 2.

—That's a great holiday excursion advertised by Thos. H. Hendrickson in another column. All your expenses are paid, including dinner, by one small fee.

—Freeholder George Bullman, whose house was robbed Tuesday night, claims to have secured evidence sufficient to warrant the arrest of the suspected person.

—The directors of the Plainfield Building and Loan association will hold their regular monthly meeting in Jackson & Codington's office Monday evening next at 8.

—One of the most attractive stores on West Front street is that at No. 14, where the Misses Gorseline have a large assortment and great variety of goods suitable for Christmas gifts.

—A bazar will be held in the Monroe Avenue chapel, under the direction of the Ladies' Aid society, the evening of December 20. One of the attractions will be an orange tree.

—Don't forget the faithful and obliging mail carriers, in the distribution of Christmas tokens. They work hard for you the year round, and do favors out of the strict line of their duty.

—Special meetings of the Salvation Army will be held to-night and all day to-morrow led by Major Brown, head of the slum work, aided by Ensign Aldred of the poor and shelter department, New York. All are welcome.

—Improvements continue on Westervelt avenue, formerly Bay street, this side of the brook. Another new house is now to be built, on the plot at No. 14. Most of the sidewalks are already paved, and the balance soon will be.

—A most useful and acceptable Christmas gift for the good wife is a Wilcox & Gibbs automatic, the peer of sewing machines. Mrs. F. A. Van Name, of 10 Grove street, is the efficient agent for this city, and would be pleased to give information concerning the different styles.

—A countryman's horse ran into Joseph Repetti's fruit wagon on North avenue this morning and upset a barrel of Repetti's apples into the street. When Repetti demanded damages, the farmer hurried away. Repetti hurled a stone at him and knocked his hat off. The countryman escaped.

—Sheet music given away at Allen's, three thousand different pieces, to holiday customers, one copy with each and every dollar purchase, or handsome souvenir World's Fair photographic views with dollar purchase and above in addition to crayon portrait free, guaranteed excellent, when purchases come to ten dollars, punched from card.

The Dunellenites Are Hustling.

The Dunellen bowling club is only five weeks old, and its men are beginners, but they are "getting there" in great shape. They have just defeated the veteran West Ends of Somerville as follows:

DUNELLEN		W. E. A. A.	
C. D. Taylor	160	Gaston	124
McCann	161	Dickel	177
C. Giles	125	Decker	132
Wilson	134	Moore	199
Tingley	128	Terwilliger	140
Young	127	Chambers	101
W. Giles	129	Speer	103
G. Taylor	142	Haynes	122
Lanigan	167	Shaw	121
Schultz	162	Major	126
	1435		1245

The Dunellen club will bowl the Somersets at Somerville Monday night, and the Turn Vereins in North Plainfield Wednesday. Both are return games.

CRUSHED BY THE CARS.

JAMES FANCHER OF FANWOOD THE VICTIM.

Rather Than Wait an Hour for a Train, He Attempted to Board a Freight, and Fell Under the Cruel Wheels—An Arm and a Leg Cut Off, and Danger that He Will Not Recover.

James Fancher of Fanwood was probably fatally injured on the Jersey Central railroad in this city this morning.

He came out from New York on a midnight train and was carried past his station.

He got off at Plainfield and inquired of the Western Union night operator when the next train was due for Fanwood.

It is supposed that not liking the prospect of waiting till 3:37 he attempted to ride home on Reading freight No. 608, which passed the North avenue station at 2:48.

That train was stopped suddenly, to drill some cars in and out of the freight yard, and while drilling the crew found Mr. Fancher's mutilated body lying across the track.

He had either fallen or been jerked off the cars by the sudden and violent motions of drilling.

His right arm was almost entirely severed from his body, his right foot was mashed, and his right leg broken above the knee.

Though so terribly mangled, the sufferer was still conscious, and insisted on being taken home instead of to the Muhlenberg Hospital as was proposed.

The unpleasant duty of taking the body home and breaking the sad news to the afflicted wife fell to station agent Haynes, who was personally acquainted with Mr. Fancher, through the sociability and bowling contests of the Crescent League.

Dr. Pettit of Elizabeth, chief of the railroad staff of physicians, and a most expert surgeon, with Dr. J. T. Fritts of Plainfield, railroad physician for this locality, attended the sufferer, and did all in human power to ease his agony and save his life.

The shock and loss of blood, however, made themselves felt this morning, when the patient became delirous and sank into insensibility, from which it is feared he may not be roused.

Mr. Fancher has three children. He was one of the best experts on sugar and molasses in the country, and was chief buyer for a wholesale house in New York. He was popular among commuters, and prominent in whist and bowling circles.

Fancher died at 3:40.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Ex-constable George R. Rockafellow is confined to the house with a heavy cold.

Charles B. Brown will conduct the Y. M. C. A. meeting to-morrow afternoon at 4:15. There will be quartette and solo singing.

A very pleasant sociable was held last evening at the home of Miss Bertha Fisher. The efficient committeemen were H. W. Ulrick and A. W. Crawford.

Choirmaster Miner of the Holy Cross church took a portion of his choir to the Church of the Heavenly Rest, at Evona, to sing at a wedding this afternoon at 3.

Charles Fernald will conduct the boys' meeting to be held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. in the Sunday-school of the Baptist church to-morrow afternoon at 4:15.

F. L. C. Martin, Geo. W. Morrison and H. D. Morrison represented the Plainfield wheelmen at a cyclists' dinner at Elizabeth Thursday night. Aug. Shepard was Fanwood's delegate.

John Neighbor is a marvel of letter-carriers. He knows every house in town, and can take any one of the routes and deliver every piece of mail on it as quick as the man on that route regularly. Such a man is a variety.

Miss Maggie Gladdell, of Liscard, near Liverpool, England, is making a short sojourn with Mrs. C. Schepflin at Dunellen. Miss Gladdell is the daughter of the late Capt. Benjamin Gladdell, who has visited in this vicinity many times in the past.

A very enjoyable time was had at the residence of Mrs. Stafford, Somerset place, last evening, when the members of her Sunday-school class and a few other friends gave her a complete surprise. About twenty in number partook of a bounteous supper of all the delicacies of the season.

The following instructors compose the faculty of the Y. M. C. A. educational department: G. Q. Packer, Geo. B. Titsworth, F. B. Cockburn, Edward C. Pearson, Frank B. Randolph, H. C. Munger, E. H. Ladd, jr., E. A. Embury, E. L. Walz, jr., and J. A. Robinson. A. J. Gavett, C. E. Boss, J. C. Whiting and Frank W. Howland have either substituted or rendered temporary assistance in this department.

At the Park Avenue Baptist church last Sunday morning, the Rev. J. W. Richardson was greeted with probably the largest congregation ever at a regular morning service in that church, and a very large number attended the evening services. As usual some of the city ministerial brethren were present. The baptismal service was made very impressive by the assistance of the organist who played very softly during the ceremony. The candidates were dressed in white. The ordinance of baptism will be administered to some to-morrow evening. All are welcome to these services.

—No offer refused on lamps at Allen's.

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WRECKED BY DYNAMITE.

Safe-Blowers at Raritan—No Booty Secured.

SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.

RARITAN, N. J., Dec. 17.—A daring attempt at robbery was made here at an early hour this morning in the office of Wm. Vossler & Co., coal dealers, Anderson street. The large safe in the main office was blown to atoms by some powerful explosive, supposed to be dynamite, as the damage done was great. The attempt was fruitless, as the strong box contained no money, and nothing but the books and papers of the coal company. The explosion set fire to the building. The fire was discovered by Joe Phillips, the news agent, on his morning rounds. He at once gave the alarm and the fire department quickly responded. The blaze was extinguished before it had done much damage. The office was entirely wrecked by the blowing open of the safe, both front and back of the iron box being entirely torn away. The desks and other office furniture were completely demolished. John Traynor, saloon-keeper, who lives next door, heard the explosion at 4 o'clock, but did not get up, as he thought the noise was caused by the bursting of a barrel of ale in his cellar. At 6 o'clock the fire was discovered by Phillips. Vossler & Co. as a rule do not keep much money in their safe, except about the middle of the month, when the employes of the Raritan Woollen mills pay their bills. The mills pay on the 15th of each month, and Vossler & Co. had made large collections since that time. They were therefore supposed to have quite a sum of money in their possession when they went home last night. They had evidently been watched, and the money was supposed to have been in their safe. They had fortunately taken the money with them. There is no clue to the perpetrators of the deed, although some suspicious persons in the town are being closely watched.

CROSS-COUNTRY CHASE.

Pink-Coated Hunters Breakfast With Friends at Netherwood and Follow the Anise-Seed from Fanwood.

The Essex County hounds, accompanied by members of the Richmond County, Meadowbrook and Genesee Valley clubs, met this morning at the residence of William Palmer Smith, at Netherwood, where they were entertained at breakfast at 1 p. m. The hounds were thrown off in the direction of Fanwood about 3 this afternoon, and twenty-five pink coats started for a cross-country run of fifteen miles towards the Essex County Kennels at South Orange. They were followed by a number of carriages by the road. The guests besides the hunting men were the immediate neighbors and a few friends from New York, who came out by special car on the 11:30 train and returned by the 4 p. m. and 5:19 p. m. trains.

The breakfast was served at small tables, decorated with roses and ferns. The middle table in the dining room held a large fox, lying in a bed of ferns. Sherry served.

Those at breakfast were:

Hunting Men — Chas. Pfinger, Emil Pfinger, George Day, I. Dallets, C. A. Heckscher, H. L. Herbert, Arthur Lee, C. A. Munn, Benj. Nicoll, D. Robinson, jr., R. Stevens, J. A. Stewart, jr., W. W. Tucker, J. R. Townsend, J. C. Wilmerding, jr., Geo. O'Reilly, T. Luis de Onativia, Norman Henderson, R. Ferguson, Thomas Headly, Chas. D. Freeman.

Guests—Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shepard, Mrs. John Doull Miller, A. D. Shepard, jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reinhart, Mr. Magoun, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Anthony, Miss Anthony, J. Stouell Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Bowen, Gen. and Mrs. W. H. Sterling, Miss Talmadge, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. T. Finch, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Grinnell, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Ralli, Mrs. A. P. Smith, Miss Smith, the Rev. and Mrs. S. P. Simpson, Miss Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hoadley, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Coe, Mr. and Mrs. Piere Mali, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. DeForest, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bloodgood, Mr. and Mrs. Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Townsend, Robert Center, T. Suffern Taller, Mr. and Mrs. Fellowes Davis, Miss Davis, Miss Baker, Miss Edith Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McKim, Miss Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Tileston, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Renwick, Julian Potter, Henry Prescott Hotch, Misses Young, Misses Coppell, Miss Wotherspoon, Mrs. E. M. Cole, Mrs. E. A. Townsend, Robert W. Taller, Misses Redfield.

Bad Workmanship Starts a Blaze.

Carelessness in putting up a furnace caused a fire at 95 West Seventh street yesterday afternoon. John Cose and James Stites were working on the roof and noticed an odor of smoke. They found that a hot pipe had been left lying across a girder, which took fire. In 10 minutes more the flames would have gained great headway. Cose and Stites put out the fire. A North Plainfield man had charge of the furnace work.

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One of the features of the Cleveland revival next March will be the inauguration of Baby Ruth as the White House goddess. In anticipation of this event "Baby Ruth" jewelry is the popular Christmas fad. Together with many other novelties, this style of children's souvenirs may be seen at Collier's. Call and make your selection while the stock is new.

—Every conceivable toy moving fast at Allen's.

DEATHS.

WOOD—In this city Dec. 13, 1892, Jane Ann Rutan, beloved wife of Robert Wood, in her 61st year.
Funeral from her late residence, 52 East 4th street, Thursday, 15th inst. 3

DRAKE—In this city at the residence of her mother, 76 Sherman avenue, Mrs. Oliver A. Drake, daughter of the late Edward J. Hillman

GREEN—Suddenly, in this city Dec. 15 1892, Minnie, wife of Samuel Green, in her 34th year.
Funeral services at her late residence, 67 Plainfield avenue, corner 4th street, Sunday, Dec. 18, at 2 p. m.

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Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg, W. M.
D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis B. Blackford, Pres.
Wm. H. Lunger, R. Secy. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Easter Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
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The Plainfield athletic club is now prepared to give instructions to young men in the art of sparring and other light exercises at their rooms, 25 Lee place. Having three spacious rooms we are also able to give private lessons.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

WANTED—Washing and ironing at home. Apply 96 West 4th st. 12 15 5

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WANTED.—Eight thousand dollars, ($8,000) on improved city property, worth $20,000. Address Owner, care Press. 12 14 4

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GOOD rooms and board. 26 Central avenue. 12 3 27

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LOST—Female dog mastiff and greyhound; mixed light tan color. Finder please call at 105 East Front street. Reward.

A WOMAN or man and his wife wanted (no children) as tenants; nominal rent. Apply 124 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Fine Jersey cow. 239 West 7th street, near Clinton avenue.

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LOST—November 26, a pug dog. Finder will be suitably rewarded on returning him to 32 Sycamore avenue, North Plainfield. 12 16 2

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LOST—Between Evona and Plainfield, canvass sachel containing machine clipping knives. Reward; leave at Seguine's livery. 12 16 2

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Thanks, I knew it would interest you. Imperial Flour only $5.00 per bbl. And while you are interested I would call your attention to Canned and Dried Fruits of all kinds are in *now*, and the prices are low at

J. F. MacDONALD,

THE UP-TOWN GROCER.

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A WESTFIELDER WILL INITIATE CLEVELAND.

The Sigma Chi Society Ready for a Solemn Ceremony that Chauncey B. Ripley will Conduct with Much Pomp and Circumstance.

President-elect Grover Cleveland will within the next two weeks go through the mysterious and possibly painful ordeal of initiation to membership in Theta Theta Chapter of the Sigma Chi fraternity, which body made him an honorary member at Ann Harbor, Mich., last February. Chauncey B. Ripley, of Ripleyville, Ripley county, New Jersey, an ex-consul of the alumni chapter of Sigma Chi, has been charged with the duty of initiating the President-elect. The time and place of the ceremony have not been fixed yet, but to settle these and all other details the following letter has been sent out by direction of Dr. Theodore A. K. Gessler, consul of the chapter, from the headquarters of Sigma Chi in New York city:

NEW YORK, Dec. 14, 1892.

DEAR BROTHER:—Dr. Gessler requests you to meet with Sigma Chi at his residence, No. 107 East One Hundred and Third street, on Monday, Dec. 19, at 8 p. m., to arrange for the initiation of Mr. Grover Cleveland, recently elected by the Theta Theta Chapter a member of Sigma Chi. Yours fraternally,

H. S. COLLETTE, Annotator.

R. S. V. P. P. O. box 3,067, New York.

The initiation of Mr. Cleveland has been long expected by college fraternity men in New York and elsewhere, but it was delayed from time to time and was understood finally to have been abandoned.

Mr. Ripley said yesterday: "It is true that I am to initiate Mr. Cleveland as an honorary member of Sigma Chi. I can not say, however, when or where the ceremony will be performed. The last time we fixed upon a date nearly a hundred newspaper reporters came to me and it was evident that they would make it too public an event."

"Will anyone but yourself and Mr. Cleveland be present at the initiation?"

"Oh! yes, there will be members of Sigma Chi representing thirty States of the Union."

"And the features of the initiation, of what nature are they?"

"Secrets, secrets. Only the members know the nature of the ceremonies."

Mr. Ripley explained that Mr. Cleveland's invitation to join Sigma Chi was extended while the ex-President was on a visit to Ann Arbor to address the students of the University of Michigan on Washington's Birthday. He accepted at once, and a committee of students went to the railroad station, waited for the train which carried Mr. Cleveland, and wanted to initiate him then and there. But the engineer would not stop and the students had to give up the project. Other postponements were made necessary by Mr. Cleveland's retirement at Buzzard's Bay and by the pressure of his engagements during the political campaign. Now, as is seen by his note to the editor of *College Fraternity*, Mr. Cleveland is ready for the initiation ceremonies. Sigma Chi is ready, too, and the great event will be consummated.

—Allen will sell at cost until Christmas choice from twenty different styles daintiest souvenirs.

WHO DOES HE MEAN?

Frank Haffner's Ugly Insinuations Against Some Wetumpka Lodge Official.

(Dunellen Weekly Call.)

To the Editor of the Call:—In your article "Wetumpka to Tuscarora", of the 8th, in which I appeared very prominently, I noted particularly that portion which referred to my having made the change honorably. I should say so, and since then I have been asked for reasons respecting my withdrawal from Wetumpky lodge and feel that this affords me a good opportunity for explanation, and which is as follows:

I did not wish to be connected with any lodge whose members had so little respect for themselves as to elect to office in their lodge, a man who has no faith whatever, in either the lodge or its members. It would probably be well for me to also state that I do not owe the lodge a dollar. To the contrary the lodge is indebted to me, and I have given it ample time to pay it by taking its drafts, payable monthly, without interest or security. Besides this I have been, and am still, an endorser on the paper of the lodge room committee, given in settlement of the lodge room purchase, and which will, no doubt, be taken care of by the lodge, as well as the drafts that I hold. Is it any wonder that I became disgusted? F. P. HAFFNER.

—Allen's Christmas stock eclipses all. They undersell.

That Rahway Fake.

[Yesterday's New York Sun.]

The story of the arrest of James Frouatt on the charge of murdering the "Rahway Girl" March 26, 1887, which was printed in THE SUN yesterday, was untrue and without any foundation whatever. The man who furnished the story to THE SUN is J. J. Healy of Rahway, who has done work in Rahway for several New York newspapers for some time time. Besides this he is an operator employed by the Western Union Telegraph company. THE SUN takes this opportunity to warn its contemporaries against him.

—See perpetual motion in Allen's show window.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my business.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

THE YOUNG MEN LOSE AGAIN.

They Got Behind at the Start, and Could n't Catch Up.

The Arthur Kulls scored another victory in the *Journal* trophy tournament last night, when they defeated the C. Y. M. L. of this city. The score:

ARTHUR KULL.		C. Y. M. L.	
Ovebon	145	J. J. Lynch	180
Blanchard	177	Butscher	154
Forbes	134	Kneeland	120
Cooley	147	Powell	180
Waters	144	Hughes	128
Sawyer	172	Winn	144
Gardner	152	Kenney	161
Husbands	165	Carty	130
Ackor	140	Zeville	158
Whipple	188	Gallagher	137
	1564		1502

BY FRAMES.

A. K.....170 342 495 688 857 1028 1115 1235 1402 1564
C.Y.M.L..140 299 433 577 715 856 1014 1202 1360 1502

The tournament record to date:

	Won	Lost	Percent.
Elizabeth Field Club	3	0	1.000
Arthur Kull Asso'tion	3	0	1.000
Y. M. C. L. A.	2	0	1.000
Union County Roads'rs	1	1	.500
Pioneer Bowling Club	1	2	.333
Crescent League	1	2	.333
Alcyone Boat Club	1	2	.333
Roselle Casino	0	2	.000
C. Y. M. L.	0	3	.000

—Allen offers inducements is why he's rushed.

To-Day and To-Night on Rollers.

Lively times are being had among the young folks at the Crescent rink this afternoon. A throng of school-children are flying around on rollers and impatiently waiting for the third trial heat in the championship race for the gold watch.

To-night will be the last opportunity to skate with music until Christmas. At 9:30 the fourth trial heat in the "trades" race for the ball-bearing skates will be started. Entries can be made at the skate-room up to time of starting. After the race, skating will continue until 10:30. Complimentary tickets will not be good after to-night.

—Allen's twenty extra clerks treat all courteously.

—Drums, horns, sleighs, tool-chests, wagons, rockers—Allen's.

Beer Brewers Try to Make Mr. Linke Take Water.

Mr. Hawes, a representative of Ballantine & Co., the Newark brewers, accompanied by another of the firm's employes as a witness, came to Plainfield at noon to-day and threatened Frank Linke with prosecution if he did n't at once take his "Card" out of THE PRESS.

The "Card" objected to appears again on the first page of this issue and will remain there—Mr. Linke told Mr. Hawes—as long as Ballantine & Co's "Card" above it is published.

Mr. Hawes left with commands and warnings which Mr. Linke refuses to obey or pay any attention to.

—Allen, agent, union cash register, cheapest, best.

Those Cellar Thieves at Dunellen Also.

The Dunellen *Call* says: "Thieves have been committing many petty robberies about town of late. Isaac J. Stites was relieved of his Sunday dinner, Saturday night. The robbers broke into the cellar and carried away every thing they could find. The burglars next entered the cellar of Charles L. Zender, but as Mrs. Zender does not keep many of her eatables in the cellar they did not get much. It is to be hoped these thieves will be caught soon and severely punished."

—Allen, agent, Smith Premier typewriter, the only.

—Crayon portraits free, satisfaction guaranteed, Allen's.

Diphtheria at Dunellen.

It is reported by the Dunellen *Call* that a family residing near West Dunellen has had one of its members at home sick with diphtheria, while the children are allowed to go to school and other places, rendering scores of children liable to the disease. Such cases should be reported to the board of health, who will immediately upon notice take steps to keep such forms of disease which are liable to spread, from becoming epidemic.

—Marvelous, running electric motor, one dollar, Allen's.

A Little Uneasy.

Edsall says he is getting a little uneasy about his immense stock of Christmas goods, and therefore has "cut prices" on many articles at this early date to make sure sales. He states that he is displaying a larger and handsomer line of goods than ever before and at the lowest prices. This will afford our townspeople an excellent opportunity to make their purchases at home and save money too.

—Christmas tree candles and ornaments at Allen's.

We endorse all the proprietors say about the merits of Salvation Oil. It is the greatest cure on earth for pain. 25c.

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Six for six dollars.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning to insure publication.

[FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT.]

Meetings will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms to-morrow at 9:15 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Dr. J. L. Hurlbut will preach morning and evening in the Methodist Episcopal church.

A meeting will be held as usual at the Mt. Pleasant school-house to-morrow evening.

There will be Swensk Predliking by pastor Ekman to-morrow at 3:45 p. m. at Park Avenue church.

A meeting will be held as usual at the Memorial chapel at Washingtonville, to-morrow evening.

At Bethel chapel, to-morrow, there will be morning service at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8.

The usual services will be held in Reform Hall to-morrow at 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. Captain Morrison will lead the afternoon meeting.

In the Warren Union mission chapel to-morrow there will be Sunday-school at 2:30, song service at 7:45, and devotional service at 8.

Mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph's church to-morrow at 8:30 a. m., and High Mass at 10:30. Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m. and vespers at 8.

Charles B. Brown will conduct the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow at 4:15 p. m. There will be quartette and solo singing.

In the First Church of Christ to-morrow there will be preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Lord's Supper at 11:45, and Sunday-school at 3 p. m.

Services will be held in the German church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. There will be preaching by the Rev. F. Koechli, and Sunday-school at 9:15 a. m.

In All Souls' church to-morrow services will be held at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The pastor, the Rev. Hobart Clark, will preach. The Sunday-school will meet at 11:45 a. m.

At St. Mary's church to-morrow masses will be celebrated at 7:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 a. m. Vespers will be held at 8 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

The services in Hope chapel to-morrow will be: Preaching service at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; song service and preaching, 7:45 p. m. G. Kennedy Newell, pastor, will preach.

German Lutheran services will be held by St. Peter's congregation to-morrow in Warren Mission chapel at 10:30 a. m., and Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. The Rev. Edward Klonka, pastor, will officiate.

In the Park Place M. E. chapel to-morrow there will be Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m., class meeting at 7 p. m., and public worship at 7:45 p. m., conducted by E. C. Pease, on the subject, "What Shall I Do, Lord?"

In the Crescent Avenue church [the Rev. Wm. R. Richards, D. D., pastor], services will be held to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., with Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. All seats are free at the evening service.

In the Congregational church to-morrow the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor, will officiate. There will be morning service at 10:30, Sunday-school at 2:45 p. m., and evening service in charge of Christian Endeavor society at 7:30.

In Grace church to-morrow, the Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, will officiate. There will be early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a.m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11; Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 4:30.

In the First Baptist church to-morrow there will be: 9:30 a. m., season of prayer; 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., preaching by the Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school and Bible class for men, with unusually interesting services.

In the Trinity Reformed church to-morrow the pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. The evening subect will be: "The Prayer-meeting on the Steamship *Spree*". The Sabbath-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

Services will be held in the First Presbyterian church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The evening service will be a praise service. The Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor, will preach. Sunday-school will be held at 2:30 p. m., and the Y. P. S. C. E. will meet at 7 p. m.

In the Church of the Holy Cross to-morrow the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector, will officiate. There will be celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 a. m., morning prayer and sermon at 11 Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and afternoon service at 4:30.

In the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow, the Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor, will preach. Themes: Morning at 10:30, "The Last Time"; evening at 7:45, "Faith Not Sight". The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m., and Y. P. S. C. Endeavor meeting at 6:45 p. m. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the close of the evening sermon.

In the Church of Our Saviour, to-morrow, the Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector, will officiate. There will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday-school at 3:30 p. m., and evening prayer at 4:15. Two free stages will leave the railway station on North avenue in the morning, for the church, at 10:30, and return at the conclusion of the services.

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A Common Sense Remedy.

In the matter of curatives what you want is something that will do its work while you continue to do yours—a remedy that will give you no inconvenience nor interfere with your business. Such a remedy is ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS. These plasters are not an experiment; they have been in use for over thirty years, and their value has been attested by the highest medical authorities, as well as by testimonials from those who have used them. They require no change of diet and are not affected by wet or cold. Their action does not interfere with labor or business; you can toil and yet be cured while hard at work. They are so pure that the youngest, the oldest, the most delicate person of either sex can use them with great benefit.

Beware of imitations, and do not be deceived by misrepresentations. Ask for ALLCOCK'S, and let no solicitation or explanation induce you to accept a substitute.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease, Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Ave., opposite railroad station. 5-16-y

HANDS WERE USELESS.

A Wagner Palace Car Conductor's Story.

Ira J. Flannigan Badly Crippled and Relief Right Near.

Bore the Pain as Long as He Wanted To—"A Perfect Sight."

I. Jerome Flannigan is well known to the traveling public.

He is one of the most courteous conductors the Wagner palace cars have had in their employ.

Mr. Flannigan's home is in Burlington. A short time ago he was down with rheumatism. "In the winter of 1890-91," he says, "rheumatism came out on my hands so that they were a perfect sight. They were so swollen as to be almost useless. A druggist painted them for me with iodine, and then I went to one of the leading physicians in town, who gave me some medicine, but it did not reduce the swelling or give my any relief.

IRA J. FLANNIGAN.

"I then used Paine's celery compound, and before I had taken one bottle I felt that I was gaining, and after continuing to use the compound for a few weeks, my hands regained their natural shape and the rheumatism left me entirely. Since then I have not had the least trouble from that disease, and my recovery is due wholly to Paine's celery compound."

A well known and conservative physician has said: "Paine's celery compound is generally considered a certain specific for the cure of rheumatism, and so much better results are obtained from it than from all the usual remedies that it has become a regular prescription among the most eminent practitioners. I prescribe it regularly and believe that every rheumatic victim should use it."

—Popular sheet music given away at Allen's.

A Busy Day, Mr. Brown's Farewell.

Charles B. Brown will give his last talk, before leaving for his new field of labors, to his Sunday-school class, tomorrow afternoon, in the First Baptist church. At 4:15 the men will march in a body to the Y. M. C. A. rooms, where Mr. Brown will bid the young men of Plainfield good-bye, after conducting the regular meeting. In the evening, Mr. Brown will lead the Baptist mission in East Third street.

—Dolls free for the poor at Allen's.

—In the crowd? You are at Allen's.

—Twenty Christmas specialties at cost at Allen's.

Do not let your dealer palm off on you any new remedy for colds. Insist on having Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

AN ORDINANCE

To lay out and open Sycamore street from the northerly side of East Fifth street to the southerly side of East Fourth street.

The inhabitants of the city of Plainfield, by their common council, do enact as follows:

Section 1, That Sycamore street in the city of Plainfield from the northwesterly side of East Fifth street to the southeasterly side of East Fourth street be laid out and opened so that said street shall be of the uniform width of twenty-five (25) feet on each side of the centre line thereof, which said centre line is described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northwesterly side line of East Fifth street, said point being distant twenty-four and eight-tenth (24.8) feet in a magnetic course of north forty five degrees and forty-three minutes west (N. 45 deg. 43 min. W.) from a stone monument in the intersection of the centre lines of said Sycamore and East Fifth streets as now laid out and opened, and running from said beginning point north forty-five degrees and forty-three minutes west (N. 45 deg. 43 min. W.) over lands of Elizabeth Chapin, Charles H. Hand, Agnes Littell, Catherine Lynch, Margaret Thatcher, William H. Brower, Justus H. Cooley, The Plainfield Bicycle club and Michael Quinn, a distance of three hundred and sixty-two and twenty-one one hundredths (362.21) feet to a point in the southeasterly side line of East Fourth street; said point being distant twenty-four and seventy-nine one-hundreths (24,79) feet in a course of South forty-five degrees and forty-three minutes east (S. 45 deg. 43 min. E.) from a stake in the centre line of East Fourth street and there to end.

The land to be taken, in addition to the land already dedicated to the public, consists of a narrow strip beginning at the intersection of the northerly side of East Fifth street with the easterly side of said proposed street, and running thence northwesterly along the said line of said proposed street seventy and eighty-five one-hundredths (70,85) feet to a point in line of lands now or formerly of Charles H. Hand; thence along the said last mentioned line south thirty-nine degrees and thirty-two minutes west (S. 39 degrees 32 minutes W.) a distance of ten and eight one hundredths (10.08) feet to a point; thence south forty-five degrees and fifty-four minutes east, (S. 45 degrees 54 minutes E.) a distance of sixty-nine and forty-eight one-hundredths (69.48) feet to a point in the northwesterly side line of East Fifth street, thence along said northwesterly side line of East Fifth street north forty-eight degrees and eight minutes east, (N. 48 degrees 8 minutes E.) a distance of nine and eighty-four one-hundredths (9.84) feet to the place of beginning.

That the lands and real estate and the portions necessary therefor shall be taken and appropriated for the said laying out and opening of Sycamore street as aforesaid, pursuant to the charter of the city of Plainfield and the general statutes in such case made and provided.

The land to be taken and the lines of said street as the same is hereinbefore ordered be laid out and opened are shown on a map on file with the City Clerk entitled "Application Map to Lay Out and Open Sycamore Street from the northerly side of East Fifth street to the southerly side of East Fourth street, city of Plainfield, N. J., April 1892."

Adopted by the Common Council December 5, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor December 8, 1892.

A. GILBERT, Mayor.

Attest: F. W. RUNYON, City Clerk.

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For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 07, 7 52, 9 26, 9 26, 10 08, 11 07 A.M.; 12 26, 2 26, 4 04, 5 17, 7 07, 7 42, 8 42, 9 20 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 59, 9 26, 2 26, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 7 07 and 9 20 P. M.
FOR ATLANTIC CITY
1.20 P. M. Through day coach), week-days. For Cape May Sea Isle City and Ocean City, 1.20 P. M., week-days.
For Trenton—1 00, 6 07, 7 10, 7 52, 9 05, 9 26, 11 07 A. M.; 12 26, 2 26, 4 04, 5 17, 6 07, 7 42, 8 42, 9 20 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 59, 9 05, 9 26, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 7 07 and 9 20 P. M.
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For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 20 P. M.
For Flemington—7 52 A. M.; 2 26 P. M.
For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden via Trenton—7 52, 11 07 A. M., 1 20, 2 26, 7 42 P. M. Sundays at 10 41 A. M. and 7 42 P. M.
A full line of tickets are on sale, and sleeping car accommodations can be secured at the ticket office at Elizabeth.
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(Anthracite coal used exclusively insuring clean linese and comfort.)
Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in Effect, NOV. 13, 1892
PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.
Leave Plainfield 2 14, 5 37, 6 36, 6 05, 6 29, 6 59 7 20, 7 30, 7 36, 8, 8 15, 8 27, 9 21, 9 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 03, 1 02, 2 30, 3 13, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 15 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 01, 8 02, 11 43, A. M, 12 03, 1 43, 3 30, 5 16, 7 15, 8 28, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.
Leave Newark 6 15, 7 18, 7 50, 8 05, 10 05, 11 35 A.M., 1 05, 1 35, 3 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 53, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 12, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 46, 9 50, 10 35, 11 44, A. M., 1 10, 2 55, 4 10, 5 40, 6 08, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.
Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.
PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.
Leave Plainfield 8 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m. 12 27 1 59, 2 33, 3 45, 4 35, 5 03, 5 20, 5 38, 6 04, 6 20, 6 38, 7 12, 7 35 8 30, 9 57, 11 13, 12 45 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 28, 9 34, 11 15 A.M., 2 03, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 18, 11 14 P.M.
Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 08, 7 25, 7 50, 7 48 8 20, 9 05, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 2 05, 3 35, 4 50, 5 32, 6 51, 8 41, 9 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 3 26, 11 15 A. M., 12 03, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND EASTON
Leave Plainfield 8 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 8 28 A. M. 2 03, 6 35, P. M.
Leave Easton 6 05, 8 35, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 6 20 p. m.
WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
5 18 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 43 A. M. for Flemington, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazltoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.
5 05 p. m., way for High Bridge.
5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk:
6 20 P. M. for Flemington.
6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.
8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
For Atlantic City, 8 27 a. m. 1 02 p. m.
Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c
Leave Plainfield 8 27, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.
For Perth Amboy, 8 27, 8 28, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 57, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.
For Freehold, 8 27, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.
ROYAL BLUE LINE.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 20, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 1 22, 3 04, 4 55, 6 22, 8 30, 9 27 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48, 11 15 a. m., 3 05, 5 14, 6 35 p. m., 1 17, night.
For Trenton 5 15, 8 20, 9 42, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 22, 3 04, 4 55, 6 22, 8 30, 9 27 p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday—9 34, 11 15, a. m., 2 03, 5 14, 6 35 p. m., 1 17 night.
For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 2 15, 4 13, 5 34* (6 30* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48 a. m., 2 15, 5 14* (5 54 Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night.
RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,
Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05, a. m., 1 30, 3 15*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, p. m. 12 01, night.
Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 6 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.
From 26th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 20, 9 20, 11 15, a m 9 13*, 6 30, 8 15, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 3 23*, 6 20, 8 15*, p. m.
Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 00, 9 02, 10 12, 11 39, a. m. 3 0 8, 4 08*, 4 40, 5 54, 8 52, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m. 4 08*, 6 49, 7 07, 9 00* p. m.
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Orders called for and goods delivered free of charge. 11-14-tf

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Over Laire's Hardware store, I am prepared to do all kinds of
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At short notice.
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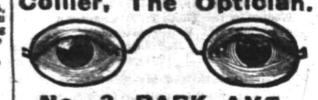

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A CARD.

We beg to call the attention of the public to the fact that Mr. Frank Linke, of Plainfield, N. J., is no longer served with our beer, and we request our patrons to send their orders in the future to Mr. William H. Cawley, of Somerville, N. J., who will give the same his prompt attention and supply them with our goods in fine condition.

BALLANTINE & CO.

Referring to the above card, I beg to add that I shall establish a bottling business in the city of Plainfield as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. In the meantime, I shall promptly deliver all orders sent to me.

WILLIAM. H. CAWLEY,
Somerville, N J.

12 13 1m-c 12 15 4

Another Card.

Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

FRANK LINKE'S WHOLESALE LIQUOR ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 43 West Front Street

A Great Christmas Special Spot Cash Sale

Every item actually reduced and plainly marked in bold figures. Our counters, windows and shelves fairly bristle with business, and all are well worth your close study and examination. The success of this sale is a compliment to our reputation, and proves beside that the public "know a good thing when they see it.

Best Leghorn citron	25c. lb.; 2 lbs. 45c	New soft shell almonds	1 lb. 25c
Best table raisins, layers in clusters	15c	New English walnuts	2 lbs. 25c
Fine table raisins (in clusters)	2 lbs. 25c	New mixed nuts	2 "
Best California raisins	4 "	New Holiday mince meat	3 "
Best currants	4 "	Oranges, from 15c. per dozen up	
Choice new figs	2 "	Choice mixed candy	3 lbs. 25c
Best new golden dates	4 "		

Extra special inducements with tea and baking powders. Fine creamery butter 28c. lb. Don't fail to ask for one of our beautiful calendars.

Mail orders receive the same prompt attention as if you were here in person.

Store open evenings until 9 p. m.

United Tea and Coffee Growers' Assio'n.,
29 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

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Dent's Dress Gloves
In all the popular shades for gentlemen.

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Hatters and Men and Boy's Fine Furnishings.

The largest stock of BOY'S SHIRT WAISTS in the city.

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Evening Dresses,
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Kid Gloves and Kid
Slippers Cleaned.

HILLIER & CO'S.,
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My stock of candy for the Christmas season of 1892 will be the largest and the variety the greatest ever offered in Plainfield. I guarantee prices the lowest in the city.

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Also have other mountain property for sale at various points, viz.: near Washington Rock, 35 acres, house and barn; plots back of Plainfield, west of Somerset st., and on Johnston drive.

J. T. VAIL, Real Estate and Insurance Broker, Dealer in Blue Stone Flagging, etc.,
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B'dway. 49 TELEPHONE 75 A

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BIRD'S CUSTARD POWDER.
AN ENGLISH SPECIALTY MAKES DELICIOUS CUSTARD Without Eggs.
A 25c. package will be sufficient to make four pints, which can either be served in dishes or from glasses.
A supply, fresh from England, has just been received by the LEADING GROCERS.

THE FOLLOWING ALL KEEP IT:
G. W. Bockfellow, Plainfield, N. J.
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THE NEXT MORNING I FEEL BRIGHT AND NEW AND MY COMPLEXION IS BETTER.
My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. This drink is made from herbs, and is prepared for use as easily as tea. It is called
LANE'S MEDICINE
All druggists sell it at 50c. and $1 a package. If you cannot get it, send your address for a free sample. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day, in order to be healthy this is necessary. Address, ORATOR F. WOODWARD, Le Roy, N. Y.

Building Moving.
The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.

Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

41 East Sixth Street.
9 19 6m

Carty & Stryker
Opened their new store with a full line of first-class
Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables,
CHEAP FOR CASH,
Saturday, November 26, corner
CENTRAL AVE. AND SECOND STREET.
If you will kindly favor us with your order, it will receive prompt attention.
Don't forget the place, corner Central avenue and Second street. 11 23 tf

F. D. WHITING, Engineer,
Will contract for
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Licensed to put in City Water.
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Estimates furnished. Work done promply in a first-class manner. 12 3 y

BLAINE'S DEATH NEAR AT HAND

The Ex-Secretary's Family Now Admit That He Cannot Survive.

REVIVED WITH GREAT DIFFICULTY FROM HIS SINKING SPELL.

Excitement in Washington Intense When the News Spread that He Was Dying—He is Lying Now in a Semi-Unconscious State—A Slight Improvement Which Does Little to Allay Apprehension.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The life of James G. Blaine still hangs trembling in the balance. For a long time yesterday hope was abandoned and the end was momentarily expected by physicians, family and friends. All simulation is thrown aside in the apparent imminent presence of death, and the suppressed facts of his illness, the long denied but now admitted Bright's disease, the occasional intervals of delirium, the long hours when he has lain incapable of speech or motion, these and other distressing features of his illness all incidental to the one overpowering organic trouble, are now admitted.

The physicians assert that there have not been any hemorrhages, as has been stated, but this is almost the only alarming symptom which is now denied.

The first crisis was reached between 10 and 11 o'clock yesterday morning, when a sinking spell set in from which the worst was feared.

His family were called around the bedside, and his physicians sent messenger after messenger to the nearest drug store with prescriptions requiring hasty attention.

The patient lay unconscious, and, to all appearances, dying, until shortly before 1 p. m., when a rally set in. His pulse, which had almost ceased to beat, again became perceptible, and partial consciousness was restored.

While the improvement in Mr. Blaine's condition is but slight and not sufficient to afford any encouragement to his family, the reaction has seemed to modify the feeling of apprehension for the immediate future.

All through the day and night representatives of the press patrolled Madison place and carefully watched the old red mansion which has become celebrated for its historical associations and the fatality with which misfortune has followed its occupants. From the Sickles-Keys tragedy, which occurred more than a third of a century ago, followed by the attempted assassination of Secretary Seward during the last year of the Civil War, down to the present time, the pall of ill-fate has hung over the mansion. During the less than four years occupancy of this house by the Blaine family, Col. Coppinger's wife, Walker Blaine and Emmons Blaine, the Secretary's promising sons, have died.

The excitement throughout the city was intense as the news of Mr. Blaine's condition spread, and, Sunday though it was, the newspapers issued extras which found a rapid sale.

From an intimate friend of the family it is learned that it was only when Mr. Blaine was suddenly seized with the sinking spell yesterday, which threatened for some time to terminate with heart failure, that his family fully realized how near he was to death. For a few seconds he seemed to be in extremis, and the watchers bent anxiously over him.

The emaciated face of the dying statesman was white as marble, and his features were sadly drawn. At times he scarcely seemed to breathe, and at others gasped for breath.

The physicians who had been hastily summoned were in the meantime not idle. They plied him with stimulative cordials, the trained nurses chafed his extremities, and it was only after working over the patient for upwards of 30 minutes and the application of every art known to the medical profession that Mr. Blaine slowly revived.

Federation of Labor Officers.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.—The Federation of Labor increased President Gompers' salary from $1,500 to $1,800 per annum, and the salary of the secretary from $1,200 to $1,500. All of the old officers were re-elected, except second vice-president. Wm. A. Carney, of Pittsburg, who took an active part in the Homestead troubles, was elected to that office. Chicago secured the convention for 1893, after a close fight against the claims of Denver.

All Quiet Along the Rio Grande.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 19.—The commanders of the Mexican troops on the northern frontier report that everything is quiet on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande. The statement that the Mexican government has petitioned the American government to withdraw the Apaches from the frontier is here pronounced untrue, although it is admitted that the question will be diplomatically treated.

Mail Collector Charged With Theft.

WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 19.—A sensation was caused here last night by the arrest of Harry Houser, a United States mail collector, charged with the theft of stamps from the postoffice and with shoplifting. He confessed his guilt. Houser is popular in the community and only Saturday was a candidate for Mayor before the Republican primaries.

Brave Sailors Rewarded.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Dec. 19.—Captain W. F. McDonald, of the St. Jacques schooner Sylph, has been presented with a gold watch and chain, and the crew with medals and money by the United States Government for rescuing the captain and crew of the American vessel H. A. Ducan during a heavy storm, at the risk of their own lives.

Maine $5,000,000 Richer.

AUGUSTA, Me., Dec. 19.—The returns of town assessors have increased the State valuation about $5,000,000 since the report of 1891. The valuation is now put at $265,000,000. The valuation fixed by the State Board will probaby show a gain of nearly $10,000,000 over the figures of the valuation commission.

Cholera Still in Hamburg.

HAMBURG, Dec. 19.—There were 25 cases of cholera here last week and two deaths.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

FATHER CORRIGAN'S APOLOGY.

The Settlement of the Case Causes General Satisfaction.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The settlement of the difficulties between Bishop Wigger and Father Corrigan, of Hoboken, N. J., is regarded with much satisfaction by all Catholics.

Bishop Wigger appointed a committee of priests to visit Father Corrigan and endeavor to induce him to apologize. To this proposal Father Corrigan made the following reply:

RT. REV. DEAR BISHOP:

Having received kindly suggestions from mutual friends who have consulted you and extended to me advice that I highly appreciate, I am glad to yield whatever may justly be expected of me to put an end to the controversy.

Nothing would give me more annoyance than to have been guilty of violating the respect due to you, and also to the Most Rev. Metropolitan Archbishop Corrigan, and wherever I have intentionally gone beyond the proper bounds, I hereby express my regret for it, and pray both of you to overlook it.

I believe you have tried to be just in the admistration of your diocese, and I am satisfied that whatever mistakes you may have made did not proceed from malice.

As regards the future, you need have no apprehension that I have any intention of attacking yourself or your government in the papers.

Your servant in Christ,
PATRICK CORRIGAN.

Bishop Wigger acknowledges the receipt of Father Corrigan's letter in the following communication:

DEAR FATHER CORRIGAN:

I hereby accept, cheerfully, the apology that you have written, and which Very Rev. Dean Flynn and Father Cody have brought to me. I hereby discontinue the trial, and wish you every blessing.

Yours, very sincerely,
W. M. WIGGER,
Bp. of Newark.

DESPERATE MARTIN FOY.

His Latest Attempt to Escape—Stricter Measures to be Taken With Him.

BALLSTON, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Murderer Martin Foy seems to be desirous of excelling Oliver Curtis Perry, the train robber, in his attempts to escape. Late Saturday night he thrust excelsior filling from the mattress through the door of his cell, and then set fire to it with matches that had been allowed him for cigarette smoking.

Dan Deyse, John McDonald and Charles Planto, three short term prisoners who were allowed to sleep in the corridor, gave the alarm and partially quenched the flames with buckets of water before Jailer Smith arrived from his apartments. Foy cursed them and said he would like to knife the Sheriff if he had the opportunity.

Yesterday, during religious services conducted in the corridor by the W. C. T. U., he continually clanked his chain and kept up a run of profanity.

Stricter measures will be taken with him in the future.

MISS HALL WILL RECOVER.

Her Mind is Much Clearer and She Now Appears Quite Rational.

NORWALK, Conn., Dec. 19.—Banker Russell E. Hall's daughter, who created a sensation several days ago, by disappearing in New Canaan and who returned of her own volition two days later, has been suffering with a very severe and nervous prostration since last Monday, but is now better and will recover. Her mind is also clearer than it has been for weeks past. She appears quite rational, but cannot remember just where she had been, but knows she had hidden in a barn.

Investigation has convinced her parents that their daughter was secreted all the while in on old carriage in the banker's barn.

Investiture of Rev. Thomas F. Moran.

TRENTON, Dec. 19.—The investiture of Rev. Thomas F. Moran, whom the Pope has appointed as a Domestic Prelate with the title of Monsignor, will take place in St. Paul's Church at Princeton on Tuesday the 27th inst. The ceremonies will include a sermon by Vicar General McFaul of the Trenton Diocese and addresses by Dean Murray of the Princeton faculty and others. All the Catholic clergy of the Trenton diocese will be present.

Senator Gibson's Funeral.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 19.—The remains of Senator Randall Gibson arrived here at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They were removed to the residence of Col. Hart Gibson on the Herrodsberg pike just beyond the city limits, from where they will be taken to St. Paul's Catholic Church at 11 o'clock this morning, where the funeral services will take place.

Cars For the Chicago Traffic.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—The Grand Trunk railway is already arranging for the World's Fair. They are having 260 special cars built for the Chicago traffic. Of these, five are already completed and are now in operation on the line. They have all distinguished literary names, such as Dante, Dickens, Goethe, Scott and Burns.

Don't Want to Be Coadjutor.

PEORIA, Ills., Dec. 19.—Bishop Spalding, who has just returned from the St. Louis conference, said when spoken to about his proposed appointment as coadjutor to Archbishop Kenrick, that he does not want to go to St. Louis, and is satisfied to remain bishop of Peoria.

Georgia Legislature Adjourns.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 19.—The Georgia Legislature adjourned early yesterday morning after a 50 days' session. The main session was devoted largely to appropriation bills, the most notable act being its refusal to accept the home for Confederate veterans.

THE SILVER PROBLEM.

Its Advocates Disappointed by the Adjournment at Brussels.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The silver men in Washington are much disappointed at the adjournment of the Monetary Conference at Brussels. They say that while the adjournment is called only a recess until next May, it is their expectation that the commissioners will not meet again, as was the case of the International Monetary Conference when that body adjourned to meet at a later date, but, as a matter of fact, never reassembled.

The silver men admit that absolutely nothing has been accomplished by the conference; nor do they expect even in the event of a resembling of the conference in May, for any better results.

Mr. Bacon, chairman of the House Committee on Banking and Currency, says that now the conference is over his committee will proceed to a discussion of the bills before it for the repeal of the Sherman law, but it is the opinion of the financial leaders of both the House and the Senate that there will be absolutely no silver legislation in this Congress.

RUN DOWN AT SEA.

The Lighthouse Tender Iris Sinks a Schooner and Rescues Her Crew.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 19.—The schooner Payne of Northport was run down and her crew rescued by the United States lighthouse tender Iris, Capt. Matthews, on Thursday night last.

The Iris left here on Thursday for a tour of inspection. Off Boone Island the watch reported lights ahead, moving across the steamer's bow. The whistles were blown, but it was too late. The Payne was almost cut in two.

Three of the schooner's crew clambered up the steamer's side, but Capt. Duncan remained by the schooner until she began to sink, when he escaped in a small boat. He was picked up after a long search. The Payne was bound from Boston to Northport with a full general cargo. There was no insurance on the cargo she carried.

Capt. Duncan says he mistook the steamer's lights for Cape Porpoise, and that he therefore ran in close to avoid danger.

The crew was taken to Boston, where Capt. Duncan failed to report the accident.

ENGINEERS IN SECRET SESSION.

They Say Wages Should be Increased During the World's Fair.

JACKSON, Mich., Dec. 19.—Members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers to the number of 400 held a secret meeting here yesterday. They represented the engineers of the New York Central, Lake Shore, Pennsylvania, Michigan Central, Nickel Plate, West Shore, Erie and Lackawanna. Chief Arthur was in attendance.

The meeting grows out of the grievance of the engineers of the Michigan Central, who desire a contract with the road similar to one recently made by the engineers of the Lake Shore.

The question of wages during the World's Fair was taken up, and it was decided that wages of engineers on all the trunk lines should be increased.

Chief Arthur said the meeting was a social reunion.

Dr. Graves Despondent.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 19.—A letter received here from an intimate friend of Dr. T. Thatcher Graves, convicted of murdering Widow Barnaby, of Providence, and now in Canon City, Col., prison, says that the condemned man has become despondent, and fears that he will not get another trial. He was very hopeful a week ago, but the delay in the Supreme Court has unnerved him.

Murderers Must Go to Sing Sing.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—In accordance with the decision of the Court of Appeals that condemned murderers must, after sentence, be removed at once to the prison in which the sentence is to be carried out, five murderers now in the Tombs will be taken to Sing Sing this week. They are Carlyle W. Harris, Thomas Pallister, Michael Sliney, John L. Osmond and Frank W. Rohl.

A Bank Wrecker Convicted.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Dec. 19.—Rufus E. Graves, president of the Commercial National Bank, has been found guilty on all five counts for crooked transactions which brought about the wreck of the bank in 1888. The penalty for his offense is from five to ten years' imprisonment. Charles H. Harris, the cashier, who was also indicted for a similar offense, will now be tried.

Bedecked Him With Jewels.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 19.—Angeline Pratt, of New Haven, came to Providence four days ago on a Christmas jubilee with $400. She made the acquaintance of Ned Rourke, an electrical supply drummer, and bedecked him with costly jewels, so Rourke says, but Angeline charges him with robbing her.

Seriously Injured at Roselle, N. J.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 19.—Mary Nugent, aged 30 years, of Cranford, was a passenger on the train on the Lehigh Valley road which reached Roselle at 5:18 o'clock. In alighting from the train she was struck by another going in the opposite direction and seriously injured.

Baldwin Settles With Mr. and Mrs. Kelley

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A despatch from Waterbury, Conn., says: Ex-Mayor Baldwin, who took the poor debtors oath a few days ago, has paid the claim held against him by Mr. and Mrs. Kelley of New York, and has returned to New York.

Appeal for a Condemned Murderer.

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—Counsel for Wm. I. Coy, who was convicted of the murder of John Whalen at Washington, Mass., and sentenced to be hanged January 27 next has petitioned the Governor for a commutation of sentence.

LIVE WASHINGTON NEWS

Programme of the Week for House and Senate.

THE ALARM OVER GOLD EXPORTS.

Secretary Foster Says the Reserve in the Treasury Will be Kept Up—How the Adjournment of the Monetary Conference is Regarded—Mrs. Morton Too Ill to Return to the Capital.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—With the approach of the holidays the attendance in both Houses of Congress is steadily diminishing and it is doubtful whether a quorum can be maintained in either the Senate or the House during the few days that remain before the Christmas recess begins. In this state of the case it is improbable that any business that promises to arouse opposition will be undertaken, which negatives the possibility of action on any subject of large popular interest.

In the Senate adjournment has been taken to-day as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Senator Gibson of Louisiana.

In the morning hour to-morrow the McGarrahan bill will be further discussed. This measure has been allowed to occupy the morning hour by unanimous consent as long as any one cared to speak upon it. Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, has entered the lists, and as he is understood to have made a thorough study of this famous claim his remarks, together with the rejoinders that will doubtless be made may prevent the Senate from reaching a vote on the proposition to pass the bill over the veto, until after the holidays.

The anti-Option bill still hangs over the heads of the Senators as the unfinished business and will come up for further discussion after the morning hour on each of the three working days remaining before the recess, but it is not expected a vote can be reached in that time.

The programme of the House has been definitely outlined for three of the four days on which Congress will be in session before the holiday recess.

To-day is Committee Suspension Day, and the roll of committees will be called and an opportunity given to each committee to pass one bill, provided it can secure a two-thirds vote and escape a point of no quorum by even one member.

To-morrow is made a special order for bills from the Committee on Public Lands, and Wednesday has been similarly alloted to the Commerce Committee.

Thursday is chiefly set apart for adjourning over the Christmas recess, and apparently will not otherwise be noteworthy.

After the holidays the appropriation bills will begin to monopolize the time of the House. Thus far the Army bill, reported by the Military Committee, is the only one of the regular annual appropriation bills on which action by the House has been had.

THE FINANCIAL SITUATION.

Secretary Foster Says the Gold Reserve in the Treasury Will be Maintained.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Secretary of the Treasury Charles Foster to-day expressed himself freely to a reporter respecting the alarm felt in financial circles over anticipated large gold exports. He said he looked upon the situation not simply as a spectator awaiting retirement from office.

"I am Secretary of the Treasury," he said, "and will be until relieved on March 4 next. My duty will be performed in the interest of the public welfare as vigorously as if my time were not soon to end. Every resource at my command will be availed of to preserve the parity of gold and silver, as I am commanded by law."

"How about the reserve in the Treasury?"

"No one can obtain gold from the Treasury without paying money for it, and with the money thus received I can recoup the gold. There is also the right vested in the Secretary of the Treasury to sell bonds, if necessary, to maintain the gold reserve. The Treasury situation as to the cash balance is such as to permit the free use of cash received for gold to again obtain the gold."

"Will the gold reserve be maintained?"

"It will be. I firmly believe that with the resources at the command of the Department I shall not be seriously embarrassed in more than maintaining it."

JUSTICE LAMAR'S ILLNESS.

Not Considered Dangerous, But He Will Be Removed to a Different Climate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—It is probable that Justice Lamar of the United States Court will not sit again with the Court during the present term.

The illness which has confined him to his bed for several days past and for intermittent periods before the present attack does not show any signs of rapid improvement, although it is not considered dangerous, and the family of the venerable jurist think it best to remove him to some climate better suited for treatment.

The Foreign Trade of Germany.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The first published official information concerning the foreign trade of Germany for 1891 has just been transmitted to the State Department by Consul-General Edwards at Berlin. It shows that 9 1-2 per cent. of Germany's imports come from and 12 1-3 per cent. of her exports come to the United States. Great Britain heads the list of countries with which Germany does business, furnishing 15 per cent. of imports and absorbing 20 per cent. of exports.

Mrs. Morton Cannot Return to Washington

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Washington society learns with regret that the condition of Mrs. Morton is such as to prevent her return to the National Capital. It had been expected that the receptions and other social events at the Vice-President's mansion this winter would in a large measure take the place of the official functions at the White House.

St. Helena in a Bad Way.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—St. Helena, Napoleon's famous prison place, is not prospering. James B. Coffin, Consul, reports to the State Department that the revenue of the island decreased $75,000 in the past year, and that immigration has fallen off, while emigration has increased.

Gen. Rosecrans' Condition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Gen. Rosecrans continues to improve rapidly. He goes about his room and appears to have regained his normal health.

Note the date.

Marion Harland,

Author of "Common Sense in the Household," writes, February 5, 1892: "After long and careful trial of others, I prefer

Cleveland's

Baking Powder. Cleveland's is a pure cream of tartar and soda mixture, not containing alum or ammonia or any other substance deleterious to the human stomach."

Marion Harland

ANOTHER SUPPOSED VICTIM.

A Hungarian Dies, and Is Believed to Have Been Poisoned by Homesteaders.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 19.—Louis Sim, a Hungarian, who worked at the Carnegie steel works at Homestead during the strike, is dead at the Allegheny general hospital, and the physicians say it is believed he was poisoned.

This is the first case of the alleged poisoning reported to the coroner, and a thorough investigation will be made. Coroner McDowell says he will have a chemical analysis made of the stomach, liver and kidneys to ascertain if the man died of poison.

Sim was 42 years of age and was employed as a laborer. He had been sick eight weeks and was reduced in weight from 180 pounds to 90 pounds. He was taken to the hospital Saturday.

To Demand Higher Pay.

WABASH, Ind., Dec. 19.—The telegraph operators on the Wabash railroad system will in a few days demand an increase in wages and a modification in existing rules. If the company rejects the proposed new scale a strike is almost certain to follow. The Wabash company, it is said, will hear the men as employes, but will not recognize the order of telegraphers.

Goddard After Corbett.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Joe Goddard, the prize fighter, has deposited with George A. Siler, the sporting editor of a local paper, $3,000 forfeit money as an evidence of his desire to fight Jim Corbett. Goddard declares that he will fight for $5,000 or $10,000, as Corbett may elect, and the fight can take place in any large city in the United States.

Alphonse Rothschild Wounded.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—While Alphonse de Rothschild was hunting near Ferriere in Allier yesterday his companion's gun went off accidentally and the ball cut a deep furrow in his right cheek just below the eye. The surgeon who dressed the wound says there is no immediate danger of blindness.

First Patient in Yale Infirmary.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 19.—Emory Hawes, a member of the freshman class in Yale has been taken to the Yale infirmary critically ill with rheumatism. He is a son of ex-Judge Hawes of New York city and is the first patient to be treated in the new infirmary.

For Assistant Postmaster-General.

ALBANY, Dec. 19.—The "Argus" says this morning: There is reliable authority for the statement that the position of Assistant Postmaster-General under the incoming administration will be filled by the Hon. Robert A. Maxwell, of Genesee.

Will Resubmit Prohibition.

YANKTON, S. D., Dec. 19.—A poll of the State Legislature shows a decided majority for resubmitting the Prohibition law. A majority of the members are opposed to any change in the Divorce law or any adverse railroad legislation.

Valuable Horses to Be Sold.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Several car loads of valuable horses are now enroute here from the West. Among the most noted horses are Stamboul, Cricket, Alma Mater and Nancy Lee, a dam of Nancy Hanks.

Mrs. Bowers a Maniac Now.

BRIDGETON, N. J., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Bowers, who shot and killed her husband, is a raving maniac. She has tried repeatedly to dash out her brains against the stone walls of her cell.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Emperor William says he does not intend to visit the Chicago Exhibition.

—Henry W. Hilliard, lawyer, soldier, author and diplomat at times in his career, is dead at Atlanta, Ga.

—Joseph N. Dubarry, second vice-president of the Pennsylvania railroad company, is dead in Philadelphia, aged 66 years.

—At the closing meeting of the American Federation of Labor at Philadelphia a resolution was unanimously adopted asking clemency for the imprisoned Chicago Anarchists, Neebe, Fielding and Schwab.

—Gen. Wade Hampton, in a letter from Columbia, S. C., to a political follower, absolutely declines to re-enter politics.

—Fire destroyed the grocery and structure belonging to James Masters of Plymouth, Pa., Sunday. The loss is $10,000.

A Philadelphian Killed at Waverly.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 19.—F. N. Atlee of Philadelphia started to walk from one car to another on the train due here from Philadelphia at 11:39 a. m. yesterday, and in the effort was thrown off the platform near Waverly and was killed.

Borden Trial May Be Delayed.

TAUNTON, Mass., Dec. 19.—Chief Justice Mason is authority for the belief that the Borden trial will not take place before February, and perhaps for not a month or two later.

Final Action in the Yale Trouble.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 19.—The Yale faculty will hold a special meeting next Tuesday for the purpose of passing final sentence upon the freshmen concerned in the disorder of Dec. 8.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For Northern New Jersey, Fair Till Tuesday Morning; Increasing Cloudiness and Local Snows on Tuesday; Winds Shifting to Northwesterly on Tuesday; Colder by Wednesday Morning.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The city council meets to-night.

—Select something for Christmas from Estil's choice stock.

—Estil has the assortment of Japanese goods and holiday novelties.

—The children all say, "I hope Santa Claus gets my candies at Tier's!"

—"Cut prices" on Christmas goods at Edsall's to make a "clean sweep".

—Hope chapel seems to be increasing in membership all the time. There were 342 present yesterday.

—A disgraceful fight took place yesterday afternoon at Dunellen between two well-known characters of this city.

—Remember Allen is headquarters for Santa Claus, and there he saves money and gets presents to suit every case.

—Twenty-five clerks will endeavor to accommodate the crowd at Allen's, so come at once, if you wish to get suited.

—Dickinson, the jeweler, 13 Park avenue, is displaying beautiful and useful Christmas gifts and the prices quoted are very reasonable.

—Japanese screens, glove boxes and fifty other Japanese specialties at cost and below. Lamps of all kinds at your own price, Allens.

—Among the features of the Cornet Band fair in the rink, is a pair of Raymond extension skates to be voted to the most popular school boy.

—The handkerchiefs that Pope is selling two for 25 cents are a bargain. Other goods suitable for holiday presents in great variety can be found there.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Boys' Mission band will be held in the Crescent Avenue church parlors to-morrow afternoon at 4. Subject, "Syria".

—Drums, horns, sleighs, rockers, toolchests, juvenile books, a thousand different styles of toys in iron and wood at prices that induce "Old Santa" to load up at Allens.

—The rehearsals of the amateur theatricals to be given at the Casino, the evening of the 29th inst., show that a great deal of hitherto unknown talent of the sort has been hidden away or undeveloped "in our midst".

—A prize fight took place at Grant avenue on the Rocap lot yesterday between two bantams from Elizabeth, named McCabe and Apgar, for $50 a side. They fought 26 rounds when McCabe was declared the winner.

—Eighty-six is a remarkably big Sunday-school class. That is the number Miss Newman taught in her primary class yesterday afternoon at Hope chapel. Miss Lunger, however, had eighty-seven in her class at the Park Place chapel. Christmas is coming, you know.

—The people of Elm place will to-night present a petition to the common council praying for much-needed street and sidewalk improvements. It is not right that one of the oldest streets in town should be such a mudhole. The roadway should be macadamized, and the sidewalks paved.

—Plainfield housewives are in an ecstacy of admiration over Demarest's show windows. That popular dealer in fine groceries is displaying a delicious variety of luscious fruits. The arrangement is most tasteful, and the assortment most tempting. If you have'n't yet admired the pleasing exhibit, stop and look.

—Senor Gottlieb, who so thoroughly introduced Hires root beer to the country that it is now the household beverage in every clime, is in town to-day with "Cherry Sap" that knocks the spots out of your cold, and "Goldshine" that takes the spots out of your metal work. He is now head of the firm of Gottlieb, Marshall & Co., chemists and manufacturers of druggists' specialties with headquarters in this country and Germany.

Trouble Developing for Both Parties, After Six Months.

On a warrant issued by justice Nash of this city, Warren Clark of Westfield was arrested Saturday for an assault and battery committed on Wesley Brokaw of the same place, last May. Constable Mattox took the accused before justice Pearsall, who, seemingly not knowing Brokaw's condition, released him on his own recognisance. Clark may be rearrested, as Brokaw is now in a very bad way from the effects of a kick below the abdomen.

Some Boroughites Will Fight the Extension of Peace Street.

W. E. Brock and some other property owners along the line of the proposed extension of Peace street into the borough, have called a citizens' meeting for Wednesday evening, at Spencer's hall, Somerset street, to protest against the great improvement and develop ways and means, if possible, to delay, if not prevent, it.

The readers of our publications are requested to use Salvation Oil for any and all pains. It is a sure cure. 25c.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1836 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

EXTRA!

Latest News By Wire to THE PRESS.

MR. BLAINE'S CONDITION.

A Statement that There Is a Slight Improvement This Morning.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—A reporter visited Mr. Blaine's house at 9 this morning and was informed by the attendant, who answered the bell, that "Mr. Blaine is a little better this morning and had a fair night's rest". Mr. Blaine suffered an attack of heart failure yesterday and was thought at one time to be dying.

A great many government officials stopped at the house this morning and received the same information in regard to Mr. Blaine's condition. Secretary John W. Foster was one of the earliest callers, and Senator Paddock of Nebraska was not far behind him. Each of them subsequently said that he had been told that there had been slight improvement in Mr. Blaine's condition since yesterday morning.

A CITY'S SAFE PLUNDERED.

Papers Taken Out and Burned in the St. Louis City Hall—Suicide of Two Men.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.]

ST LOUIS, Dec. 19.—The vault of the City Treasurer at the City Hall was found open this morning, and a number of papers taken therefrom had been placed on a table in the office and burned.

Later it was learned that Edward Foerstel, son of City Treasurer Foerstel, and his assistant, had committed suicide.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

The engagement is divulged of Miss Elizabeth Way and John Leal.

Mrs. John W. Murray and the Misses Murray will be at home Monday, January 2, from 4 until 7, at 110 Central avenue.

Signor Crispo, son of President Crispo of Venezuela, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Griffen at their home on Prospect place.

The funeral of Mrs. Louis Mattox took place at St. Mary's church, this morning. The Rev. Father Cushing officiated. A handsome floral tribute was presented by Mr. Mattox's fellow employes of Music Hall.

Dr. Comegys Paul, who was taken so suddenly and seriously ill just after midnight of Friday last, that doctors and neighbors were summoned and his relatives and lawyer sent for, was much better yesterday.

Mrs. Edward Connors, of West Third street, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Gibbons, of Brooklyn, started to-day for Chicago to spend two weeks with their brother, who they have not seen for over twenty-five years.

George F. Brown, purser of the steamship *Banan*, of the Ward line, plying between New York and Cienfuegos, Cuba, came into port on Friday. He spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Leader of Duer street. He sails on a return trip to-morrow.

The funeral of James E. Fancher, jr., who was killed by the cars at Plainfield station, Saturday morning, will be held at his late home, Fanwood, to-morrow afternoon at 3. He was 38 years of age. A number of his Plainfield friends will attend the services.

Noah W. Pike's home on East Front street, where he has lived for over thirty years, is a model of mechanical art. This house, one of the oldest in the city, but well built, has been thoroughly overhauled, and the last touches of Marsh, Ayers & Co's workmen make it one of the attractive residences of that refined neighborhood.

Charles B. Brown's bible class in the First Baptist church, presented him yesterday with a handsome autograph album with their names and a purse of money. There were 140 of the members of the class present, and they afterwards went to the Y. M. C. A. rooms in a body where he subsequently spoke. A petition has been drawn up calling upon all of influence and power in the church, to persuade Mr. Brown to remain in Plainfield.

—"Cut prices" on Christmas goods at Edsall's to make a "clean sweep".

BLAMED HER MOTHER-IN-LAW.

Samuel P. Mulford's Brother-in-Law Wants a Divorce.

New York has furnished South Dakota with another divorce case, in which there is to be a bitter fight. Herbert H. Winslow, author of "A Barrel of Money", "Birds of a Feather", "Town Lots", "The Idea", "Silent Partner", and at present engaged on a play for Nat Goodwin, is the plaintiff.

Daisy E. Winslow, the defendant, is at Sioux Falls. She is accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Harriet Smith, and by her brother-in-law, Samuel P. Mulford, son of E. C. Mulford of this city. Winslow alleges desertion in October, 1890. Mrs. Winslow says this is not so. She asserts that she lived with Winslow until August, 1892, when he left suddenly. She lost all trace of him until she was served with the summons from South Dakota.

To a reporter she said:

"My husband's mother is to blame for all our troubles. She had wonderful authority over him, so much so that up to the time he was 25 years of age he never dared have his hair cut without her consent, which was often given in writing. My husband would always leave me about 2 or 3 in the morning to return to his mother's house in time for breakfast."

A motion for alimony was heard at Yankton last Friday, but the case will not come to trial until March.

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A MASTERFUL LECTURE.

The Rev. Mr. Woude Interprets "Macbeth" to a Plainfield Audience.

The lecture on Shakespeare's glowing tragedy of "Macbeth", delivered at All Souls' church last Friday evening by the Rev. Henry H. Woude, was the third lecture which he has given in Plainfield, and by it the reputation which he has already made here as a skilful illustrater and interpreter of Shakespeare's works was more than maintained. His lecture was no mere piece of literary criticism or æsthetic analysis as so many Shakespearian lectures are. He went more deeply into the motive of the great master's work, and brought out even more skilfully than it is usually done upon the stage the moral significance of those human passions and spiritual forces which the play illustrates.

He held his audience spell-bound for more than an hour as he led them with an interest almost painful in its intensity among those weird shadows illumined by hardly a single gleam of pure sunlight through which the unhappy victims of a false ambition move onward to their inevitable doom. He claimed, and apparently proved without the aid of argument, that the character of Lady Macbeth has been usually misunderstood. She was not selfish, nor ambitious for herself. She was a true woman with many attractive qualities, and not a moral monstrosity, though for her husband's sake, and united by her own self-confidence, she tried to become so, but her temporary success only emphasizes her ultimate failure.

The passages from the text by which Mr. Woude illustrated his lecture were rendered finely and impressively, and heightened the effect of his rational interpretation of one of the greatest pictures in the English language of the way in which human souls are lost.

Mr. Woude is to be congratulated on his successful treatment of his most difficult and painful subject.

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Miss Spangenberg Leads a Meeting.

The winter conference of the Union County Christian Endeavor union was held in the old Presbyterian church at Springfield, Friday night. The church was filled with Endeavorers who came from all parts of the county. This city was represented. Pastor Hoppaugh welcomed the delegates, and the conference opened with a praise service, led by the president, Almeth White, of Rahway.

The address was on the "Aspect and Prospect of Christian Endeavor", by the Rev. George H. Payson, of Rahway. It was admirable and helpful. William B. Hamilton, of Elizabeth, read an excellent paper on "Evangelistic Work". Several parties in minute talks told of the helpfulness in their church of Christian Endeavor. Miss Alice B. Spangenberg, of Netherwood, conducted the consecration meeting, which closed the conference.

Out-Classed Again.

For a club that has been so long in existence and so full of experience, the Crescent League of this city is, this season, making some pretty poor attempts at bowling. Last Saturday evening they were beaten again by visitors on their own alleys, although the Crescents led in the beginning. The score:

JERSEY CITYS.		CRESCENTS.	
Field	140	VanEmburgh	166
Scudder	128	VanAlstyne	158
Brown	141	Teel	136
Hoyt	144	McIntyre	129
Schemerhorn	181	Wood	126
Huson	161	Petrie	141
Starrett	169	VanWinkle	138
	1064		994

Supper was served after the match and a general good time was had.

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John Kean, Jr., in Another Business.

John Kean, jr., has engaged in a new enterprise in Union county. Articles of incorporation were filed Saturday with county clerk Gerber by the New Jersey Agency company. The incorporators and stockholders are John Kean, jr., Julian H. Kean, his brother; George C. Kobbe, of Short Hills, and James A. Speer, of Hoboken. The company will locate its business in Elizabeth, with a branch office in New York city, and will deal in stocks, bonds, mortgages and the collection of rentals. The paid up capital is $10,000.

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A Mistletoe Reminder.

If you but hang the mistletoe the miss'll toe the mark,
And you may then swoop down upon the ruddy labial arc;
But if you do, in Christmas faith 'twould be the proper thing,
To get for her at Collier's a commemorative ring.

—Finest books and stationery for Christmas gifts at Estil's.

New remedies are being constantly introduced to the public, but Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup still maintains its pre-eminence.

An unusual offer—the one that's made by the proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Unusual, but made in good faith. It's a reward of $500 for an incurable case of Catarrh. If you have one, the money's for you. But you can't know whether you have one, till you've tried Dr. Sage's Remedy. What's incurable by any other means, yields to that. By its mild, soothing, cleansing and healing properties, it cures the worst cases, no matter of how long standing. That's the reason the money can be offered. There's a risk about it, to be sure. But it's so small that the proprietors are willing to take it.

The symptoms of catarrh are, headache, obstruction of nose, discharges falling into throat, sometimes profuse, watery, and acrid, at others, thick, tenacious, mucous, purulent, bloody, putrid and offensive; eyes weak, ringing in the ears, deafness; offensive breath; smell and taste impaired, and general debility. Only a few symptoms present at once.

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AT REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY,

From ten cents up into the dollars. Fine Handkerchief Essences and Colognes in plain vials or in elegant cut-glass bottles, single or by the pair; Sachet Powders in fancy packets or by weight; Toilet and Manicure Sets; Combs and Brushes; also a choice selection of Japanese Trinkets, for every use, for every age; "trifles light as air." Prices are lower than Vantines.

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AT PACKER'S FURNITURE EMPORIUM,

23, 25 AND 27 PARK AVENUE.

"CUT PRICES!"

On Edsall's immense stock of

Christmas Goods

To make a "clean sweep."

Great Bargains

In Elegant New, Useful and Ornamental PRESENTS at

EDSALL'S.

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We have only the space to enumerate a very few of the many styles of foot covering to be found only at Doane & Edsall's that are especially appropriate for Christmas Gifts:

Men's and Women's Russia Lea Fausts
" " Genuine Alligator Slips
" " Tan Ooze Calf Slips
" " Fine Goat Slips
Boys', Youth's and Child's Alligator Slips.

Ladies Ooze and Suede Oxford and Theo Ties in white, black, tan, gray. Corn and pink satin. Red Shoes in all styles for men, women and children. Don't forget the baby. Call and examine the finest line of infant's fancy Shoes at prices far below New York stores.

DOANE & EDSALL.

Christmas Gifts.

The latest novelties in Jewelry—beautiful designs in Stirling Silver, 14 karat gold and roll plate. Largest stock; greatest variety in the city at

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COLORED CHAMOIS SKINS

Are among the unique line of HOLIDAY GOODS, our stock of which is complete. Don't wait, but come early and select. No trouble to show goods.

CENTRAL PHARMACY,

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DEATHS.

WOOD—In this city Dec. 13, 1892, Jane Ann Rutan, beloved wife of Robert Wood, in her 61st year.
Funeral from her late residence, 52 East 4th street, Thursday, 15th inst. 3

FANCHER—Suddenly, at Fanwood, N. J., Dec 17, 1892, James E. Fancher, jr., aged 38 years. Funeral services at his late residence, Fanwood, N. J., Tuesday, Dec. 20, at 2 p. m.

MANICURING

At 109 East Front Street

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DON'T FORGET

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FOR YOUR

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Grand series of Concerts and Bazaar by the

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Concert at 8

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PHONOGRAPH ALL THE TIME,

Every evening.

Proceeds for the new uniforms and music for free concerts.

ADMISSION 10c. SEASON TICKET 50c.,

Entitling holder to chance on a barrel of flour. 12 19 6

Peace Street Opening.

All persons who have been taxed for the opening of Peace street, are requested to attend a meeting to be held at Spencer's Hall, North Plainfield, Wednesday evening, Dec. 21, 1892 at 7:30. Don't fail to be there. Important business. 12 19 3

HOLIDAY GIFTS!

The largest assortment of Paintings, Etchings, Mirrors, Albums, Oil, China and Water Color Boxes, Easels, etc., ever offered, and at very reasonable prices.

SWAIN'S,

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The Duchess of Dublin

—AND—

A Veneered Savage

will be given

AT THE CASINO,

Thursday, December 29,

At 8 p. m.

TICKETS $1.00

On sale at Reynolds's, Randolph's and Central Pharmacies.

Doors open 7.30. 12 19 6 eod

CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE OF Plumber's and Tinner's Tools

In the shop on Madison ave. near Front street,

Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 10 a. m.

W. R. MATTOX, Att'y for Mortgagee. 11 19 2

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Advertisements under this ending, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

WANTED—Washing and ironing at home. Apply 96 West 4th st. 12 15 5

A CASH register for sale. Inquire at E. P. Thorn's, No. 17 Park avenue. 12 14 tf

A QUANTITY of money to loan at five per cent. in sums to suit, on bond and mortgage. Address P. O. box 312. 12 12 6

GOOD rooms and board. 26 Central avenue. 12 3 2?

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS p c 11 14tf.

XMAS wreaths, roping and decorative plants at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 12 17 5

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, (white); references required. Apply Saturday or Monday evenings between 7 and 9 o'clock, 76 Rockview ave. 12 17 2

WANTED—Two women, or man and wife, (no children) as tenants; nominal rent. Apply 124 Broadway. 12 49 2

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

WANTED,—Plainfield residence for private house in New York or Brooklyn; income property. Whiting, 45 Broadway, New York City. 12 16 6

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FOR SALE—Registered Jersey cow; also closed carriage and double phaeton. 12 Rockview ave. 12 16 4

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Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 96, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bagg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 186, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. R. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Hester Lodge, No. 3,543, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
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Delicatessen and Lunch.

Foreign and Domestic Cheese, Preserves, Fruit Butters, &c.

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Best Creamery.....30 Cents
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A Question of Mathematics.

Two and two never did make five, and never will.

We take the cost price of our goods, add a much more moderate margin of profit than is indicated above, and sell them out quick, before the styles and season change.

We have a fine stock of correct Overcoats and Pea Jackets. All this season's goods. Also an extra line of separate Trousers and everything in the line of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothes.

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Drum Major of the Holiday Business.

Right at the head of the procession. Our music may be a little fast, but join the procession and

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Choice Groceries, Fruits & Vegetables

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Now open for the reception of guests, under the management of George and Wallace V. Miller. House has been thoroughly renovated and re-furnished throughout, and contains all improvements. First-class accommodations for families and the traveling public.

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Fine China and Glass, Elegant Lamps.

The largest line we have ever had.

AT GAVETT'S.

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BUY FURNITURE

Hastily and repent it when they have more time.

DO YOU?

Buy your Furniture of

POWLISON & JONES.

34 West Front St., Plainfield.

Upholstering, Repairing, Mattress Making.

If You Want a Dress, a Handkerchief

Or a hundred things for a Christmas Present, you can find them at

HOWARD A. POPE'S.

Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS. 5-16-y

The 5 and 10 Cent Store Special Christmas Offer.

We will save you money by offering at cost until Xmas twenty of our choicest souvenirs. We will give away three thousand different pieces of popular sheet music, one copy with each and every dollar purchase You should see Perpetual Motion in our windows, and the largest stock of Christmas goods for old and young outside of New York, at twenty per cent. lower than all competitors. We will sell goods less than cost rather than keep them over, and as we are clearing out, come early, and you will go home happy. All who intend to buy we always sell to. Our store is a circus and a museum together and Santa just roars with laughter all the time he is here.

J. C. ALLEN, 28 West Front Street.

OUR STOCK OF

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

Is complete, including a full line of small goods and Sheet Music. We will now offer until after the holidays special bargains on all instruments.

Some of Our Goods

Kranich & Bach pianos, Mason & Hamlin pianos, Starr & Co. pianos, Jacob Bros. pianos, Ludwig & Co. pianos, Mason & Hamlin organs, Newman Bros. organs.

F. M. HULETT,

74 West Front Street.

Another Lot of Japanese Baskets

SEE THE WINDOW

AT RAND'S, 24 West Front St.

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OYSTERS R GOOD NOW,

And the place to buy them is at

Rogers' Sea Food Market

42 WEST SECOND STREET. 1 16

SEBRING'S

Men, Boys' and Children's Overcoats

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

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ONE MOMENT PLEASE,

Thanks, I knew it would interest you. Imperial Flour only $5.00 per bbl. And while you are interested I would call your attention to Canned and Dried Fruits of all kinds are in *now*, and the prices are low at

J. F. MacDONALD,

THE UP-TOWN GROCER.

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TIME SAVED ON THE CENTRAL.

Interesting Chat of the Big Double-Cylinder Locomotives that Speed Plainfield Commuters' Trains.

Every Plainfielder who travels has during the past year taken many trips behind the giant 385 and other compound double-cylinder locomotives on the Jersey Central that have broken the world's records for fast running. In these big "compounds" man is forcing his greatest and at the same time his most abject slave, steam, to do double work, to increase its capacity twofold in the matter of whirling great trains across the face of the country. This is the object of the "compound locomotive". Heretofore in the locomotive this great moving spirit has secured its liberty when once it has driven the great wheels around. Now it must do its work again.

Having served in one cylinder of the locomotive it must pass into another confining cell and there perform a task ere it may pass out and mingle with the atmosphere. That is what a "compound locomotive" means. It is one in which there is a double expansion of the steam. The future may bring with it triple expansion and perhaps quadruple expansion with their attendant gains. Just now the engineer is only feeling his way before making the first step in that direction. If success crowns his present efforts there is no telling what the future may develop.

A New York *Herald* reporter had a talk with Charles A. Thompson, superintendent of locomotive construction on the Central Railroad of New Jersey. Mr. Thompson is eminently a practical man. He is even given to frowning upon theories. But when once an improvement is demonstrated no man is quicker than he to grasp it. The Central to day—says the *Herald*—is one of the most important roads in the land that are trying the experiment of double expansion.

"I am not just yet prepared"—said Mr. Thompson—"to say that the compound locomotive will surely be the locomotive of the future and that all railroads will be forced to accept it. But I would not say it gives no promise of ultimate success. We are trying compound engines of the four-cylinder type—that is, one with two high pressure cylinders and two low pressure cylinders, one of each kind being placed on each side. The system is simple enough. The live steam passes first into the high pressure cylinder, and having done its work there passes into the low pressure cylinder, from which it is finally exhausted into the atmosphere through the smoke-stack, where it performs a third but minor service in forcing the draught from the fire-box.

"Speaking practically",—Mr. Thompson continued—"we have found many gains in the use of the compound locomotive. It unquestionably affords a saving of coal, which means a lessening of the cost of transportation. Accompanying the reduction of the amount of coal consumed is a corresponding reduction in the amount of water used in producing steam."

PUBLIC BENEFITS FROM THE NEW LOCOMOTIVES.

It was suggested to Mr. Thompson that this looked very fine as far as the railroad companies and their quarterly dividends were concerned, but just how the general public was to gain anything should the embryonic compound locomotive prove a success was not quite clear. He explained that the lessening of coal consumption, the most important factor in the matter of moving a train, must ultimately redound to the profit of the passengers. These things regulate themselves. Reduce the cost of moving a train between two points sufficiently, and railroads which now demand two cents a mile would be able to carry passengers at the rate of a cent and a half a mile with profit. The saving of water means an increase in speed, he said. An express train between New York and Philadelphia, which now has to slow down at given points to scoop up water from long, shallow troughs placed between the rails, by the new system would be able to maintain its highest rate of speed from the time it swung out of Jersey City until it crossed the Schuylkill. That means a saving of time, which increases as the journey becomes longer.

"That"—said Mr. Thompson—"is what the American people want—more speed at less cost—and that's what the railroads are trying to furnish. Still there are great difficulties which have yet to be overcome and there is still a wide field for invention in the compound engine. As in all experiments the builders of the new locomotive have not yet discovered all the best details of construction. Consequently the new engine is now too often found in the repair shop, and the public has to pay for that in the long run. That touches their pocket-book. Then the new locomotive, as at present constructed, shows a loss in steaming qualities. In the first place it demands an initial pressure of 180 pounds to the square inch, as against 150 pounds in the old simple engine. It is found difficult and well nigh impossible at present to maintain that increased pressure in the boiler. The steam, though performing double work in the cylinders in driving the locomotive, loses power for forcing the draught in the fire boxes, the heat falls and the steam pressure with it. That touches the public again in a tender spot, for they are not going as fast as they want to. However, the future gives bright promises for the new venture."

One of the most enthusiastic supporters of the compound engine is superintendent F. W. Johnstone, of the Mexican Central railroad. After having had six of them in operation for ten months over a division 118 miles long he reckons that they effected a saving of 22 per cent in the total cost of operation. As coal costs $15 a ton in Mexico it is easy to understand why they are happy over a saving in its consumption.

A compound engine costs about $10,000, or about $1,000 more than a simple engine.

—"Cut prices" on Christmas goods at Edsall's to make a "clean sweep".

HOW IT SEES HIM.

As Speaker, State Senator and Governor, a Man of Principles, Not Self.

[*From The Trenton True American.*]

We regret to note that our esteemed contemporary, the Newark *News*, bright as it is in all matters not clouded by its prejudices, so readily confesses its inability to reconcile the TRUE AMERICAN'S motto of "Principles, not men", with our advocacy of the election of Leon Abbett to the United States Senate.

And our pain is increased when we see our able, when unprejudiced, contemporary lay its desecrating and despoiling hand upon our motto and endeavor to usurp for itself the noble principle involved, while it, at the same time, confesses that its opposition to Governor Abbett is wholly personal and based upon a distortion of the lesson of his public life.

Says the *News*, "'Show me a vacant office and I'll show you how to get it,' is the whole Abbett creed squeezed into an apothegm."

The TRUE AMERICAN takes a very different view of the case. It looks in vain over the history of the past fifteen years of New Jersey politics to discover any evidence of any such selfish purpose in Leon Abbett's course.

It has seen him in the office of Governor, animated, it is true, by a desire to serve his party, but controlled by a purpose to benefit the State and its people.

It has seen him out of office, and has never heard of his candidacy for any other position than that of the United States Senate, for which he is eminently fitted, and for which ambition he needs no apology.

It has seen him as speaker of the House resisting the executive suggestion and establishing the system as to corporations which has builded up our vacant lots, enriched the local tax lists, and provided a large revenue for the State.

It has seen him as a State Senator offer the first effective resistance to the demands of the Pennsylvania railroad when it came into the State imbued with a purpose to rule it with a rod of iron, as it had ruled Pennsylvania.

It has seen him as Governor formulating, adopting and enforcing the law which asserted the State's supremacy over its creatures and which broke the monopolistic privilege of the railroads to practical exemption from taxation.

It has seen him reorganize the institutions of the State and place them upon an equal footing of intelligent, effective and economical management.

It has seen him give to the agricultural interests of the State their first hope for a remedy of the ills which have been forced upon them by insuperable conditions.

It has seen him preserve to the Judiciary of the State its historic greatness, independent of personal views and considerations.

And it has seen in his administration of public affairs a constant purpose to give to the people the best results of an intelligent, zealous and energetic care of their interests.

Having seen these things, from the position of one at least unprejudiced in his favor, the TRUE AMERICAN'S advocacy of Governor Abbett can well be placed under its motto of "Principles, not Men"; and we will certainly be excused for not yielding up that most gracious sentiment to the *News* which, by its own declaration, charges against one man the evils of the age, and refuses to recognize in him merits which have forced themselves upon less blind, if not more friendly judges.

The Columbia Daily Calendar

The only valuable daily pad calendar. The calendar for '93 is of the same general design as that of previous years, consisting of 366 leaves, one for every day in the year, and a calendar for the entire year. The day of the week, of the month, and of the year are given, and on each leaf is a short sermon on the "Gospel of Outdoors, Health, and Happiness", with valuable hints on practical road making. The leaves are so arranged that there will be no stub left, and each one can be referred to at any time during the year. The pad is upon a metallic stand of ivory black, arranged so as to rest upon the desk at a convenient angle. The pad matter, which in the aggregate is enough to make a book, is all fresh and new, and is of more pertinent value than that of any previous calendar. The calendar is issued by the Pope Manufacturing company, of Boston, New York, and Chicago.

—"Cut prices" on Christmas goods at Edsall's to make a "clean sweep".

—The Christmas buyers are at Allen's, if you would be informed, and if you are after assortment and low prices, you'll be there too.

BRILL BROS.

SHOERS,

Calf Skin,
Cork Sole,
Lace or Congress,
Thoroughly made,
Comfortable and healthy.

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BRILL BROS.,

MEN'S OUTFITTERS,

47 Cortlandt street, New York. 11 26 m

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

MANGLED AND BURNED

Eight Lost Life in the Wreck at Nelson, Minn.

FIVE ARE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Several Charred Beyond Recognition—The Men Were Asleep in a Caboose When the Locomotive of a Freight Train Crashed Into It—Two of the Hurt from Boston.

ALEXANDRIA, Minn., Dec. 19.—Eight men were killed and four seriously injured by the wreck on the Great Northern railroad at Nelson station, five miles east of here yesterday.

There had been a collision at Nelson Friday, and a number of cars were wrecked.

The wreck train had been there two days clearing up, and was making up preparatory to pulling out for the East. At about 1 o'clock in the morning the wreck train caboose was left standing on the main track with a number of cars. An eastbound freight was due about 1 o'clock, and had orders to sidetrack for the passenger train due here at 1:20.

There is a heavy grade west of the station, and as the freight, with 36 cars, under charge of Conductor William Nickey and Engineer James Maloney, approached the switch, the engine was shut off and brakes called for. There was no perceptible decrease of speed, and Conductor Nickey climbed out of the caboose, where he was, and began setting brakes, but the speed was too great to stop.

When within a train length's of the caboose, they saw that the track was full ahead, and both engineer and fireman jumped.

The engine struck the wreck train and threw the caboose on top of the next car, setting both on fire. There were 14 men in the caboose.

One jumped off, five were hurt, three were burned beyond recognition. One was totally burned up without a sign of his remains being found.

Two of the injured, Thomas Welch and Patrick Hannon, hail from Boston.

The men killed were wreck hands and were asleep in the caboose when the engine struck. Bergland, foreman, was the only one awake and had only barely time to call to his men and jump, thus saving himself, but the warning came too late for the others who were all killed or badly injured.

The injured were promptly removed to this place. The men that were burned presented a horrible sight, being literally charred.

The railway officials did all in their power to alleviate the sufferings of the victims by promptly sending physicians to the scene of the accident.

MANY BEQUESTS HAVE ESCAPED.

The Supreme Court Decision Will Greatly Benefit New York State's Treasury.

ALBANY, Dec. 19.—The decision of the Supreme Court in New York, to the effect that legacies in trust for churches or public institutions are taxable, if the will was probated prior to the amendments passed by the Legislature last winter excepting such bequests, opens a large field for additional revenue to the State through the collateral inheritance tax.

The State Comptroller believes that many bequests have escaped the tax because the surrogates believed that the amendments were retroactive. He will immediately look them up.

It is likely that Grace Church and the Metropolitan Museum of Art will take the case up to the Court of Appeals.

New Line of Ocean Steamers.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Advices from London state that all the papers for the organization of the Chesapeake and Ohio Steamship Company have been signed. The line is in the interest of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company. Contracts have been awarded to builders on the Clyde for the construction of six steamers.

Men Shut Up in a Burning Mine.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 19.—Fire broke out at 1 a. m. in Cahsba mine No. 3 at Blocton, on the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railway company's property. Several men are in the mine and will perish. Fire cannot be extinguished under two weeks and the loss will reach at least $50,000.

Must Pay the Judgment Now.

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—The Supreme Court has overruled exceptions taken by the Boston and Albany railroad in the action of tort of Joseph W. Sweat, brakeman, who was awarded a verdict of $10,000 for the loss of a hand. He will now collect that amount with $2,000 interest.

Southwick Jury Fails to Agree.

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 19.—The jury in Southwick case No. 2, which was brought by Catherine Southwick against Caroline Southwick, her mother-in-law, for alienating her husband's affections, for which she placed damages at $20,000, failed to agree.

$100,000 Fire in Buffalo.

BUFFALO, Dec. 19.—Fire broke out about 10:45 o'clock last night in the building of the Falk Manufacturing company on Jewett avenue. The building was entirely destroyed and the loss is estimated at $100,000 with $48,000 insurance.

To Save Him From Lynching.

STANFORD, Ky., Dec. 19.—For fear of mob violence, Len Tye, colored, the alleged ravisher and murderer of Miss Bryant of Williamsburg, has been removed to Harrodsburg, where he will be kept until the excitement dies out.

Struck by a Bridge and Killed.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 19.—George Grant, of Syracuse, a brakeman on a West Shore freight train, while leaning from a car as the train was passing through Oneida last night, was struck by a bridge and killed.

Connecticut's Labor Commissioner.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 19.—It is stated, with considerable authority, that in all probability the Labor Commissioner under the administration of Gov. Morris will be Prof. Arthur T. Hadley of Yale University.

Carnot Will Not Resign.

VIENNA, Dec. 19.—President Carnot, in a despatch from St. Petersburg, has informed the Czar that he will remain at his post under any circumstances to save France from internal disturbance.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—D. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Santa Claus
—AND—
CREDIT!

Of course everybody expects famous old Santa Claus to pay his compliments on Christmas morning; but even the resources of his royal highness seem somewhat short this year, and in order not to disappoint anybody he opened an account with us, and having laid in a large supply of useful holiday presents, departed on his happy tour delighted with our methods of selling every requisite of wearing apparel for men, women and children; also furniture, carpets, etc., on

Easy Weekly or Monthly Payments.

On credit without security. Clothing, Hats and Shoes, for Men and Boys. On Easy Weekly or Monthly Payments.

Cloaks, Jackets, Dresses, Millinery and Shoes for Ladies, Misses, and Children. Furniture, Carpets, Bedding and Stoves, On Credit, Without Security.

The Sherman Outfitting Co.,

49 and 51 West Front St.,

PLAINFIELD, N. J

N. B.—Until January 15th next, we will present to every one purchasing goods to the amount of twenty-five dollars or over, either for CASH or on CREDIT, a beautiful diamond ring, of solid gold, set with genuine diamond.

BOWLING FOR A CAKE,

For Which the North Plainfield Bachelors Will Have to Pay.

There was great hilarity at the Park club-house Saturday night, when the Benedicks bowled the bachelors for a big cake.

The gentler sex were out in great force, and joined gleefully in guying the players. The guying began with the first ball rolled, and was kept up unmercifully to the end. Mr. Matthews fared especially hard. Every time he grabbed up a ball there would be a great cry "Now, Petey, there are two nice gutters! Which'll you have? Take your pick!" "Petey" was greatly rattled.

Refreshments were daintily served. The big cake will be made by Marcel, to be eaten next Saturday night at a general jollification. The cake will be decorated with a portrait of Dr. Thiers in his great act of making a ten-strike. The score.

BENEDICKS.		BACHELORS.	
Evans	128	Matthews	127
Rogers	119	Sandford	148
Hegeman	107	Pease	145
Howell	144	Lenox	150
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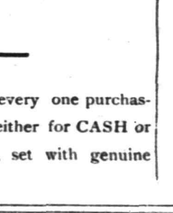

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"O-h! You climb it more than vonce?"—Demorest's Magazine.

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Mother—I see you have been playing with that little girl next door again. Have you and she made up?

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At Home.

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For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1.39 P. M.

For Flemington—7.59 A. M.; 2.54 P. M.

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A full line of tickets are on sale, and sleeping car accommodations can be secured at the ticket office at Elizabeth.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 38, 6 05, 6 39, 6 55, 7 26, 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 27, 8 51, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 58, 1 02, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 15, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 05, 9 25, 10 13, 11 25, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 8 52, 11 16, 11 45 A. M., 12 33, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 28, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 30, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night, Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 6 38, 6 39, 6 53, 7 30, 8, 8 48, 9 33, 10 04, 10 37, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 48, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 12, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 42, A. M., 12 33, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 8 28, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark, 6 18, 7 10, 7 50, 8 55, 10 05, 11 35 A.M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 30, 3 35, 4 05, 4 33, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 45, 9 50, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 45, 6 05, 7 30, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m. 12 25, 1 50, 3 22, 3 45, 4 56, 5 03, 5 20, 5 34, 6 04, 6 20, 6 38, 7 12, 7 36, 8 20, 9 37, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 9 28, 9 34, 11 15 A.M., 2 05, 3 20, 4 14, 6 35, 10 16 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 05, 7 35, 7 55, 7 48, 8 20, 9 05, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 2 05, 3 35, 4 50, 5 52, 6 35, 8 41, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 5 35, 11 15 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 08, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 6 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 50, 6 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 28 A. M., 2 05, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 39, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 5 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 6 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge Branch.

8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 43 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Manch Chunk, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m., way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 09 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

8 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 3 09 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 8 38, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 57, 7 05 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 8 15, 8 29, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 1 09, 3 04, 5 32, 6 39, 9 30, *9 37 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48, 11 16 a. m., 3 09*, 5 14*, 6 56 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 8 15, 8 29, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 09, 3 04, 5 32, 6 39, 9 30, *9 37 p. m., 1 17, night. Sunday—9 34, 11 18, a. m., 3 09, 5 14, 6 56 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 3 16, 4 13, 5 32* (5 39* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48 a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 7 10* (6.56 Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA.

Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 30, 11 06, a. m., 1 30, 3 10*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 5 12, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 30th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 20, 9 20, 11 15, a m 3 55*, 6 20, 8 15, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 3 55*, 6 20, 8 15*, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00, 1 55, 7 00, 9 02, 10 12, 11 09, a. m. 12 08, 4 05, 4 40, 5 54, 6 59, 9 05, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 36 a. m. 4 05*, 5 12*, 7 07, 8 05* p. m.

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We beg to call the attention of the public to the fact that Mr. Frank Linke, of Plainfield, N. J., is no longer served with our beer, and we request our patrons to send their orders in the future to Mr. William H. Cawley, of Somerville, N. J., who will give the same his prompt attention and supply them with our goods in fine condition.

BALLANTINE & CO.

Referring to the above card, I beg to add that I shall establish a bottling business in the city of Plainfield as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. In the meantime, I shall promptly deliver all orders sent to me.

WILLIAM. H. CAWLEY,
Somerville, N J.

12 13 1m-c 12 15 4

Another Card.

Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

FRANK LINKE'S WHOLESALE LIQUOR ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 43 West Front Street

A Great Christmas Special Spot Cash Sale

Every item actually reduced and plainly marked in bold figures. Our counters, windows and shelves fairly bristle with business, and all are well worth your close study and examination. The success of this sale is a compliment to our reputation, and proves beside that the public know a good thing when they see it.

Best Leghorn citron	25c. lb ; 2 lbs. 45c	New soft shell almonds	1 lb. 25c
Best table raisins, layers in clusters	15c	New English walnuts	2 lbs. 25c
Fine table raisins (in clusters)	2 lbs. 25c	New mixed nuts	2 "
Best California raisins	4 "	New Holiday mince meat	3 "
Best currants	4 "	Oranges, from 15c. per dozen up	
Choice new figs	2 "	Choice mixed candy	3 lbs. 25c
Best new golden dates	4 "		

Extra special inducements with tea and baking powders. Fine creamery butter 28c. lb. Don't fail to ask for one of our beautiful calendars.
Mail orders receive the same prompt attention as if you were here in person.
Store open evenings until 9 p. m.

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My stock of candy for the Christmas season of 1892 will be the largest and the variety the greatest ever offered in Plainfield. I guarantee prices the lowest in the city.

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Also have other mountain property for sale at various points, viz.: near Washington Rock, 35 acres, house and barn; plots back of Plainfield, west of Somerset st., and on Johnston drive.
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Makes an every-day convenience of an old-time luxury. Pure and wholesome. Prepared with scrupulous care. Highest award at all Pure Food Expositions. Each package makes two large pies. Avoid imitations—and insist on having the NONE SUCH brand.
MERRELL & SOULE, Syracuse, N Y
8 4 y-t t s

Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.
Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

41 East Sixth Street.

9 19 6m

Carty & Stryker

Opened their new store with a full line of first-class

Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables,
CHEAP FOR CASH,
Saturday, November 26, corner
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If you will kindly favor us with your order, it will receive prompt attention.
Don't forget the place, corner Central avenue and Second street. 11 23 tf

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Estimates furnished. Work done promptly in a first-class manner.
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HOPEFUL WORDS FROM PHYSICIANS

Dr. Johnston Says Mr. Blaine is in No Immediate Danger of Death.

HE IS IN FULL POSSESSION OF HIS FACULTIES AND IS CHEERFUL.

The Patient Converses as Freely as Permitted and Partakes Regularly of Nourishment—A Friend of the Family Tells a Different Story—Says That Cordials of a Stimulative Nature Alone Keep Him Alive, and That the Relatives Have Been Warned to Prepare for the Worst.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—"Mr. Blaine is resting easily," said Dr. Johnston, his physician, at midnight, in reply to the usual questioning.

"Very much to my gratification I found him awake and apparently cheerful. He had partaken of nourishment during the evening and the family were also more cheerful.

"Dr. Loomis' speedy return to New York is evidence that we do not consider Mr. Blaine in any immediate danger.

"This last call of mine was not originally intended, but as I was out with my family making social calls at a rather late hour I thought I would run in and see Mr. Blaine before retiring. During my stay he conversed with me at considerable length.

"Mr. Blaine is still in full possession of his faculties," continued Dr. Johnston, "and, while very weak, he is nevertheless as cheerful after the trying ordeal as could be expected. He converses as freely as he is permitted to do by his family and partakes regularly of nourishment. It is impossible to state how long Mr. Blaine is likely to survive. Speculation on such a subject would simply be idle nonsense. I do not think Mr. Blaine is in any danger of dying to-day. Further than that I do not care to state."

A friend of the family states that Mr. Blaine is liable to a recurrent attack of heart failure at any moment and that the family have been warned to prepare for the worst when it comes.

"When," said the gentleman, "the physicians state that Mr. Blaine is better, they simply mean that he is alive and that is about the true statement of his condition.

"Cordials of a stimulative nature and other liquid nourishment are given him at frequent intervals, and these alone keep him alive. He lies helpless on his bed and cannot change his posture without the aid of his attendants. Mr. Blaine may not live twelve hours and he may survive three or four days, but I doubt it."

The reassuring reports of Mr. Blaine's physicians have reduced the number of callers at the house in a remarkble degree.

None of the scenes of the night when crowds of people gathered in front of the house, called thither by the report that Mr. Blaine was dying, have been repeated since.

At 1:30 this morning the family retired to rest, as Mr. Blaine was resting much more easy.

Although his friends still say that Mr. Blaine may possibly survive, and this statement has some effect upon the public mind, the shadow of another death of national importance still lies heavily upon the capital.

The possibility of the demise of James G. Blaine at any moment carries with it a feeling of depression in every Department, throughout Congress, and into almost every home in Washington.

Perhaps never were there more striking evidences of a dying statesman's personal popularity. The Red House, as the residence of Mr. Blaine, within a stone's throw of the White House, is generally called, is always an object of interest, but never was this historic mansion gazed upon by so many eyes, curious, but also respectful and sympathetic, as yesterday.

AUGUSTA, Me., Dec. 20.—Joseph H. Manley has received the following despatch relative to Mr. Blaine:

"A marked improvement but do not yet know that it will be lasting. Hope for the best. HARRIET S. BLAINE."

SAID HE WAS HELD UP.

But Investigation Disclosed that Contractor Walker Tried to Defraud His Men.

HAZLETON, Pa., Dec. 20.—William Walker, contractor for S. VanWickle at the Milnesville colliery, stated that he was held up by seven masked men on the road leading to the mine, and robbed of $1,000, which he had with him to pay his men.

Officers went to the scene and made discoveries that led them to believe that Walker was not robbed, but was trying to defraud his men.

When the officers accused Walker he became excited and fled to the mountains.

Over one hundred of his workmen are searching for him. He will probably be roughly handled if found.

Receiver for Powerville Felt Roofing Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Josiah Jewett of Stanley, N. J., has been appointed receiver for the Powerville Felt Roofing company of No. 249 Maiden Lane, which has a large factory at Powerville, N. J., and a branch at Chicago. The officers expect to reorganize the company.

Will Not Press the Question.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—In deference to the request of M. de Freycinet, Minister of War, Deputy Jumel has abandoned his purpose to ask the Government how the letter from Isador Loewe, the Berlin gunmaker, to Gen. Boulanger, was obtained from the War Office.

No Fraudulent Sugar Weighing.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Commissioner Mason, of the Internal Revenue Bureau, said to-day that so far as he knew there have been no fraudulent transactions in connection with the weighing of sugar at New Orleans.

For a Racing Circuit in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 20.—A citizen of St. Louis is negotiating for the establishment of a racing circuit in this country, with a fair prospect of success.

Sale of Marlborough's Orchids.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The sale of the Marlborough orchids began yesterday. The highest price paid was $130.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

THREE WERE KILLED.

Result of the Fort Orange Mill Fire at Albany.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 20.—A boiler in the Fort Orange Milling Company building on the pier, exploded shortly after noon and that and several other buildings were soon a mass of flames.

As there are boilers in the other buildings the firemen kept as far away as possible.

Shortly after 6 p. m., the men of steamer company No. 4, who were working inside of the ruins, were ordered home by the chief.

As they proceeded to get out by the river front, the east wall, which was standing 60 feet high, toppled over without a moment's warning, the upper half falling inward, and the lower half out upon the dock.

Seven men were buried under eight feet of debris, and as soon as their comrades recovered from the shock caused by the sight of the human burial, they set to work with willing hands to extricate the unfortunate men.

James Shattuck, jr., Bernard Bamer, his brother, Fred Bamer, and John Whitnell, were first rescued.

Of these only Bernard Bamer was completely buried and but for the quick work of rescue would have perished.

Whitnell and Bernard Bamer were seriously injured and were taken to the hospital in the ambulance. The house physician, after an examination, said Bernard Bamer would likely die, but thought Whitnell would pull through all right.

Shattuck and Fred Bamer were not badly hurt.

The firemen continued working on the ruins and in a few minutes came upon the dead bodies of Charles E. Marshall, foreman of steamer No. 4 and John Bridgeford.

Marshall has a wife and six children, while Bridgeford is unmarried.

The body of Fred Amthor was recovered at 9:30 p. m., and was found to be badly crushed. He was unmarried.

Charles B. Wolverton, one of the Fort Orange Company, went into the building after the explosion to lock the safe and was badly burned.

MRS. HAIGHT MAY RECOVER.

Although Terribly Injured She Has a Chance for Life.

EAST HOMER, N. Y., Dec. 20.—Mrs. Eliza Haight ventured too near a rapidly revolving shaft in her husband's grist mill yesterday afternoon. Her clothing was caught and she was whirled about the shaft until her husband, who was in the mill, could stop the machinery.

All the clothing was torn from her body. Her left shoulder, elbow and hip were dislocated, her right arm was broken, and both legs were fractured above the ankles. A severe wound was made in her scalp, and contusions covered her body.

She is still living, with a chance of recovery.

ST. LOUIS CITY VAULTS RIFLED.

The Treasurer's Son and His Assistant Commits Suicide.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 20.—About 6 a. m. the vault of the City Treasurer at the City Hall was found open, and a number of papers therefrom had been placed on a table in the office, burned.

Later it was learned that Ed Foerstel, son of City Treasurer Foerstel, and his assistant, had committed suicide.

A shortage amounting to $63,020.16 has been discovered in the accounts.

Three Will Probably Die.

HARTFORD, Dec. 20.—Three terrific explosions in rapid succession at about 4 p. m. yesterday destroyed about one-half the large fuse factory of Ensign, Bickford & Co. at Simsbury. Three persons were badly injured and will probably die. One cannot recover. The factory burst into flames which were quickly extinguished.

He is an Old Time Offender.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., Dec. 20.—John Weisenburger, who was captured early Sunday morning attempting to burglarize J. K. Perry's shoe store, is from Buffalo, and a life-long criminal. He has done time at Auburn and other prisons. In 1882 he escaped from the Monroe county jail, liberating 14 prisoners.

Sunday Fair Matter in the Courts.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—The Sunday opening question will shortly be dragged into the courts. An application has been made for an injunction restraining the World's Fair directors from closing the gates on Sunday, and Judge Tuley will hear arguments on the matter, on January 3.

Big Pottery Incorporated.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., Dec. 20.—The Ironsides Pottery Company, named after and near the home of Mrs. Delia C. S. Parnell, now being started here, have filed their certificate in the Secretary of State's office at Trenton. The work of building the kilns has been given out to contractors.

Evans & Co.'s Collateral Sold.

BOSTON, Dec. 20.—The collateral of Irving A. Evans & Co., deposited in the Maverick National Bank as security for the indebtedness of the firm to the bank, were sold at auction at noon. Receiver Boal of the bank bid them in at $70,719.34.

An Editor Fined $1,000.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 20.—Ex-Assemblyman Frank W. McDermott pleaded guilty to the charge of libel, in having published in the "Sunday Standard" articles reflecting on certain public officials. He was fined $1,000 and the costs of the case.

To Antagonize the Kaiser.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.—Great efforts are being made to found a new political party with a programme of opposition to the person and policy of the Kaiser, which attracts much adverse criticism, especially in Southwest Germany.

ONCE A NATIONAL BELLE

President Polk's Granddaughter Sues for Divorce.

SOCIAL SENSATION AT NASHVILLE.

She Had Been Married But a Short Time When Her Husband, One of the Wealthiest Men of Tennessee, Deserted Her—No Reason Given for His Act—The Plaintiff One of the Most Beautiful Women Ever Seen in Washington.

NASHVILLE, Dec. 20.—For months past a sensation has been brewing here in which national society has been interested. It exploded yesterday in the filing of a bill for divorce and alimony by Mrs. Saidee Polk Gardner against her husband, M. M. Gardner, one of the wealthiest men in the State.

Mrs. Gardner is the granddaughter of President James Knox Polk and was a belle in Washington and New York for three seasons at the former place, being pronounced the most beautiful woman Nashville had ever sent to the capital.

On May 12, 1891, she was married to Mr. Gardner. They lived together in comparative happiness for six months, when for some unaccountable reason Gardner left his beautiful wife and gave her no explanation. Every sort of rumor has been put on wings about them, and as a result the friends of both stand facing each other.

Mrs. Gardner files letters written to her by her husband before and after the marriage, which are full of loving expressions and vows of eternal fidelity.

There was a rumor that he left his wife because Mrs. Fall, her mother, wanted to control him and his immense property. This is exploded by exhibits of letters to Mrs. Fall from Gardner, whose seeming love and respect for her knew no bounds. It is now said Gardner left his wife because he was miserly, and did not want her to spend his money and dress as she was used to.

She charges that she has always been a faithful and dutiful wife and tried time and again to win him back; that he has wantonly and deliberately deserted her and refused to provide for her support, and that he is now trying to dispose of his property to defeat her claims for alimony. She asks for alimony, that a receiver be appointed and that the bonds of marriage be dissolved.

Chancellor Allison has issued an injunction restraining Gardner from selling his property.

COMING FISTIC ENCOUNTERS.

An Attractive Programme Arranged By the Coney Island Club.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The Coney Island Athletic Club has arranged quite an attractive programme for the night of Dec. 28, the date set for the meeting of the bantam-weights Billy Plimmer and "Joe" McGrath, who are to fight for the championship of the world, and a purse of $2,500. This will be the principal "go" of the evening. The concensus of opinion among sporting men is that this will be a rattling battle. While Plimmer is generally conceded to be the cleverer of the two, it is the opinion of such renowned fighters as Fitzsimmons and Choynski that McGrath will give him a hard fight.

Previous to the Plimmer-McGrath fight, on the same evening, there will be a preliminary "bout" of ten rounds between Hugh Boyle of Elizabeth, and Con Sullivan of this city.

The second event on the programme will be an eight round encounter between Billy Leadham of Philadelphia and Jack McGee. Both the latter are men of the hard hitting order, and a knockout is not improbable. This fight will be for a purse of $500. The men will fight at 154 pounds. The prices of admission to the three fights will be $3, $5 and $25.

After a Pardon for a Bank Wrecker.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 20.—An effort is already being made to secure the pardon of Ralph K. Paige, the Painesville bank-wrecker, who was tried for forgery in this city last spring and sent to the penitentiary for ten years. A friend of Paige said in Columbus Friday that he had reason to believe that Paige would not remain in prison another twelve months.

Wilson Must Serve His Sentence.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Justice Ingraham of the Supreme Court, who condemned the issuance of the order of Justice Pratt of Brooklyn, staying the proceedings in the case of Sylvester F. Wilson, has set aside the order of Justice Pratt, and directed that the sentence of Wilson, for the abduction of Abbie Sutherland, be forewith enforced.

Suits Against the Order of Solid Rock.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—Eleven suits for various sums, none higher than $100, have been begun against the order of the Solid Rock in the Common Pleas Court, to recover on behalf of the members of the order sick benefits alleged to be due them. The corporation exists under the laws of the State of Massachusetts.

The Transandine Route.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The Bureau of the American Republics is informed that the Transandine route between the Argentine Republic and Chili is now so far available that arrangements have been completed by the Royal Mail Steam Packet company for regular through traffic during the present season.

Vouchers to Cover the Souvenir Coins.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Secretary Chas. Foster has advised the World's Columbian Exposition that he has transmitted to the First Auditor of the Treasury vouchers in favor of the exposition for $958,500, which will cover all the souvenir coins minted up to Dec. 22.

NEGRO WITH A BIG "N."

Rev. Cæsar Taylor Objects to the Terms "Afro-American" and "Colored."

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Rev. Cæsar A. A. Taylor, general financial representative for Edward Water's college at Jacksonville, Fla., is en route South after a tour of New England and the North endeavoring to raise a $50,000 endowment fund for his college.

When seen by a reporter he said:

"I am opposed to the terms 'Afro-American' and 'colored.' The term 'Afro-American' is misapplied and hence misleading from the fact that white persons born in Africa can come to America and marry and have offspring which would undoubtedly be 'Afro-Americans' because of African parentage born in America. Hence you can see there can be white 'Afro-Americans' as well as black.

"The term 'colored,' which means nothing or anything, is equally absurd and misleading from the fact that the Chinese, Siamese, Japanese, Indian, Indiamen, etc., are all people of color.

"Sir, I am a negro with a big 'N' plain and simple, and my race should recognize the term negro as a proper term designating people of Hamitic origin wherever born, and so live as to make the term significant of a proud, a happy and a progressive race of people.

"Down with the nonsensical hybridisms 'Afro-American' and 'colored.'

"Negro—That is the proper term."

M'GUIRE ELECTROCUTED.

The Murderer of Mrs. Gregory Pays the Death Penalty.

SING SING, N. Y., Dec. 20.—Fred McGuire, has paid with his life the penalty exacted by law, for the murder of Mrs. Amelia Gregory, wife of Noah Gregory, a farmer of Middletown, on Oct. 14, 1891.

He was electrocuted, the deadly current entering his body at precisely 11:11 a. m.

McGuire slept well throughout his last night on earth and showed no signs of breaking down. He ate a light breakfast and conversed with his spiritual adviser.

He confessed his guilt and went to his doom a penitant man.

Dr. Abbott, who has been present at two former electrocutions, said that it was the most successful of any that have taken place. He said that without question the man was killed in twelve seconds, the time the current was on at the first contact and that he was unconscious from the instant the current reached his body.

He said that in his opinion it will silence the opponents to this method of executing the death penalty, and will prevent any attempt to repeal the electrocution law at the coming meeting of the Legislature at Albany.

THE CONNECTICUT RIVER ROAD.

Prince Says He Has a Controlling Interest and Does Not Want Any More.

BOSTON, Dec. 20.—Mr. H. F. Prince says that he and the people whom he represents have secured an absolute majority of the Connecticut River stock, despite the intimations that come from Springfield to the contrary. He does not care for any more of it.

One of Boston's large Connecticut River Railroad stockholders, who sold out to Prince for 312, realized an average profit of about $190 per share for his stock, he having purchased the same around 120.

Wanted—An Engineer and Architect.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—An examination will be held in the room of the Civil Service Commission at Washington, commencing Jan. 17, 1893, to fill an existing vacancy in the position of engineer and architect in the office of the Commissioner of Fish and Fisheries at a salary of $2,200 per annum. The examination will comprise letter writing, surveying, mathematics, mechanics, designing and construction.

Suffering Among Kansas Settlers.

HORTON, Kan., Dec. 20—The extreme winter weather that has prevailed in Western Kansas this month has caused much suffering among the settlers. There has been much snow, and the weather has been very cold. Cattle have been deprived of the grazing, and storms have been so extensive that it is almost impossible to keep the cattle and hogs supplied with sufficient fuel to keep them warm.

Warrants for Homestead "Poisoners."

PITTSBURG, Dec. 20.—District Attorney Burleigh made an information yesterday afternoon before Alderman McMaster charging H. F. Dempsey, district master workman of the Knights of Labor, and James Davidson and Patrick Gallagher with felonious assault and battery, and administering poison. Warrants were issued.

Wood Paper Company Fails.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The failure of the American Wood Paper company is reported. The company's mills are at Manayunk and Spring City, Pa., and the headquarters are at Providence, R. I. The company is one of the oldest wood paper makers in the country, having been incorporated over 25 years ago.

Looking Up Evidence.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 20.—Two detectives of the Elizabeth, N. J., police department, have been in this city for two or three days looking up evidence against a man named Dominick Durborrow, who is under indictment in that place for a double murder which was committed on Sep. 25 last.

Tacoma's Light and Water Plant.

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 20.—The City Council has forwarded a proposition to C. B. Wright of Philadelphia, Pa., stating that the Council had agreed upon a certain figure for the purchase of a light and water plant from the company represented by Wright. The price named is supposed to be $200,000.

Creditors Reach an Agreement.

BOSTON, Dec. 20.—A large majority of the creditors of Burrell, Houghton & Company, shoe manufacturers, have signed an agreement to accept either 32 cents cash or 40 cents on time. The factory at Rockland is running and the company will continue in business.

Building Firms Assign.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Pa., Dec. 20.—Glass & Garretson, and Curm & McNeill, two of the leading planing mill and building firms of Altoona, have made an assignment. Their liabilities are $20,000 and $12,000, respectively. Their assets, it is believed, will fully cover them.

Order of Solon Trouble.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 20.—While the court has made no order in the matter of the application for a receiver for the Order of Solon, it is generally expected that such action will be taken to-day.

FRANCE IN GREAT PERIL

Political Revolution Believed to Be Imminent.

THE DANGER DOES NOT DIMINISH.

An American Banker Implicated in the Panama Canal Scandal—Young De Lesseps Examined—A Minimum Duty on Certain American Products Favored by the Meline Report—Other Foreign News.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—The political peril of France does not diminish. Those who are best informed, and whose judgment is soundest, are the ones who fear the worst. The head of one of the greatest banking houses in the world, with headquarters in Paris, said to-day to one of the American delegates to the Brussels Conference:

"I believe we are on the eve of a revolution. Few outside of France have any conception of the dangers of the situation. The temper of the people is not understood. They cannot or will not discriminate between the Government itself and the individuals who represent it."

It is now generally understood that the popular mind must be further exasperated by more revelations of corruption in high places. The Panama story has not half been told. Every day adds a fresh chapter. A feature of great interest to Americans will probably soon be made known.

It involves a banker of world-wide reputation, as well known in New York as in Paris. He is said to have been a heavy beneficiary of the Panama company without having rendered any tangible quid pro quo.

Rumors about him were circulated in high financial circles some months ago. At that time he took an active interest in the proposed Monetary Conference. He was indiscreet enough to show a letter on the subject written to him by Secretary of the Treasury Foster.

The effect was to discredit to some extent American motives in calling the Conference, and the co-operation of the strongest French financiers was almost lost.

YOUNG DE LESSEPS EXAMINED.

Closely Questioned by the Magistrate in the Panama Case.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Charles de Lesseps has been closely questioned by the examining magistrate in regard to the statements made by M. De la Marzelle regarding conversations with him. De Lesseps said that in the case of the Suez Canal the expenses for advertising and press notices were small. It was different with the Panama enterprise. Journalists crowded to the offices and had to be paid for ceasing attacks on the company.

Little newspapers were started against the enterprise, and some of the opponents were satisfied to receive insignificant amounts. Others were more exacting. Then there were the guaranteeing syndicates, composed of large and small banking establishments, which had to be paid for receiving subscriptions to the loans. Again, there were society people who had to be paid for speaking well of the company or for refraining from attacks on it. These persons M. de Lesseps found more exacting than the genuine journalists.

M. De la Marzelle also referred to M. De Lesseps' statements about the contractors having enriched themselves. This, M. De Lesseps said, was nothing extraordinary.

The examination of M. De Lesseps has been as rigidly conducted as that of an ordinary criminal, but he and his associates have not been subjected to indignities of personal measurement, etc., to which persons accused of similar crimes are usually subjected.

It is said that from five to six hundred persons of various stations are known to have been implicated in the frauds and bribe-taking connected with the canal enterprise, although the Government has not sufficient evidence to convict any such number.

It is reported that should M. Ferdinand De Lesseps be unable to appear before the court—which is almost certain—his case may be separated from that of the other defendants.

Mme. De Lesseps says future developments will show that her sons and her husband were not guilty of anything more than mistake.

THE MELINE REPORT.

It Favors a Minimum Duty on Certain American Products.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—The Meline Committee report, favoring a minimum tariff on certain American products, was distributed among the deputies yesterday.

The preamble of the bill says:

"The mutual friendship and goodwill of France and the United States will render an understanding easy of accomplishment. The convention undoubtedly would be advantageous to France."

To Release the Paris Fund.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The "News" learns from its Paris correspondent that an agreement has been signed to release the Paris fund. Messrs. Dillon, Davitt and Harrington will award jointly the old claims not in excess of 14,900 pounds, and Messrs. Dillon and Davitt will award the remainder.

Jewels Valued at $35,000 Stolen.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Leigh Court, near Bristol, the seat of Sir Cecil Miles, was entered by burglars while the family were at dinner and jewels valued at 35,000 pounds, belonging to Lady Miles, were stolen.

Home Rule Bill Not Yet Drafted.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The statements purporting to give inside information in relation to Mr. Gladstone's Home Rule bill were unfounded. The bill has not yet been drafted.

Dr. Emin Alive.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.—The rumors of Dr. Emin's death are erroneous. Dr. Emin is now following Stanley's route through the Congo State and, but for an affection of the eyes, is in exceptionally good health.

Scott-Sanders Sentenced.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Dr. Francis Charles Scott-Sanders, formerly manager of the Lyric Club, has been sentenced to six years' penal servitude for forgery.

To Raise the Blockade.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—The government has sent telegraphic orders to Gen. Dodds to raise the blockade on the the coast of Dahomey.

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COLD CHRISTMAS WEATHER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS:—For New Jersey, Fair Wednesday, Decidedly Colder Wednesday Morning and Evening; Brisk to High Northwesterly Winds.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The *Courier* says "His words of injunction was".

—The Choral society concert will have blue skies to-night.

—The snow to-day caused a break on the fire-alarm circuit.

—"Cut prices" on Christmas goods at Edsall's to make a "clean sweep".

—All young men who need special help in the study of arithmetic should apply at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening.

—The matter of extending the 25-cent limit of hack hires out Hillside avenue way was tabled last night for action by the new council.

—The subject for to-morrow evening's meeting in the Crescent Avenue chapel will be "A good man's bad arithmetic". I Kings XIX: 13-18.

—A number of petitions for crosswalks, and the petition for Madison avenue extension, were tabled for the new council's action last night.

—The "Y" devotional meeting will be held in the "Y" rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4. The subject will be "Despise not the day of small things".

—A set of harness was stolen from the stable at Denton's Hillside avenue nurseries, last evening, at dusk, before the barn was locked up for the night.

—Does the city owe you money? You must have your bill in the city clerk's hands by Saturday, as the last meeting of the present council takes place next week.

—Francis Stansbury, whose home was burned up in the borough, has received such material aid that three carpenters began yesterday to rebuild his dwelling.

—The Ladies' Aid society of Hope chapel will hold a bazar and entertainment in the chapel, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week. Admission 10 cents.

—A funny sight to-day was to see the men on top the street cars sweeping the snow moisture off the trolley wire and greasing the wire as the cars rolled merrily along.

—Suitable location has n't yet been found for that W. C. T. U. public drinking fountain. Last night the common council recommended that it be placed on North avenue.

—In another column is published the Secretary of State's certificate dissolving "The Carolina Company" of which Henry P. Talmadge is president, by consent of the stockholders.

—The committee on Christmas entertainment of the Crescent Avenue Sunday-school request the usual donation of cakes. Send them to the Sunday-school room, Friday morning.

—The Plainfield Athletic club will give their third annual Christmas ball at their hall, 25 Lee place, this evening. Good music will be furnished, and the best of order will be maintained.

—As a cure for sore eyes the *Courier* recommends that a lump of alum be dropped into a cup of hot milk. On the same principle, if your toe hurts, cut off a branch of a persimmon tree.

—The West End Athletic association is holding a great fair in the Wigwam at Somerville to-day and to-morrow and Wednesday. All the good women of the town have a hand in its success.

—Worse and worse! The *Courier* now speaks of architect Teale as "auctioneer Teel", and says of a society event that "Marest furnishes the music and a New York orchestra furnishes the music"!

—The pigeon match of 50 live birds each man, between Chas. Smith and the unknown, which was to be shot on the Independent Gun club grounds to-morrow, is postponed for two weeks on account of not getting the birds which were engaged for this match.

—The next concert after to-night's Choral will be that of the New York Philharmonic club with Miss Emma Juch as vocalist, at the Casino, Thursday evening. Tickets for the series may still be had at Reynolds's pharmacy, where the subscribers may also procure their tickets.

—Nothing better for presents than a useful article of footwear. Sherwin has anything you want in that line, slippers for men, women and children, at prices that are sure to fit your pocket. Nothing will please your boys and girls as much as a pair of rubber boots which he has for the smallest as well as the largest.

—The course taken by the Essex County hounds in their chase from Fanwood, last Saturday, was about eight miles in length and was over hard country. A number of obstacles were encountered, and only a half dozen of the riders were able to be present at the "kill", which took place near Springfield. One or two of the riders were unhorsed, but were not injured.

—The cornet band fair at the Crescent rink opened last night and will be continued through the week. The attractions are many, and include a wonderful microscopic exhibition and a phonograph that can be heard all over the hall and which will record whatever you wish to say or sing. The object of the fair is to raise funds for new uniforms and provide for free open-air concerts next summer.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

The Rev. C. A. Herring performed his first Plainfield marriage ceremony Saturday afternoon at 4:30, at the Presbyterian parsonage. Albert Wykoff and Miss Evelina Thorn, both of this city, were the happy young couple.

Mrs. Catherine Rogers of Washingtonville, widow of Thomas C. Rogers, passed to her final rest in her home above, after a short illness, this morning. Her age was 56 years, 7 months and 20 days. She was the beloved mother of Henry Rogers who is well-known in this city and who has been a valued contributor to the columns of THE PRESS.

Major J. B. Pond, of New York city, has discovered a new star in the musical world, Sisseretta Jones, generally known by the unique name of "Black Patti", who has been favorably received by Plainfield audiences. He believes that no voice of our time has made such an impression by its vibration, its purity and its flexibility. In addition to her natural gifts, she has received a thorough musical education.

Miss Sarah E. Heyniger, daughter of Lambert Heyniger, was married last evening to Lebbeus Lathrop Manning. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Frederick K. Fish, and the Rev. J. W. Richardson officiated. It was a quiet home wedding, but very pretty nevertheless. Only the immediate relatives and very near friends were invited. The bride and groom have gone on a wedding trip.

H. P. Armstrong, brother of manager T. S. Armstong of Reynolds's pharmacy, set sail from New York some time ago on a Pacific Mail steamship bound for San Francisco, which he expected to reach by Christmas. The last heard from him was that his vessel was laid up at Monte Video, still many hundreds of miles above the Horn. The crank shaft was broken, and the propellor had lost two blades. The prospects of reaching his destination before Valentine Day are slim.

—"Cut prices" on Christmas goods at Edsall's to make a "clean sweep".

BY THE WAY.

—Tier leads the trade in the matter of Christmas confectionery.

—The choicest Christmas gifts in the land are to be found at Estil's.

—The common council last night renewed its street lighting contract for one year.

—The present common council will meet in final session Tuesday evening, Dec. 27.

—The Park club defeated its Union County Country club friends at bowling last evening.

—William C. Kelly is about to substitute slate for tin on the roofs at 36 and 38 Park avenue.

—$64,000 on the new year's taxes has already been collected. Of this the treasurer will pay to the county, Dec. 22, $38,000, and to the State schools $19,000.

—Imagine a bird with ruffles on it. Yet that's what the *Courier* must mean when it speaks of "ruffled grouse". Sportsmen know of a "ruffed" species, but "ruffled" is something new.

—The announcement in THE PRESS that Edsall had cut prices on his immense stock of elegant Christmas presents, he says, crowded his store yesterday from early morn until the hour of closing, with eager buyers.

—Darwin's theory of evolution is n't understood by everyone, but down at Leggett's pharmacy they have done some "evoluting" of their own that is understandable by and interesting to all. Read Leggett's ad and you'll know all about it.

—Estil has a full line of the superb gift books of E. P. Dutton & Co. An especially delightful one is "The Poet's Corner", containing sketches in monotint of the homes and places connected with prominent poets, with descriptions in entertaining prose. This and other elegant goods from this famous publishing house give one abundant choice to please all friends.

—The road-bed along Prescott place in the western part of the city is in a disgraceful condition, and after a heavy storm it is impossible for pedestrians to pass. Residents who have lived on that street for a good many years have been heard to complain that they have never seen the street commissioner and his men at work on that street since they moved there. This is not the only street that needs repair around this neighborhood.

—Your wife won't think any the less of you if you get her one of those pretty scrap baskets; they cost less than one dollar. She has long wanted a fire screen—ours, 30, 40, 50 and 60c., just half price. If you want to make her glad get her some of those pretty Japanese banners, trays or useful boxes, selling at cost. You only have to peep at our statuary when you part with the price, 75c., $1 and $1.50. A couple dollars gives you a big time with us. If you want to experience the joy of a real Santa Claus we can give you points. You should see the books we offer at 25c., the drums from 20 to 75c., a dozen styles of sleighs from 50c. to $1.50. Our stock must move, so we sell at cost, give goods away—anything to get rid of them, and they go so slow that 25 clerks are required to watch their departure. The 5 and 10c. store, Allen.

A Common Sense Remedy.

In the matter of curatives what you want is something that will do its work while you continue to do yours—a remedy that will give you no inconvenience nor interfere with your business. Such a remedy is ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS. These plasters are not an experiment; they have been in use for over thirty years, and their value has been attested by the highest medical authorities, as well as by testimonials from those who have used them. They require no change of diet and are not affected by wet or cold. Their action does not interfere with labor or business; you can toil and yet be cured while hard at work. They are so pure that the youngest, the oldest, the most delicate person of either sex can use them with great benefit.

Beware of imitations, and do not be deceived by misrepresentations. Ask for ALLCOCK'S, and let no solicitation or explanation induce you to accept a substitute.

SUES THE CITY.

Charles K. Moore Wants to Recover His Water-Works Deposit.

Corporation counsel Craig A. Marsh reported to the common council last night that Charles K. Moore of Fanwood had brought suit against the city of Plainfield for $12,000. Mr. Marsh suggested that a committee be appointed to confer with the corporation counsel in reference to the case. This recommendation was adopted, and councilmen Erickson, Marsh and Frazee were appointed such committee.

The summons in the case was served on Mayor Gilbert last week.

Two years ago Mr. Moore was granted a franchise to construct and operate a system of water-works. Subsequently legal difficulties arose, through the revival of the present operative Water Supply company, under an old charter which was thought to be defunct, but which antedated the incorporation of the city. The Supply company got an opinion from the courts which frightened off the city, and the company went ahead and established its works, while Moore was frozen out. Moore never got back the $6,000 which he deposited as a guarantee with the city, and he now sues to recover.

The city cannot be out of pocket even should it lose the suit, for John Kean, jr., and Frank Bergen, representing the company, have given the city an indemnity bond against forfeiture of the money.

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THE MADISON AVENUE PROJECT.

Dissatisfaction to Result in an Appeal.

In the matter of extending Madison avenue to Duer street, the commissioners awarded only $4,000 damages on J. C. Dyer's property on Craig place. They then assess his benefits at $130 on the small lot remaining at the rear of his present lot and in the rear of the German church, leaving him $3,870 for his home. The commissioners only pay for the land, leaving Mr. Dyer the house to move away or tear down. The commissioners seem not to have taken into consideration the fact that his house cannot be moved through Craig place or Duer street as the streets are too narrow. Mr. Dyer will not consent to his allowance, and he and others who are dissatisfied with their assessments, both on Duer street, Craig place and Grove street, will join together and appeal for new commissioners to review the proceedings and adjust things more satisfactorily.

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TO PAY JOB MALE'S DEBTS.

Various Properties to Be Sold to Meet Creditors' Claims.

Ex-Chancellor Theodore Runyon, ex-Governor Bedle, Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh of Plainfield, and R. V. Lindabury of Elizabeth, held a long conference, yesterday morning, in the Chancellor's private room at Jersey City, over the Job Male case. There is not enough personal property to pay the debts of the estate, and it was proposed to sell the property occupied by Morrow & Day, on Montgomery street. Washington B. Williams was appointed to sell the Jersey City property, and the rest of the debts will be raised by contributions from the heirs if possible. The administrators, represented by Mr. Marsh, reserved the right to sell Plainfield lands if necessary to settle any balance of the debts.

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The Schoonmaker Case Postponed.

In the matter of litigation over the Schoonmaker collection of cloisonne, this morning, at Newark, ex-Gov. Bedle appeared for the administrators and asked for postponement. Counselor C. A. Reed for the library had no objection, and rule was continued to Jan. 16, at Jersey City. Meantime, the restraining order remains in force.

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To Subdivide the Wards.

An ordinance to divide the First and Second wards into two election districts each, was introduced and tabled at last night's council meeting. The proposed dividing line of the First ward is Richmond street and Norwood avenue; and of the Second, Berckman street and Woodland avenue.

Wonder of Wonders.

Telephoning at sea is something of an invention in its way and calculated to excite some wonder, but how will even that compare with a collar button guaranteed not to roll under the bureau. Call at Collier's and be satisfied of the genuineness of this novelty.

The proprietors of Salvation Oil will pay a large reward if any certificate published by them is not found genuine.

There's a wide difference between the help that's talked of and the help that's *guaranteed*.

Which do you want, when you are buying medicine?

If you're satisfied with words, you get them with every blood-purifier but one. That one is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. With that, you get a *guarantee*. If it doesn't help you, you have your money back. On this plan, a medicine that promises help is pretty sure to give it.

But it's because the *medicine* is different, that it's sold differently. It's not like the sarsaparillas, which are said to be good for the blood in March, April, and May. At all seasons and in all cases, it cures permanently, as nothing else can, all the diseases arising from a torpid liver or from impure blood.

It's the best blood-purifier, and it's the cheapest, no matter how many doses are offered for a dollar.

With this, you pay only for the good you get. Can you ask more?

FINE, DELICATE, NATURAL!

Such are the FLORAL POWDERS (or sachet powders) prepared at REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY. Even those persons who don't care for Handkerchief Essences strongly approve our Floral Powders, because of their truth to nature and their richness. Especially worth mention is **Reynolds's Jacqueminot Rose**, the best in all the world. It may sound boastful, but it is a fact, nevertheless. Then come our **Heliotrope, Jockey-Club, Violet**, all very fine. These powders are sold by the ounce, and are much in demand for Holiday Fixings. By the way, we are showing the completest stock of Perfumery ever offered in Plainfield—fine quality, elegant styles, low prices.

Reynolds's Pharmacy, Corner Park and North Avenues.

USEFUL HOLIDAY PRESENTS

AT PACKER'S FURNITURE EMPORIUM,

23, 25 and 27 Park Ave

"CUT PRICES!"

On Edsall's immense stock of

Christmas Goods

To make a "clean sweep."

Great Bargains

In Elegant New, Useful and Ornamental PRESENTS at

EDSALL'S.

CHRISTMAS FOOTWEAR.

We have only the space to enumerate a very few of the many styles of foot covering to be found only at Doane & Edsall's that are especially appropriate for Christmas Gifts:

Men's and Women's Russia Lea Fausts
" " Genuine Alligator Slips
" " Tan Ooze Calf Slips
" " Fine Goat Slips
Boys', Youth's and Child's Alligator Slips.

Ladies Ooze and Suede Oxford and Theo Ties in white, black, tan, gray. Corn and pink satin. Red Shoes in all styles for men, women and children. Don't forget the baby. Call and examine the finest line of infant's fancy Shoes at prices far below New York stores.

DOANE & EDSALL.

Christmas Gifts.

The latest novelties in Jewelry—beautiful designs in Stirling Silver, 14 karat gold and roll plate. Largest stock; greatest variety in the city at

DOANES, 11 Park Avenue. 2 1-2w

EVOLUTION

Is the law of life. Out of the mass of Christmas Presents has been evolved

THE BEST CELLULOID NOVELTIES.

See our stock and prices before buying. No trouble to show goods.

CENTRAL PHARMACY,

Front Street and Park Ave. 11 2 tf **J. H. LEGGETT, Manager.**

The Peace Street Widening.

The entire matter of widening Peace street was referred back to the commissioners by the Plainfield common council last night. There were protests from Sarah A. MacDonald, Mary Ten Eyck, A. D. Summers and Mary Neighbor against the commissioners' assessments, and these differences are to be adjusted.

DON'T FORGET

B.T. BARNES

FOR YOUR

CHRISTMAS CANDIES.

12 6 4w

BAND FAIR

—AT THE—

Crescent Rink,

December 19 to 24.

Grand series of Concerts and Bazaar by the

Plainfield Cornet Band.

Concert at 8,

Dancing at 10.

PHONOGRAPH ALL THE TIME,

Every evening.

Proceeds for the new uniforms and music for free concerts.

ADMISSION 10c. SEASON TICKET 50c.,

Entitling holder to chance on a barrel of flour. 12 19 6

Peace Street Opening.

All persons who have been taxed for the opening of Peace street, are requested to attend a meeting to be held at Spencer's Hall, North Plainfield, Wednesday evening, Dec. 21, 1892 at 7:30. Don't fail to be there. Important business. 12 19 3

HOLIDAY GIFTS!

The largest assortment of Paintings, Etchings, Mirrors, Albums, Oil, China and Water Color Boxes, Easels, etc., ever offered, and at very reasonable prices.

SWAIN'S,

23 East Front street. 12 10 3w

MARRIAGES.

MANNING—HEYNIGER—In Plainfield, Dec. 19, by the Rev. J. W. Richardson, at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs Frederick K. Fish, Mr. Lebbeus Lathrop Manning and Miss Sarah E. Heyniger, daughter of L. Heyniger, Esq.

Walter Arnold Hudson,

BASSO,

Voice Culture, (Italian method). Instruction in Breathing, Tone Production and Artistic Singing.

Address, Hulett's Music Store, or Schirmer's, 35 Union Square, New York. 10 19 tf

CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE OF Plumber's and Tinner's Tools

In the shop on Madison ave. near Front street,

Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 10 a. m.

W. R. MATTOX, Att'y for Mortgagee. 11 19 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this ruling, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

WANTED—Washing and ironing at home. Apply 96 West 4th st. 12 15 5

FOR SALE—Cheap, good work horse, sound and kind. Apply 19 Muhlenburg place. 12 20 2w

WANTED—A reliable person or persons to live in and take care of rooms. Address M. H., care Press. 12 20 2

FURNISHED rooms with or without board. Address Central, care Press. 12 20 2

A CASH register for sale. Inquire at E. P. Thorn's, No. 17 Park avenue. 12 14 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, a banjo and pair of Raymond extension ice skates never used. Address Skates, care Press.

GOOD rooms and board. 26 Central avenue. 12 3 27

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS p c 11 14tf.

XMAS wreaths, roping and decorative plants at Denton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 12 17 5

WANTED—Two women, or man and wife, (no children) as tenants; nominal rent. Apply 124 Broadway. 12 19 2

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

WANTED.—Plainfield residence for private house in New York or Brooklyn; income property. Whiting, 45 Broadway, New York City. 12 16 6

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey cow; also closed carriage and double phaeton. 12 Rockview ave. 12 16 4

WANTED TO BUY—100 violet plants. T. B. Penton, 112 Rockview ave. 12 16 3

Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 158, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres.
Wm. H. Langer, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. R. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Easter Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
Samuel J. Moss, Chief Ranger.
Samuel H. Langer, Fin. Sec. 5-12-y

The Dairy

Delicatessen and Lunch.

Foreign and Domestic Cheese, Preserves, Fruit Butters, &c.

M. C. LANING,

10-31eod2m 44 West Front street.

A Question of Mathematics.

Two and two never did make five, and never will.

We take the cost price of our goods, add a much more moderate margin of profit than is indicated above, and sell them out quick, before the styles and season change.

We have a fine stock of correct Overcoats and Pea Jackets. All this season's goods. Also an extra line of separate Trousers and everything in the line of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothes.

C. SCHEPFLIN & CO.,

70 West Front Street.

Drum Major of the Holiday Business.

Right at the head of the procession. Our music may be a little fast, but join the procession and

Come to Peck's.

Store open until 9 p. m.

P. M. DEMAREST,

Choice Groceries, Fruits & Vegetables

Headquarters for Butter.

8-6-tf

HOTEL GRENADA,

North Avenue.

Now open for the reception of guests, under the management of George and Wallace V. Miller. House has been thoroughly renovated and re-furnished throughout, and contains all improvements. First-class accommodations for families and the traveling public.

5-12-tf

HOLIDAY GIFTS.

Fine China and Glass, Elegant Lamps.

The largest line we have ever had.

AT GAVETT'S.

10-25-t

SOME FOLKS

BUY FURNITURE

Hastily and repent it when they have more time.

DO YOU?

Buy your Furniture of

POWLISON & JONES.

34 West Front St., Plainfield.

Upholstering, Repairing, Mattress Making.

If You Want a Dress, a Handkerchief

Or a hundred things for a Christmas Present, you can find them at

HOWARD A. POPE'S,

Corner FRONT and SOMERSET STS. 5-16-y

The 5 and 10 Cent Store Special Christmas Offer.

We will save you money by offering at cost until Xmas twenty of our choicest souvenirs. We will give away three thousand different pieces of popular sheet music, one copy with each and every dollar purchase. You should see Perpetual Motion in our windows, and the largest stock of Christmas goods for old and young outside of New York, at twenty per cent. lower than all competitors. We will sell goods less than cost rather than keep them over, and as we are clearing out, come early, and you will go home happy. All who intend to buy we always sell to. Our store is a circus and a museum together and Santa just roars with laughter all the time he is here.

J. C. ALLEN, 28 West Front Street.

OUR STOCK OF

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

Is complete, including a full line of small goods and Sheet Music. We will now offer until after the holidays special bargains on all instruments.

Some of Our Goods.

Kranich & Bach pianos, Mason & Hamlin pianos, Starr & Co. pianos, Jacob Bros. pianos, Ludwig & Co. pianos, Mason & Hamlin organs, Newman Bros. organs.

F. M. HULETT,

74 West Front Street.

Another Lot of Japanese Baskets

SEE THE WINDOW

AT RAND'S, 24 West Front St.

12 10 2w

OYSTERS R GOOD NOW.

And the place to buy them is at

Rogers' Sea Food Market

42 WEST SECOND STREET. 3 16

SEBRING'S

Men, Boys' and Children's Overcoats

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

No. 27 PARK AVENUE.

12-6-t

ONE MOMENT PLEASE,

Thanks, I knew it would interest you. Imperial Flour only $5.00 per bbl. And while you are interested I would call your attention to Canned and Dried Fruits of all kinds are in *now*, and the prices are low at

J. F. MacDONALD,

THE UP-TOWN GROCER.

46 and 48 EAST FRONT S T. TELEPHONE No. 155. 1 19tf

FOR LYING AND DRUNKENNESS.

Plainfield Clergymen Concerned in the Trial of the Rev. Mr. Jennings, Pastor of Grace Church at Westfield.

The Rev. J. B. Jennings, rector of Grace Episcopal church at Westfield, was on trial last night charged with lying and drunkenness. The Rev. T. Logan Murphy of Plainfield and the Rev. C. H. Malcolm of Roselle represented the rector. J. B. Green, a New York lawyer whose residence is in Westfield, appeared for the prosecution. Mr. Green is a member of the vestry of Grace church. Rector Jennings is unpopular in Westfield because he refused to compiy with a written request from the vestry of his church asking him to resign. Two-thirds of his parishioners have since withdrawn their support.

At the trial last night Benjamin Blader of Union testified that rector Jennings had been drunk in his house two or three days at a time. He hired a room there to sleep off his drunks. Sexton Kepler testified to the finding of an unreceipted bill for $62 for liquors bought from Dr. George R. Bayard. He found the bill in the vestry room. A lad in waose family Mr. Jennings had boarded testified that he had been frequently sent by Mr. Jennings for liquor, and admonished to use the back entrance so the church people would not see him.

The commission appointed to hear the evidence included the Rev. Dr. E. M. Rodman and the Rev. Dr. J. P. Taylor of Plainfield, and the Rev. H. H. Oberly of Elizabeth. The trial will be resumed Dec. 29.

Rector Jennings went to Westfield two years ago. He was recently before vice-chancellor Green, at Newark, on application to show cause why he should not be held in contempt of court for disregarding an order to pay his wife $5 a week alimony and $25 counsel fees. He pleaded poverty, saying his collections did not amount to as much as the alimony claim. The vice-chancellor dismissed the application.

The story was published in the New York newspapers, and the next issue of the Westfield *Standard* contained a letter signed by the Rev. C. H. Malcolm, of Roselle, and William Davison, of Westfield, in which they refused to believe the statements published in the New York newspapers and said Mr. Jennings stood unimpeached before his Bishop, his brother priests and the church. The *Standard* was visited by rector Jennings and notified that suit for $50,000 would be brought against the paper because the editor refused to divulge the name of a correspondent who had criticised Jennings in the newspaper.

Rector Jennings left his Cranford pastorate because of trouble with his congregation there growing out of a divorce secured by his wife on the ground of cruelty, drunkenness and desertion.

Reporters were refused admission to the trial last night. A number of women attended.

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How the Sons Will Celebrate the Battle.

The New Jersey society of the Sons of the American Revolution, a number of whom are now citizens of Plainfield, will celebrate the one hundred and sixteenth anniversary of the Battle of Trenton, December 26, in the First Presbyterian church, Newark. The programme arranged is an interesting one. The invocation will be delivered by the Rev. A. Nelson Hollifield, D. D., and the introductory address by the Hon. John Whitehead of Morristown.

The oration will be made by Gen. Bradley T. Johnson, president of the Maryland Society S. A. R. Miss Marie Louise Lyon of Short Hills will read an original poem written for the occasion, and Miss Allie Cadmus will recite "Liberty's Bell". A quartette composed of Miss Lyde B. Marsh, soprano; Mrs. Edward B. Alston, contralto; Clarence A. Cree of Elizabeth, tenor, and William F. Mullen, bass, will sing appropriate songs.

Morning Recitals.

Mrs. C. E. Brooks, Mrs. Irving H. Brown, Mrs. Rowland Cox, Mrs. Charles J. Fisk, Mrs. Pliny Fisk, Miss E. E. Kenyon, Mrs. F. G. Mead, Mrs. J. K. Myers, Mrs. Wm. J. Roome, Mrs. H. G. Runkle, Mrs. Wm. L. Saunders, Miss Emilie Schipper, Mrs. A. D. Shepard, Mrs. Mason W. Tyler, Mrs. Charles D. Wadsworth and Mrs. Wm. L. Wadsworth are the cultured women of this city under whose patronage Paul Tidden will give two piano recitals at the Casino, Tuesday mornings, Jan. 3 and 10.

Another Who Requests His Name Withheld.

A Plainfield bicyclist was painfully injured and his bicycle broken by a collision with a horse and buggy, owned by Albert Brown, of Chatham, at the corner of Millburn avenue and Spring street, Millburn, Sunday afternoon. The collision was accidental. After having his wheel repaired sufficiently to push it along, the bicyclist started home on foot.

Shiloh's Cough Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price, 50c. and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Avenue, opposite railroad station. 5-16-y

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

THE MAYOR'S GREAT SCHEME.

W. L. Saunders Appears as Promoter of a Giant Enterprise—Salt Breezes and Ocean Spray to Be Supplied by Pipe-Line to Every Home.

The promoters of the New York Power company, which desires to pipe the streets of New York and supply compressed air and salt water under pressure, met alderman Flynn's committee on streets yesterday. The promoters are Mayor W. L. Saunders of North Plainfield, president of the company; E. A. Miller of Newark, secretary, and Thurlow Weed Barnes, who, it appears, is one of the directors. Two lawyers came with them, Charles E. Coddington and J. Murray Mitchell.

Mr. Saunders told the committee that it is the purpose of the company to furnish hydraulic and pneumatic power, especially in the down-town districts. It is proposed to establish a plant on the East River and pump salt water through nine-inch mains. The compressed air mains will be twelve to fifteen inches in diameter and the pressure forty to fifty pounds to the square inch. The power, he said, is much cheaper than any yet devised, and is intended particularly for small users who cannot afford to maintain a power plant of their own.

Alderman Harris asked why the name of the company had been changed from the National Heating company last July when the company was looking for another sort of a franchise.

Lawyer Coddington replied that the company changed its plans, and thought it well to change its name to conform to them.

G. Waldo Smith of the Grocers' association opposed the application because so little was known of the petitioners. Thomas Barrett, who headed a delegation from the board of trade and transportation, declared the power company promoters to be "irresponsible, and chiefly noted for their cheek and impudence".

Roger Harrison and Lawrence Selig, representing several brewers who already hold revocable licenses for maintaining salt-water pipes in the streets, opposed the granting of the franchise.

James A. Seymour, assemblymen A. R. Conkling, L. J. Callanan and John Franz also spoke against the company's application.

The street committee will report on the application at a meeting of the board of aldermen to be held to-day.

"PRINCE OF PEACE."

Special Christmas Service Arranged by Park Avenue Baptists.

A special Christmas service has been arranged for the Park Avenue Baptist church by pastor Richardson. It is entitled "Prince of Peace" and will be conducted by superintendent E. W. Runyon. The programme is as follows:

Organ Voluntary.....Miss Alice Coard
Invocation.....Superintendent
Responsive Reading.
Anthem "O Holy Light", (Adam).....Choir
Sunday-School Exercise, (Voices from the Grief-Stricken World.)
(Antiphonal Choirs.)
Carol—"Good News for You and Me"
Primary Class
Solo—"Manger Cradle", (Neidlinger)
Mrs. E. Spicer
Recitation—"White as Snow"
Miss May Thompson
Anthem—"There Shines a Star"
Sunday-School
Recitation—"The Angel".....Miss Alice Smith
Primary Class Exercises,
Conducted by Miss C. S. Whitfield
Song—"The Christmas Bells".....School
Recitation—"The Dying Newsboy"
Master Earl Ovington
Solo—"Mortals Awake", (Shelly)...Mrs. Spicer
Recitation—"Christmas Forty Years Ago"
Master Hervey Doane
Choral "Bells at Christmas Time" Primary Class
Collection.
Offertory by the Primary Class.
Recitation—"The Closing Sermon"
Miss Annie Wykoff
(Firstly, Secondly, Thirdly and Lastly.)
Carol—"Gift of God".....Sunday-School
Benediction by the pastor.

Calendar for 1893 Free.

The Chicago & Northwestern Railway has just issued an attractive calendar for 1893, which is one of the best for practical use in the business office as well as the home. A copy of this desirable calendar will be mailed free upon sending your address with a two-cent, postage stamp to W. A. Thrall, G. P. & T. A., Chicago.

Denies Its Allegations.

The *Courier* last night said:

"The police were summoned to a house on Prospect avenue Saturday evening to eject ex-policeman Kelly. The man's wife, the police say, is taking charge of a house there for the winter, and Saturday night he made himself obnoxious and was ejected."

Mr. Kelly denies the entire charge. He is still suffering greatly from injuries received in jumping off a Blue Line flyer at Westfield, thinking he was being carried past Plainfield, and is incapacitated for causing trouble, even were he so disposed.

Why throw away your money for every new cough syrup, when you can buy that standard remedy, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup?

BRILL BROS.

HATTERS

$1.85,

Alpine Hats,
Black and Brown,
Shapes to suit all faces.

BRILL BROS.,

MEN'S OUTFITTERS,

47 Cortlandt street, New York. 11 26 m

THE PEOPLE ARE DELIGHTED.

Real-Estate Improved by the Trolley Road, and Hackmen the Only Grumblers.

The envious eyes of New Brunswick are cast on Plainfield's trolley road. Just how the foreigners view our superb rapid transit system is told by the *Home News*:

PLAINFIELD ELECTRIC ROAD.

CARS ARE RUN ON THE TROLLEY SYSTEM AND GIVE SATISFACTION.

Two well-known citizens who were in Plainfield a day or two ago took a ride in the new electric trolley system railroad, for which over two miles of track have been laid connecting the extreme end of the city with the railroad depot. The cars are elegant in appearance and have every comfort, including a neat stove for heating, and are lighted by electricity.

They are run on nine minutes headway from 6 a. m. to 10:45 p. m., daily, and later trains on Saturday night. A motorman and a conductor accompany each car. There is a double track over about one-half of the line and several turn-outs at other points. The tracks are excellently laid and the streets are kept in good repair. Horses are getting used to the cars and seldom shy at their appearance. This road obtained the franchise from the city free, but pays taxes on capital stock.

The new company which is to run in North Plainfield has also obtained a franchise on a small rental to be paid after the road has run two or three years. The poles used are neat iron ones, painted dark green, and are certainly no disfigurement. Altogether the people are delighted with the new system, real estate is advancing in value where the road runs, and the only grumblers are hackmen, who say that their business is nearly ruined.

Juniors Beat the Seniors.

A friendly game was bowled on the Hope chapel alleys last evening between five-men teams of the Juniors and Seniors connected with the chapel. The game was intensely exciting after the fifth frame, but luck attended the Juniors, and at the end of the game it was found the Seniors were beaten by 27 pins. The score:

JUNIORS.		SENIORS.	
A. Muir	147	J. Brown	153
G. Firstbrook	111	J. Cose	119
T. Brown	145	W. Leland	117
A. McComas	112	B. Littell	138
R. Marsh	134	A. Leland	95
	649		622

City Court Record.

City judge Codington had 132 prisoners before him the past three months. Of these 21 were committed, 76 fined, 11 discharged, 13 had sentence suspended, 2 are under bonds, and 11 cases are unsettled. The fines amounted to $358.

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WILL APPEAL TO MGR. SATOLLI.

Dissatisfied Reading Catholics Will Ask Him to Settle Their Grievances.

READING, Pa., Dec. 20.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Father Januskiewicz, pastor of St. Mary's Polish Catholic Church, who ordered the removal from the sacred edifice of Mrs. Frank Wolnawicz, a member, on the ground that she was disturbing the meeting.

A warrant was issued at the same time for John Silgoski, special officer at the Church, for assault.

Mrs. Wolnawicz claims that the officer laid violent hands upon her in ejecting her.

There has been trouble in this church for some time past and the differences will probably be speedily brought to a focus.

The dissatisfied members have decided to send a committee of five to Mgr. Satolli, the Pope's special representative in America, to endeavor to secure the removal of the priest.

Failed for $268,000.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Dennis E. Sibley, president of the Sibley Elevator company, has failed with liabilities of $268,000.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Fire last night caused a loss of $450,000 at St. Louis, Mo.

—There are 26,361,983 bushels of wheat in private elevators at Minneapolis.

—The official count in Michigan gives Harrison nine electors and Cleveland five.

—William Russell, the oldest paper maker in America, is dead at Bellow's Falls, Vt.

—All the miners and workmen of the Spring Hill, N. S., colliery, are on strike.

—The U. S. S. Dolphin has arrived at the Washington Navy Yard from Norfolk, Va.

—The railroads centering at Kansas City, Mo., are again suffering from a car shortage.

—In a dispute at Evansville, Ind., Bert Tole shot and instantly killed James Short.

—The First Baptist Church, Galesburg, Ill., was destroyed by fire with a loss of $30,000.

—Postmaster-General Wanamaker has established the free delivery system at Phœnix, Ariz.

—The North American Endowment Association, Boston, has gone into the hands of a receiver.

—Vice-President-elect Stevenson and party have left Bloomington, Ill., on their Southern trip.

—It is reported that Anson, of Chicago, will captain the New York baseball club next season.

—Celia Boyd, a dissipated girl, 15 years old, accidentally shot her aunt dead at Kittanning, Pa.

—Matthew Johnson has been indicted by the New York grand jury for the murder of Emil Kuckelhorn.

—The trial of Daniel Cahill for the murder of Ann Larkin at Hatfield, last June, has been begun at Northampton, Mass.

—Prof. B. Neeley, superintendent of public schools at Rome, Ga., for nine years, is dead. He left a wife and nine children.

—Crawfordsville, Ind., and vicinity is greatly excited over the flight of Milo Tomlinson, the well-known breeder of fine stock.

—Fifteen granite cutters struck at the works of Jarvis at East Montpelier, Vt., yesterday, owing to the firm's employing too many apprentices.

—The storehouse and waiting room of the Highland Wharf and Land company on the pier at Cottage City, Mass., were destroyed by fire yesterday.

—It is said that the new Congress will authorize the issue of $100,000,000 in bonds for the purpose of increasing the gold reserve in the Treasury.

Ely's Cream Balm is worth its weight in gold as a cure for catarrh. One bottle cured me. S. A. Lovell, Franklin, Pa.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

Santa Claus

—AND—

CREDIT!

On credit without security. Clothing, Hats and Shoes, for Men and Boys. On Easy Weekly or Monthly Payments.

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DEATHS.

FANCHER—Suddenly, at Fanwood, N. J., Dec 17, 1892, James R. Fancher, Jr., aged 28 years. Funeral services at his late residence, Fanwood, N. J., Tuesday, Dec. 20, at 3 p. m.

ROGERS—At Washingtonville, Tuesday, Dec. 20, 1892, Catherine Rogers, aged 56 years, 7 months and 20 days.

$13.50.

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By special train composed of elegant day coaches over the

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

To all to whom these presents may come, greeting:

Whereas, in the judgment of the board of directors of The Carolina Company, a corporation organized under the laws of this State, it has been "deemed advisable and most for the benefit of such corporation that the same should be dissolved before the expiration of the time limited in its certificate of organization as appears by a duly authenticated record of the proceedings of said board of directors of such corporation held in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An Act Concerning Corporations," approved April 7, 1875, and the several supplements thereto, which said record, including the consent in writing of "two-thirds in interest of all the stockholders" of said corporation that such dissolution should take place, as by said act required having been by said corporation deposited in my office;

Now therefore, I, Henry C. Kelsey, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, being satisfied by due proof that the requirements of "An Act Concerning Corporations," approved April 7, 1875, and the supplements thereto, relative to the dissolution of corporations, have been fully complied with by the said corporation, do hereby certify that the Carolina Company did on the nineteenth day of December, 1892, file in my office a duly executed and attested certificate of consent to the dissolution of said corporation by two-thirds in interest of all the stockholders thereof, which said certificate of consent, and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file and of record in my said office, as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton this nineteenth day of December, A. D. eighteen hundred and ninety-two.

(SEAL) HENRY C. KELSEY,
Secretary of State.

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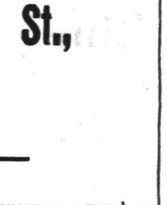

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They were in a prohibition state at the time.

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Applicant—I am a doctor of music.

"Oh, then we shall be glad to have you with us, and I'm sure you'll do well here, for there's lots of music in this locality that needs doctoring."—Boston Globe.

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"This isn't the first time you have come in contact with the police," said the lawyer to the witness.

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20th Day of December Next

The names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution;

The Commissioners of Appeal

In cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

Fourth Tuesday in November Next

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For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 5 27, 5 38, 6 05, 6 29, 6 59 7 20, 7 30, 7 55, 8, 8 16, 8 27, 8 51, 9 45, 9 52, 10 04, 10 27 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 52, 1 02, 2 05, 3 05, 3 12, 4 01, 5 05, 5 45, 6 07, 6 44, 7 15, 9 02, 10 13, 11 20, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 8 53, 11 16, 11 43 A. M., 12 38, 1 42, 3 50, 5 14, 7 01, 7 10, 8 52, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 15, 9, 10, 11 00, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 00, 3 45, 4 00, 4, 4 15, 5 00, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 00, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1 night. Sunday—8 00, 9 15, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 48 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 52, 1 02 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 12 11 26 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 42, A. M. 12 58, 1 48, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 8 28, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 05, 7 35, 8 05, 10 06, 11 35 A. M., 1 05, 1 33, 3 30, 3 35, 4 05, 4 39, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 30, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 15, 5 45, 6 05, 7 05, 8 15, 10 05 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 45, 11 a.m. 12 27 1 50, 3 25, 5 45, 6 56, 8 05, 9 20, 8 34, 6 04, 6 20, 6 38, 7 12, 8 34 9 30, 9 57, 11 15, 15 48 P. M. Sunday—8 48, 9 28, 9 54, 11 15 A.M., 2 05, 3 30, 5 35, 6 16, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 50, 7 08, 7 26, 7 35, 7 48 8 50, 9 02, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 2 05, 3 25, 4 50, 5 32, 6 36, 8 41, 8 46, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 5 30, 11 10 A. M., 12 06, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 02, 8 05, 9 49 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 8 17, 9 45, A. M., 1 09, 5 20, 8 28, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M., 3 05, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 20, 11 10 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 5 40, 7 50, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 9 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge Branch.

9 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 43 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Potsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 09 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 05 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 39 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

9 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 20 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 05 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6,35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 27 a. m. 1 05 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 27, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 9 03, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 27, 8 36, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16, 5 57, 7 05 p. m. Sunday—8 03, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 27, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 20, 8 48, 10 42, a. m., 12 52*, 3 04, 4 52*, 6 20*, 8 30, 9 27 p. m. 2 17 night. Sundays—9 48, 11 16 a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 56 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 20, 9 42, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 50, 3 04, 5 24, 6 20*, 9 27 p. m., 1 17 night, Sundays—9 48, 11 16 a. m., 2 08, 5 14, 6 56 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 45, a. m., 2 14, 4 12, 6 24* (6 20* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night. Sundays—9 45 a. m., 2 15, 4 12, 5 14* (6 56 Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 30, 11 00, a. m., 1 00, 3 15*, 4, 6 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, p. m., 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 30 a. m., 2 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 8 20, 9 20, 12 15, a m 2 15*, 6 25, 8 15, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 2 15 a. m., 8 15*, 6 50, 8 15*, p. m.

1Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 00, 9 05, 10 12, 11 59, a. m., 3 08, 4 08*, 4 40, 5 54, 6 52, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m., 4 08*, 5 15, 7 07, 9 00* p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked * change cars at Bound Brook.

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I take this method of informing my friends and the public in general that I am again in business at the old stand. I solicit your patronage. Will not be undersold by any in the business. Store will close at sundown on Friday, and open at sundown on Saturday night. 8 10 1

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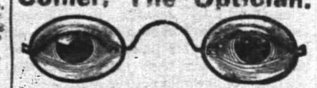

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Meats, Fruits, Vegetables, Poultry, Eggs, &c.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J.

Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge. 4 8 y

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Of their own manufacture.

Wedding parties supplied at short notice. Consult Tier for prices before leaving your orders for cream elsewhere. 8 tf

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A CARD.

We beg to call the attention of the public to the fact that Mr. Frank Linke, of Plainfield, N. J., is no longer served with our beer, and we request our patrons to send their orders in the future to Mr. William H. Cawley, of Somerville, N. J., who will give the same his prompt attention and supply them with our goods in fine condition.

BALLANTINE & CO.

Referring to the above card, I beg to add that I shall establish a bottling business in the city of Plainfield as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. In the meantime, I shall promptly deliver all orders sent to me.

WILLIAM. H. CAWLEY,
Somerville, N J.

12 13 1m-c 12 15 4

Another Card.

Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

FRANK LINKE'S WHOLESALE LIQUOR ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 43 West Front Street

A Great Christmas Special Spot Cash Sale

Every item actually reduced and plainly marked in bold figures. Our counters, windows and shelves fairly bristle with business, and all are well worth your close study and examination. The success of this sale is a compliment to our reputation, and proves beside that the public "know a good thing when they see it.

Best Leghorn citron	25c. lb ; 2 lbs. 45c	New soft shell almonds	1 lb. 25c
Best table raisins, layers in clusters	15c	New English walnuts	2 lbs 25c
Fine table raisins (in clusters)	2 lbs. 25c	New mixed nuts	2 "
Best California raisins	4 "	New Holiday mince meat	3 "
Best currants	4 "	Oranges	from 15c. per dozen up
Choice new figs	2 "	Choice mixed candy	3 lbs. 25c
Best new golden dates	4 "		

Extra speed inducements with tea and baking powders. Fine creamery butter 28c. lb. Don't fail to ask for one of our beautiful calendars.
Mail orders receive the same prompt attention as if you were here in person.
Store open evenings until 9 p. m.

United Tea and Coffee Growers' Assio'n.,

29 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

A Suit of Boy's Clothing for a CHRISTMAS GIFT

Will be appreciated by YOUR BOY when purchased of

Hallock & Davis, 5 West Front St.

Hatters, Shirters and Glovers.

Prices so low you can't help buy 'em.

PLAINFIELD BARGAIN HOUSE.

Annual opening of Holiday Goods of every description, including the most complete line of Useful Presents, such as silk handkerchiefs and mufflers, an endless variety of ladies and childrens muffs, gloves, mittens, umbrellas, gent's neckwear, etc. Also an immense assortment of plush dressing cases, smoking sets, glove and handkerchief boxes, dolls, perfumery and fancy articles. In our Millinery Department you will see a pretty line of doll's hats, together with our usual variety of tastily trimmed hats for which this house has an established reputation.

I. H. Boehm, 7 West Front St.

Cleaning and Dyeing.

All Kinds of Clothing Cleaned or Dyed.

Kid and Satin Slippers, Neck Ties,
Kid Gloves, Mufflers,
Tidies, Lace Curtains,
Chenille Portiers, Fur Rugs Cleaned.

HILLIER & CO'S., 49 North Avenue.

SPECIAL HOLIDAY CARD.

My stock of candy for the Christmas season of 1892 will be the largest and the variety the greatest ever offered in Plainfield. I guarantee prices the lowest in the city.

C. K. Compton, 26 West Front St.

The one chance of a lifetime to secure a charming location for a Summer Home is at

MIZZEN PEAK, WATCHUNG MOUNTAIN,

Twenty minutes' drive from Bound Brook station, and one and one-quarter hours from New York via. Royal Blue Line. Every one who has visited the spot pronounces it without exception the THE MOST DESIRABLE RESORT OF THE WHOLE RANGE; more natural advantages than at any other point. Do not fail to see it; first buyers can procure lots at very reasonable prices.

Also have other mountain property for sale at various points, viz.: near Washington Rock, 35 acres, house and barn; plots back of Plainfield, west of Somerset st., and on Johnston drive.

J. T. VAIL, Real Estate and Insurance Broker, Dealer in Blue Stone Flagging, etc.,
49 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 11 1 tf

Lumber & Coal
LOOMIS & RICE

B'dway. 49 TELEPHONE 75 A

"Oh, these Advertisements Tire me."

Some advertisements do have that tendency. So do some people, and some books. Nevertheless bright people understand that the advertising columns now-a-days carry valuable information about things new and good. Such is

Cottolene

The New Vegetable Shortening

Common sense teaches that a pure vegetable product must be more wholesome than hog's grease.

Cottolene

is part cotton seed oil and part beef suet, refined and purified by the most effective process known. It is more economical than lard for every use, and imparts a delicate, palatable flavor to food. Ask your grocer for the

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N. K. FAIRBANK & CO.,
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Removes Furniture, Freight, Pianos,
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39 North Ave. Telephone 121. 2 11 tf

BIRD'S CUSTARD POWDER.
AN ENGLISH SPECIALTY MAKES
DELICIOUS CUSTARD Without Eggs.
A 25c. package will be sufficient to make four pints, which can either be served in dishes or from glasses.
A supply, fresh from England, has just been received by the LEADING GROCERS.

THE FOLLOWING ALL KEEP IT:
G. W. Rockfellow, Plainfield, N. J.
R. W. Rice & Co., " "
Fred W. Dunn, " "

THE NEXT MORNING I FEEL BRIGHT AND NEW AND MY COMPLEXION IS BETTER.
My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. This drink is made from herbs, and is prepared for use as easily as tea. It is called
LANE'S MEDICINE
All druggists sell it at 50c. and $1 a package. If you cannot get it, send your address for a free sample. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Address, ORATOR F. WOODWARD, Le Roy, N. Y.

Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.

Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

41 East Sixth Street.

9 19 6m

Carty & Stryker

Opened their new store with a full line of first-class

Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables,

CHEAP FOR CASH,

Saturday, November 26, corner

CENTRAL AVE. AND SECOND STREET.

If you will kindly favor us with your order, it will receive prompt attention.

Don't forget the place, corner Central avenue and Second street. 11 23 tf

F. D. WHITING, Engineer,

Will contract for
House Heating by Steam or Hot Water.
Licensed to put in City Water.
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The largest house for Painter's Supplies in the city.

MARSH, AYERS & CO.,

Successors to W. F. Adams, dealers in

Paints, Oils, Glass, Wall Paper, &c.,

No. 19 EAST FRONT STREET,

PLAINFIELD, N J

Estimates furnished. Work done promply in a first-class manner. 12 2 y

MR. BLAINE NO WORSE

The Patient Conscious and Said to Be Cheerful.

SLIGHT TEMPORARY IMPROVEMENT.

Reticence as to the Real Nature of His Malady—President Harrison and Other Prominent Officials Call at the Ex-Secretary's Mansion—Boutelle Relates an Anecdote of Blaine.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—There has been some improvement in Mr. Blaine's condition since Sunday. The reports given out to-day from the Red House, where the patient lies, were more cheerful. He slept well and naturally last night, and as a result substantial change for the better was noticed this morning.

The malady is organic, however, and in the nature of things must grow worse with time. No one sees Mr. Blaine but his wife, the nurses and the physicians. Mr. Blaine is conscious, and to-day appeared somewhat cheerful. He is very weak, but takes nourishment regularly.

When a correspondent called at the Blaine residence last night several members of the family were in the sitting room apparently in a more hopeful and cheerful mood than they have been during the past few days. J. G. Blaine, jr., said his father seemed to be holding his own, and the family hopes that he may yet survive Christmas and even a longer period.

Dr. Johnston is not so sanguine as the members of the family, but declines to indulge in speculation as to when the end may come. He does not anticipate any immediate collapse, though he admits that Mr. Blaine may be attacked by heart failure any moment.

There is still a mystery surrounding the disease from which Mr. Blaine is suffering, and none of the doctors interested in the case can be induced to disclose the secret. It is said that if it were made public it would open a large field for discussion that would be intensely disagreeable to his family and friends. The opinion has been gaining ground steadily that there is something more the matter than Bright's or consumption.

Whatever it may be it is admitted that the disease has made such inroads upon his constitution that there can be but the very slightest thread from which to hang any hope of his living for even a short space of time. The statement that he is no worse than he was yesterday carries with it but little hope of improvement.

There were a number of sympathetic and anxious callers yesterday, including the President, the Secretary of State, several members of the Diplomatic Corps, and many Senators and Representatives.

James G. Blaine, jr., received the visitors and said that the members of the family are encouraged by the statements of the attending physicians. The cold rain which set in yesterday and afterward turned into snow and slush alarmed the anxious watchers at the sick man's beeside.

It was thought possible that, even with the extreme precautions that are taken to protect the invalid, these bad atmospheric conditions might be reflected in Mr. Blaine's condition. Fortunately, however, these fears expressed by friends of Mr. Blaine were found, on a visit to the house, to be baseless, and subsequently Dr. Johnston said that the weather does not affect Mr. Blaine at all.

BOUTELLE ON BLAINE.

He Says That Mr. Blaine Wrote the Letter Which Was Credited to Morrill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Congressman Boutelle of Maine is quoted as making the following statement:

"Mr. Blaine's versatility is wonderful. I remember in the administration of Gov. Garcelon, when the Democrats were trying to get the State from us, and when Maine was in fever heat and civil war seemed impending. Mr. Blaine was the chairman of the State Committee and had charge of the Republican fight.

"We had been endeavoring to get the Governor to submit the questions at issue to the Supreme Court, but had not succeeded.

"Mr. Blaine led the fighting. Presently there appeared a letter to the Governor signed by Lot M. Morrill, who was known otherwise as a peace-loving, conservative Republican, asking the Governor to lay before the Supreme Court the questions at issue.

"The letter was mild in tone, frank and fair in its expressions, and adroitly put upon the Democrats the onus of refusing to submit the dispute to arbitration.

"Public sentiment at once changed. The Governor was obliged to submit the matter and the decision was in favor of the Republicans.

"For years Mr. Morrill received the praise of hundreds of men not only in Maine, but throughout the United States, for his wisdom and tact.

"Mr. Blaine wrote that letter. Mr. Morrill simply copied it and signed his name."

Three Child Burglars.

TAUNTON, Mass., Dec. 21.—John O'Connor, Henry and Fred Letrault, whose ages range from 10 to 14 years, have been successfully robbing houses in this city the past month and had accumulated a big amount of plunder. They will be sent to the Reformatory until they become of age.

Committal of the Missing Cook.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 21.—Patrick Gallagher, the missing cook who confessed to having been implicated in the Homestead poisoning conspiracy, was arrested yesterday. He was taken to Alderman McMaster's office, and after waiving a hearing was committed to jail.

Came to Grief in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—C. D. Worthen, registering from Boston, Mass., is under arrest on a warrant charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses. With worthless checks he raised money at several hotels. Worthen belongs to a highly respectable family.

A Benefactor of Babies Starving.

WALTHAM, Mass., Dec. 21.—R. Henry Taylor, the inventor of modern baby carriages, was found by the police in a starving condition and mentally unbalanced.

Stamboul Bought for $41,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The great trotting stallion Stamboul was sold at the American Institute yesterday by auction to E. H. Harriman, of this city, for $41,000.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

WILL REVERT TO THE CROWN.

Money Received By a Newspaper in a Word Prize Contest.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—A decision has been handed down in the case of the Queen against Pearson's Weekly, one of the papers that were conducting the "missing word" competitions which were stopped by the courts because of the fact that the word "competitions" used in advertising and conducting the scheme was an infringement of the Gaming Act.

When this decision was made the proprietors of Pearson's Weekly had on hand the money sent in with guesses of one missing word. This sum amounted to 24,000 pounds and a question arose as to what disposition should be made of it.

The addresses of the persons who had not guessed the proper word had been destroyed, so it was impossible to return the money, and the ruling of the court prevented its distribution among those who had guessed the missing word.

The judge has ordered that Parson's Weekly pay the money in question into the court, the sheriff and the police assenting to this disposition of the fund.

It is probable that the money will revert to the crown.

BOOTH INDORSED.

But Onslow's Committee Says Too Much is Spent on Buildings.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The report of the committee of which the Earl of Onslow is chairman, and which was appointed to investigate the financial affairs of the Salvation Army, as conducted by General Booth, has been made public.

The report speaks favorably of General Booth's enterprise for the redemption of Darkest England, but qualifies the general verdict of approval with criticism to the effect that too much cash has been sunk in building operations at the beginning of the enterprise.

Confirmations By the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The Senate in Executive session confirmed, among others, the following nominations:

B. S. Rairdan, of Maine, United States Consul at Batavia.

R. F. McCrillis, of Massachusetts, United States Consul at Denia.

Charles A. Orr, Pension Agent at Buffalo, N. Y.

Postmasters — Massachusetts — Mrs. Elizabeth W. Smart, Merrimac.

New York—Augusta B. Berard, West Point; F. P. Emmons, Manline.

The Alleged New Tilden Heir.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 —The immediate heirs of the Tilden estate place no dependence on the statement that comes from Detroit that Howell W. James of Ovid, Mich., is on his way to this city to claim a share of the estate, on the ground that he is a first cousin of the late Samuel J. Tilden. It is said that the new claimant, who is 85 years old, claims that under the recent ruling he is one of the 36 heirs of the $7,000,000.

Buried Under a Falling Chimney.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 21.—While several men were fighting fire at Warrensburg, yesterday, the chimney of the burning building collapsed, burying Philip E. Harvey, Isaac Woodward, Edward Branch and Louis Gouthy in the debris. Harvey was burned to a crisp, his body being found under the ruins after the fire was extinguished. The other three were rescued alive, but were severely burned.

Conkey's Printing Office Unionized.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—The union printers have succeeded in inducing Conkey, the World's Fair Catalogue Concessionaire, to come to their terms. An agreement is already settled upon by which the Conkey establishment is "unionized." Accordingly, the printers' protest is withdrawn from the World's Fair Commission.

Luncheon to Minister Lincoln.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—U. S. Minister Robert T. Lincoln was at the Capitol for a while yesterday and was warmly greeted by his friends in the Senate. A luncheon was given him by Senator Aldrich, of the Rules Committee, to which about half a dozen other Senators were invited.

Meeting of the Society of Naturalists.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 21.—The eleventh annual meeting of Society of Naturalists will be held at Princeton on Dec. 24 and 29 inclusive. The society consists of 170 members, comprising all the prominent naturalists of the Eastern States.

Trial of the Monterey.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Unofficial information received at the Navy Department states that on the preliminary trial of the Monterey at San Francisco all the boilers worked well, the main engines making 120 revolutions per minute.

Weavers on Strike.

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 21.—The weavers, both men and women, in the employ of the Blackstone Woolen company, Blackstone, Mass., have gone out in a body, the cause being alleged excessive fines.

Hanged Himself Because He Was Lost.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 20.—P. Riley, aged 70, a farmer of Hallock, went into the swamps looking for cattle lost six weeks ago. He got lost and in despair hanged himself to a tree with willow withes.

The Italian Procurers Sentenced.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Francesco Pagliaros and his wife Clementine were found guilty yesterday on the charge of bringing to this country a number of girls for immoral purposes. Sentence was suspended.

Will Move to New Rochelle.

NORWALK, Conn., Dec. 21.—Col. Frank M. Roberts, principal of the Norwalk Military Institute, will move the school after the holidays to New Rochelle, it is said.

THE CHILIAN INDEMNITY.

Now in the New York Sub-Treasury Awaiting Distribution.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The $75,000 paid by the Chilian government in settlement in full for all claims arising out of the Baltimore affair at Valparaiso have just been covered into the sub-treasury at New York.

The draft for that sum was brought to this country by Minister Egan in October last. It was drawn on the bank of France and called for payment thirty days from date of presentation.

Mr. Egan gave it to the Secretary of State. It then went to the Secretary of the Treasury by whom it was sent to the Assistant Treasurer at New York.

Its negotiation was then entrusted to Seligman & Company, bankers, by whom collection was duly made through their agents in Paris and this part of the transaction was closed by the deposit of the money at New York.

These necessary preliminaries having been performed and the money now being in the actual possession of the government, arrangements will be made as soon as possible for its equitable distribution to the people for whom it is intended.

This important branch of the transaction is in the hands of the Navy.

STOLE OVER $60 000.

Methods Adopted by the Late Forestal to Rob St. Louis' City Treasury.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 21.—The methods adopted by the suicide Forestal in embezzling from the City Treasury were these:

Bonds to the amount of $46,000 were reported by him as redeemed, when instead the money had gone into the defaulter's pocket. Bonds to the amount of $4,000 were unlawfully hypothecated. The remainder $14,020.16 was taken from the cash, checks, etc., passing through his hands.

Gideon Marsh in Africa.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 21.—According to information brought by the Philadelphia ship Jacob E. Ridgway, from South Africa, Gideon W. Marsh, the fugitive Keystone bank president, who was supposed to have been in Brazil during the summer, was in Cape Town last October and soon left for the Rangoon, when he was identified and became known as a Philadelphia bank wrecker.

Wiman on Annexation.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Dec. 21. — "The people of the United States," said Erastus Wiman here at the Business Men's banquet, "should not be beguiled into the belief that the annexation of Canada was possible within a quarter of a century, even if then. The recent agitation, with this end in view, was entirely inconsequent, so far as practical politics were concerned."

May Benefit France's Art Exhibit.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—It is the opinion in art circles here that the recent resignation of M. Antonin Proust, the French Art Commissioner, for the Chicago Exhibition, will not injure the interests of the Fair, but, on the contrary, will probably improve them. From the first M. Proust's appointment was very unpopular here.

Requisition Asked for Somerby.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 21.—Prosecuting Attorney Holtzman has asked Gov. Chase for requisitions for the extradition of Freeman D. Somerby, Amos H. Hosmer, Joseph Gladding, J. Henry Hayes, E. W. Rouse, C. H. Baker and J. M. Eckersley, Iron Hall directors, who have been indicted.

Wrecked by a Bursting Steam Pipe.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Dec. 21.—A large steam pipe in the pressing department of the S. U. Noyes & Company comb factory, at West Newberry, exploded, wrecking the building, which is located a little distance from the main factory. The machinery in the building was also ruined.

No Hope for Free Silver.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Representative Pierce of Tennessee, the prominent free silver advocate during the last session, has given up all hope that the question will be reached this Congress, and indeed expresses his belief that the silver cause will be side-tracked for four years.

Lasker Defeats Martinez.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 21.—The first game of chess between Lasker and Martinez was played yesterday and was won by the former in 19 moves. Martinez was placed at a disadvantage right at the opening, a Petroff, and had either to lose the queen or be mated.

Growth of the Labor Federation in Maine.

LEWISTON, Me., Dec. 21.—President Tillotson, of the Maine State Branch of the Federation of Labor, says that his report at the coming annual meeting will show that the membership in the State has more than trebled during the present year.

Snowing in Mississippi.

HOLLY SPRINGS, Miss., Dec. 21.—After a steady rain all day, snow began falling about six o'clock last evening, and bids fair to snow heavily all to-day. This is unusually early for snow in this section.

Counterfeiters Arrested.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The Treasury Department is informed of the arrest by secret service officers at Indianapolis, Ind., of Wm. Carter and Wm. Clay charged with passing counterfeit silver dollars.

Fifteen Below Zero in Iowa.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Dec. 21.—This is the coldest day of the season. The thermometer marks 15 below zero and it is growing colder.

A Cabinet Crisis Impending in Lisbon.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—A special despatch from Lisbon states that a Cabinet crisis is impending.

TO PROSECUTE DEPUTIES

Scenes of Wild Confusion in the French Chamber.

M. ROUVIER IN HIS OWN DEFENSE.

His Denial of Guilt Not Satisfactory—Greeted With Howls and Derisive Laughter—Personal Encounters and Challenges to Fight Duels.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—After M. Rouvier, ex-Minister of Finance, had appeared before the standing committee and said that he would attend the Chamber of Deputies and speak in his own defense, the statement was noised abroad with the result that when the Chamber convened almost every member was in his seat.

Great excitement prevailed among the Deputies, owing to the fact that M. Rouvier was expected to refute in detail M. Clemenceau's charges as to the call at the house of Baron de Reinach on the evening before the latter's death, and the statement of "La Libre Parole" that his initials were on the stub of the Thieree checks.

The galleries were packed. Not more than a dozen seats in the whole auditorium were vacant.

Before M. Rouvier came Deputy Arne, charged by M. Andrieux, late Prefect of Police, with corruption in connection with the loan of 1878, who made merely a general denial.

As M. Rouvier ascended the Speaker's tribunal every Deputy leaned forward in an attitude of close attention. The first words of his defense were delivered amid oppressive stillness.

Present circumstances, he said, had relieved his tongue of the gag imposed upon it by Ministerial duty and he was ready to tell the whole truth.

When he came into power, he found that the secret service fund was entirely inadequate for the defense of the Republic. As, in order to govern well, he and his colleagues must have the money which the secret service fund lacked, he had recourse to his personal friends for sufficient money to tide over the temporary difficulty.

The confusion grew steadily in the Chamber as the Deputies became convinced that M. Rouvier was evading the issue. Loud murmurs of protest greeted his first statement as to the secret service fund, and when he suggested that the suspicious checks were contributions of his personal friends to the support of the Government, there was an outbreak of howls and derisive laughter.

Raising his voice so as to be heard above the uproar, M. Rouvier shouted:

"What I did, all public men have done. Had I not adopted that course, the men now interrupting me would not be seated on these benches."

Bedlam broke loose the very moment that the words were uttered. Deputies rose and shouted back to the speaker, and others shouted for the names of the friends.

M. Rouvier made three attempts to be heard, but his voice was inaudible. After the demonstration had spent itself, he continued:

"I am perfectly ready to go before any tribunal. I have nothing to fear. I never derived the slightest benefit from the Panama Canal company. I have never defended its interests. I challenge investigation."

This peroration provoked another hostile demonstration. When order had been restored the report of the special committee in favor of the prosecution was adopted.

M. Paul Deroulede then asked what action the disciplinary council of the Legion of Honor had decided to take against Dr. Cornelius Herz.

"This man," M. Deroulede said, "is not to be left with the insignia of the Legion in his possession, although, I grant, he is a most important man to the State, for he truly holds the reins of government."

M. Deroulede paused for several minutes while the Right cheered this taunt and the Left tried to drown the cheers with shouts of protests.

Then he proceeded with perfect coolness to make a most virulent personal attack upon M. Clemenceau, "whose relations to M. Herz," he said "are too well known to need detailed discription."

Despite M. Floquete's repeated protests, cries of "dissolution" and a general tumult which reached to the topmost gallery, M. Deroulede again addressed himself to M. Clemenceau. "Why did this Herz give 200,000 francs to "La Justice," he shouted.

M. Clemenceau, white with rage, sprang to his feet and shaking both fists toward M. Deroulede, shouted back an answer, which nobody could hear in the general confusion.

M. Deroulede closed with an attack on the "Mutual Benefit Association, not of Socialists and Revolutionaries, but of rich men and of rich men's pamperers."

M. Clemenceau replied and in conclusion cried out:

"Deroulede has accused me of betraying my country by introducing foreign influence. Deroulede lies!"

After another scene of wild disorder Lucien Millevoye, Boulangist Deputy for Somme, rose to defend, as he said, the memory of Gen. Boulanger against the aspersions cast on it by M. Clemenceau's statement concerning the friendship between Herz and this great man.

He then let loose a torrent of abuse on M. Clemenceau, accusing him of accepting millions in bribes and of advising the abandonment of Egypt by the French Government.

In the consequent tumult M. Millevoye turned upon M. Floquet, who was trying to restore order, and shouted at him an insulting name.

Millevoye closed his speech with an assertion that Herz was the paid emissary of a foreign power.

M. Bourgeois, Minister of Justice, announced amid applause that he would arraign Dr. Herz before the disciplinary council of the Legion of Honor. M. Deroulede declared himself satisfied, and he withdrew his interpellation.

The Chamber then adjourned.

The bitter feeling aroused during the sitting led to many wrangles and tumultuous scenes in the lobbies of the Chamber, and a number of duels will be the result.

Deputies Deroulede and Millevoye have already sent seconds to Deputy Clemenceau to demand satisfaction from him for the insults heaped upon them in the heat of the quarrel.

The scenes presented on the streets have not been equalled in many years—not since the fall of President Thiers in 1872.

There are all the outward aspects of a revolutionary era.

Note the date.

Marion Harland,

Author of "Common Sense in the Household," writes, February 5, 1892: "After long and careful trial of others, I prefer

Cleveland's

Baking Powder. Cleveland's is a pure cream of tartar and soda mixture, not containing alum or ammonia or any other substance deleterious to the human stomach."

Marion Harland

THE POPE WELL SATISFIED

With the Decisions of the American Archbishops' Conference.

ROME, Dec. 21.—Mgr. Satolli has sent to Cardinal Rampolla an important letter containing the two decisions and report of proceedings of the American Archbishops' Conference. Cardinal Rampolla has replied without delay, expressing the Pope's satisfaction with the communication, and giving further instructions regarding Satolli's mission to the United States.

A high Church authority says that the Vatican is in fact well pleased with the decisions of the conference on the scholastic questions, considering them at once moderate and tending to union and peace. This satisfaction is all the more lively seeing that the resolutions are in harmony with the precise instructions given by the Pope to Mgr. Satolli.

HARRISON TO BE A PROFESSOR.

Will Deliver Lectures on Law at Stanford University.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—The statement is published that President Harrison, at the expiration of his term of office, March 4, next, will become a member of the faculty of the Stanford University, having accepted a proposition to deliver a series of lectures on law as a non-resident professor.

This would necessitate an occasional visit to California and might result in his making California his winter residence each year.

Appointed Rector of a New Parish.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Dec. 21.—The Rev. R. J. Burns, for nine years Assistant Pastor of St. Peter's Church, in this city, has been appointed by Archbishop Corrigan to the rectorship of the new parish established last week, consisting of the congregations of the Hyde Park and Staatsburg Catholic Churches in Dutchess county.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Minister to Chili Egan has sailed from New York for his post.

—Mrs. James G. Blaine, jr., denies that she is to be married again.

—Gen. Paine, of Boston, will not build a boat to defend the America's cup.

—Herman Bunger, on trial in Jersey City for the murder of John Diedrickson, has been acquitted.

—A deficiency of 244,211 pounds appears in the statement of the Marquis of Allesbury's affairs.

—Three horse thieves and two marshals were killed during a fight at Hyattville, Wyo., yesterday.

—Congressman Durborrow has introduced a bill repealing the Sunday closing clause of the World's Fair bill.

—The Idaho National Bank at Pocatello, Idaho, capital $50.000, has been authorized to begin business.

—The Grievance Committee of the Baltimore & Ohio Trainmen have reached an agreement with the company.

—Miss Ida Cotton is dead at Three Rivers, Mich., from the effect of wounds inflicted upon her by John Weaver, her lover.

—George King has been sentenced to one year in the penitentiary for promiscuously hugging the pretty girls of Willimsburg, N. Y.

—Reynolds Brothers, manufacturers of boots and shoes, with factory at Stoughton, Mass., have made a voluntary assignment.

—Ephriam Boyer, of Mount Holly Springs, Pa., and his uncle, Samuel Boyer, were fleeced out of $500 by "green goods" sharks.

—Mike Branch, of Brooklyn, received a terrible pounding in a prize fight for $500 by Frank Brant, of New Haven, at Ansonia, Conn.

—Edward Parker Deacon will not have to pay for the furniture broken in the Hotel Splendide at Cannes incident to the killing of M. Abeille.

—The New Jersey Court of Pardons has granted a pardon to Richard Mass, of Passaic, sentenced for seven years for assault and attempted rape.

—The Lamport Railroad Safety Car company of New York city has been incorporated at the office of the Secretary of State with a capital of $25,000.

—Emil Zung, who lost four and a half fingers in William Kenftel's planing mill, New York, has received a verdict of six cents damages with costs.

—Orlando Metcalf, a prominent capitalist of Colorado Springs, has assigned with assets of $500,000 and liabilities of $100,000. He has large interests in Pittsburg, Pa., iron mills.

Bought by the Pennsylvania.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Pa., Dec. 21. — The Cresson, Clearfield & New York Short Line Railroad Company has been sold to and merged into the Pennsylvania Railroad company's system.

Court of Appeals Recess.

ALBANY, Dec. 21.—The Court of Appeals will take a recess on Friday until Monday, Jan. 16. The court has fewer cases before it of importance than ever before at this season.

Reduction of Wages.

WILMINGTON, Dec. 21.—The Bette Machine Company, employing about 90 men, has announced a reduction of wages of from 16 to 17 per cent, owing to unusual dullness of trade.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For New Jersey. To-Morrow, Continued Fair; Westerly Winds, Becoming Variable; Slightly Colder Thursday Morning.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—When looking for candy remember that Compton's the best.

—Compton takes the lead in quality and quantity in the candy line.

—There will be a Reform club meeting to-morrow evening in Reform hall.

—Come to Compton's and get your candy for Christmas if you wish it pure and fresh.

—Oysters and other sea-food dainties are especially palatable at this season of the year. Rogers supplies the best.

—An elegant mixed candy consisting of dipped cream bon bons and fine chocolates at Compton's at 40 cents a pound.

—Henry Rummell, of 28 Stebbins place, this city, has a fine collection of all kinds of butterflies on exhibition at the Central pharmacy.

—Those big show windows at Packer's furniture emporium look finer than ever. They have been rearranged so as to present the handsomest possible appearance.

—The official count of the votes of the United States just completed, gives Cleveland a popular plurality of 391,379. His plurality in 1884 was 23,005; and in 1888, 95,534.

—More than the usual number of ladies are buying shoes and slippers this year, and what would be more acceptable to a gentleman than a pair of Doane & Edsall's patent leather shoes or a pair of those Russia leather Faust or Romeo house shoes.

—Martin Lance the butcher met with a slight accident this morning. He was attempting to hang a shoulder of beef on a hook when another shoulder of beef which was hanging on another hook above, fell striking him on the head and knocking him to the floor. Fortunately no serious damage to Martin resulted.

They Should n't Do Anything Rash.

A word of warning to the Peace street objectors who are planning to fight the enterprise in the courts.

If they decide to join purses and go to the expense of getting a certiorari of the proceedings into the courts, they will be expending just as much as though they paid their assessments without grumbling, and then they won't have anything to show for their money. Furthermore, they will be putting the township to heavy expense which they as taxpayers will have to pay.

The chief objector is W. E. Brock. He was assessed $50 benefits on each of his lots. He thinks this unjust. Yet a real estate expert says he would value Brock's lots at $100 more apiece, because of the new street going through.

Young Men Still Losing.

The C. Y. M. L. should have won last night's tournament game, but they did n't. The Alcyones made a total of only 1,393, yet the Young Men were 86 pins behind, and on their own alleys, too.

The tournament record to date:

	Won	Lost	Percent.
Elizabeth Field Club	4	0	1.000
Y. M. C. L. A.	2	0	1.000
Arthur Kull Asso'tion	3	1	.750
Union County Roads'rs	1	1	.500
Alcyone Boat Club	2	2	.500
Pioneer Bowling Club	1	2	.333
Crescent League	1	2	.333
Roselle Casino	0	2	.000
C. Y. M. L.	0	4	.000

A Plainfield Publisher's Work.

John Dalziel of 66 East Sixth street has published a handsome book suitable for a holiday gift for the young people, entitled "Strength and Beauty for Boys and Girls". It is a volume of the "Loving Service" series, and is adapted from the beautiful parables of Krummacher. The illustrations are excellent, being engraved by Mr. Dalziel himself. The stories are choice reading, and as instructive as entertaining. Copies may be obtained at Harper's, where information will be given concerning Mr. Dalziel's other publications.

A Little Fall That Might Have Been a Bigger.

Louis Dunavan, one of John Chandler's carpenters, fell from underneath the Seventh Day Baptist church roof 20 feet down to a tier of beams, yesterday afternoon at 2:30. If he had missed the strip of board that lay across the beams and caught him, he'd have gone on down into the cellar fifty feet below.

As it was his bruises will confine him to his home, 15 East Third street, for some days.

Cometary Difficulties.

The astute Mr. Nye has remarked that even "comets have their troubles, such as perihelious, hyperbolas and parabolas". None of these ailments, or any other of like orand, can ever affect the persons who acquire the latest style of watch-charm at Collier's. It is better than a nepenthe and does n't cost half as much.

—You can depend upon getting good candy when you buy at Compton's.

Only good things are imitated, therefore be sure that you get the genuine Salvation Oil, if you want to cure your rheumatism.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

SHOT HIMSELF FOR LOVE.

DRAMATIC SUICIDE OF A YOUNG ORIENTAL.

His Fiancee's Father Refused to Sanction His Marriage, and He Feared that Rivals Would Capture His Sweetheart—"Bull Frog City" the Scene of the Death.

Elie Akaoui, age twenty-two, dealer in oriental embroideries in New York city, killed himself at the home of his sweetheart in North Plainfield this morning to end the unhappiness of a love affair.

Elie was in love with Emilie, the pretty and plump young daughter of Emile Brizard, a house decorator formerly in business at 127 West 19th street, New York.

Brizard's home is a modest cottage at 80 Greenbrook road, corner of Harrison street. Akaoui has for three weeks been a guest there. His suit for Emilie's hand had been favored by Madame Brizard. The girl's father, however, was opposed to the marriage, and as a dutiful young man he did not wish to marry in opposition to the father's wishes. He was about to leave town, and in his insane jealousy feared that during his absence some rival suitor would captivate his loved one's heart. Altogether he made himself most unhappy, and brooded continually over his sorrow.

Yesterday he told Mme. Brizard that death alone could end his troubles. The woman argued that he was foolish to worry so; that he must be patient, and in good time he and Emilie should wed. He had only the father's will to conquer. His fears as to Emilie's faithfulness were groundless.

Elie had recently, finding his New York business poor, been helping M. Brizard at the work of plastering, in the Seventh-day Baptist church. Yesterday he wrote a letter in French to another paper, stating that he was going to kill himself, since Emelie's father would not let him marry her till he had made a certain amount of money, and this requirement he feared he could never fulfil. Elie came to this country from Constantinople not long ago.

Elie passed a sleepless night, and early this morning told Mme. Brizard that he was going to pack up and prepare to go away. He had her lay out some clean garments for him, and then shut himself in his room and asked not to be disturbed.

A moment later and two loud pistol shots were heard in quick succession.

At the noise of the shots, Mme. Brizard rushed to Elie's door just in time to intercept her terror-stricken daughter Emilie from entering. The girl was still clad in her night dress, having been dozing in bed when alarmed by the reports. The mother urged the daughter to robe herself properly, and then by hasty investigation satisfied herself that her fears were realized—Elie had killed himself.

Sadly Mme. Brizard told poor Emilie the truth. The girl burst into the young man's room and threw herself in a swoon upon the couch where lay young Elie dead.

The young man had fired two bullets into his breast, both entering the heart. Death had been almost instantaneous. There was an ugly hole in his breast, where the bullets had torn the flesh. No blood whatever issued from the wound; the bleeding was inward.

Dr. O. L. Jenkins was speedily summoned, but the only service he could render was officially to pronounce the man dead. He notified county physician Westcott, who made an investigation later in the day and gave a burial permit.

A PRESS reporter was admitted to the scene of the tragedy by the afflicted Emilie herself. Her eyes were much swollen with weeping, and she trembled and shook as though with a violent nervous chill.

The walls of the entrance hall and stairway were hung with plaster mouldings made by M. Brizard for interior decoration of Plainfield homes. The little bed room at the head of the stairs was where the suicide had occurred. The body of Akaoui was stretched out on the couch in the corner where he had fallen after firing the shots. The left arm lay by his side, and the right was stretched across the couch where he had flung it when he dropped the revolver. Mme. Brizard had tenderly arranged the coverlets over the lifeless form, and save for the deathly whiteness of the flesh and the half-open, staring, unseeing eyes, one might have supposed the young man was quietly sleeping.

All of the blood had left the face, which even to the lips was of a chalky hue. A silken short black mustache graced the mouth. The hair was black and cut pompadour. The features were regular and well chiseled. Akaoui seemed to have been a good looking and promising young man.

Emilie flung herself down beside the responseless clay of her loved one, pressed his cold cheek against her own, and sobbed out her passion of grief. She called him by every term of endearment, and begged of him to come back to life and to her. She showered kisses upon his pallid lips, and her tears rained upon his brow. Finally she took refuge in her mother's enfolding arm, crying "Oh, Mama! Mama! He loved me so!"

The mother sadly stroked the daughter's tresses and said "Poor Emelie! Poor Elie! He was the best young man that ever lived; so gentle, so good-natured! Only yesterday he spent $25 for her Christmas gifts. Poor Elie! Why did you do it! Poor Emelie! What you do now!"

"He looks so natural"—the mother continued, in her broken English, bending her head to listen, as though to catch his heart beats.—"I think every minute to see him breathe again, to hear him speak. But ah, he speak not again, he smile on poor Emilie never more."

The reporter left the simply furnished room, with its saddened mother, its broken hearted maiden, its silent dead, its heartrending grief. A number of photographs looked down from the wall, where Emelie's loving hands had arranged them, and a hand mirror stood on a small table at the foot of the couch. It was the last thing Elie had looked into alive. As the reporter turned away, Emilie was gazing into the glass as though she would summon his dying glance from its mercurial depths.

FIRST OF THE CHORALS.

A Most Excellent Concert With Soloists and Other Features of Interest.

The first subscription concert of the Choral society, which was given last evening, was in every respect an enjoyable one. The first part of the programme was miscellaneous and the latter part, Mendelssohn's arrangement of Racine's Athalie.

The soloists were Mrs. Charles Tyler Dutton, previously known to Plainfield's people as Miss Bessie Grovestein, Miss Blanche Fellows, and Miss Tirzah Hamlin. Charles Roberts, jr., was the reader.

Miss Hamlin gave unmixed pleasure. She possesses a contralto voice of full rich tone, remarkably even in quality. Her solo, "I have lost my Eurydice", from "Orpheo" by Gluck, was well rendered and she received a double recall. Mrs. Dutton gave "Miriam's Song of Triumph", by Reinecke, in excellent style, showing that she possessed dramatic ability. Miss Fellows well sustained her part in the oratorio.

Mr. Roberts has lost nothing of his power in the years that have passed since he last appeared upon a similar occasion, in the same place. His recitation of Buckham's "A Song in the Market Place" gave great pleasure as did also his reading throughout the oratorio. One was at one moment uplifted by his dramatic fervor, and at another charmed by the sympathetic, tender quality of tone that pervades all his reading.

The orchestra from the New York Philharmonic society, under the leadership of Nathan Franko, did excellent work. Their overture, "A Night in Grenada", Kreutzer, was very enjoyable.

The chorus is to be congratulated upon its delicate shading of the *a capella* song "Airs of Summer", by Roeckel. It seems to have learned what is so hard to teach amateur singers, that good singing does not consist in going straight through a song at the top of one's lungs. "Daybreak" is a beautiful production of Eaton Faning's. It was well rendered as a whole but some of the attacks were a little uncertain. "Liberty", a dramatic production of Faning's in entirely different style from "Daybreak", consists to a large degree in a male chorus sung by bass voices, which is decidedly difficult to render smoothly. It was sung excellently well.

Although Athalie has been given twice before in this city, few of the present chorus had ever sung it. It is a production that is bright and always pleasing, and the novelty of having the poem read by such an artist as Mr. Roberts to a musical accompaniment, adds to its effect. The chorus did excellent work and well sustained the whole during a slight break in the solo parts.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Kate Kimball, general secretary of the C. L. S. C., is visiting her parents in this city for the holidays.

Architect Charles Smith is at work on plans for a fine residence for J. C. Peck, on Mercer avenue, Washington Park.

E. Zinah Penfield is visiting his sister, Mrs. S. R. Struthers, at her home on Madison avenue, after his absence for four years in Nicaragua.

A $9,000 summer home for Miss Morgan, the millionaire daughter of the late Homer Morgan, is being built at Southampton, L. I., by architect Fosgate of this city.

George Percy Taggart of North Plainfield, and Walter Irving Clarke of this city, again contribute to the notable Christmas "special" of the New York *Journalist*, this season. Mr. Taggart writes of "The Second Death", a deep and thrilling study of a curious theory; and Mr. Clarke gives the story of "A Christmas Contrast", in which a "man in a rut" and a "soaring son of genius" are the principal figures—a tale with the true Christmas flavor. Will M. Wilshere of the Westfield *Standard* writes a clever newspaper sketch entitled "Jim's Shroud". The entire holiday issue of the *Journalist* is as usual brimful of bright, selected things from the best writers in the journalistic profession.

HYMENEAL.

Cobb—Hurlburt.

At the home of the bride's parents, 30 Emily street, at high noon to-day, occurred the marriage of Miss Florence Vivienne Hurlburt and J. Eugene Cobb of New England City, North Dakota. The Rev. C. L. Goodrich was the officiating clergyman. Only the immediate friends were present, on account of the serious illness of a near relative. The bride was attired in a becoming traveling suit of steel gray broadcloth with steel cut trimmings. The many rich and handsome presents which were sent show the love and respect in which both are held by a host of friends. After the wedding breakfast was served, the happy couple took the 1:02 train for Portland, Maine, where the honeymoon will be spent. Upon their return they will reside in Plainfield. The groom is largely identified with the sheep industry of the west.

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CHRISTMAS FOOTWEAR.

We have only the space to enumerate a very few of the many styles of foot covering to be found only at Doane & Edsall's that are especially appropriate for Christmas Gifts:

Men's and Women's Russia Lea Fausts
" " Genuine Alligator Slips
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Boys', Youth's and Child's Alligator Slips.

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The latest novelties in Jewelry—beautiful designs in Stirling Silver, 14 karat gold and roll plate. Largest stock; greatest variety in the city at

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THE BEST CELLULOID NOVELTIES.

See our stock and prices before buying. No trouble to show goods.

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Concert at 8,
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All persons who have been taxed for the opening of Peace street, are requested to attend a meeting to be held at Spencer's Hall, North Plainfield, Wednesday evening, Dec. 21, 1892 at 7:30. Don't fail to be there. Important business. 12 19 3

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The largest assortment of Paintings, Etchings, Mirrors, Albums, Oil, China and Water Color Boxes, Easels, etc., ever offered, and at very reasonable prices.

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Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H Lowrie, W. M
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 95, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. O. H. Rugg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 158, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis B. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Langor, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. B. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Easter Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
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We will save you money by offering at cost until Xmas twenty of our choicest souvenirs. We will give away three thousand different pieces of popular sheet music, one copy with each and every dollar purchase. You should see Perpetual Motion in our windows, and the largest stock of Christmas goods for old and young outside of New York, at twenty per cent. lower than all competitors. We will sell goods less than cost rather than keep them over, and as we are clearing out, come early, and you will go home happy. All who intend to buy we always sell to. Our store is a circus and a museum together and Santa just roars with laughter all the time he is here.

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Is complete, including a full line of small goods and Sheet Music. We will now offer until after the holidays special bargains on all instruments.

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Is incomplete without Sea Food from Rogers's to grace the board. Oysters, scallops, all fish, scale or shell. Fresh, luscious, healthful.

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WAS CURED IN AN INSTANT.

Plainfield People Will Be Interested in This Case of Divine Healing.

Mrs. G. M. Whittemore is well-known among philanthropic people in this city, where she has spoken publicly several times in behalf of slum and mission work. She is founder of the Door of Hope, a house of refuge for fallen women.

Last week Mrs. Whittemore was lying at death's door, but had a marvelous recovery, which she declares was unmistakably a case of divine healing.

Mrs. Whittemore was out shopping on Fifth avenue when seen by a reporter, and looked remarkably strong and well.

"I am sorry that my case has been made public,"—said Mrs. Whittemore—"but since it has come out I may as well tell you the true facts. In the first place I want it understood that I do not believe in faith cure.

"I don't believe that all the faith in the world could cure a sick person unless Jesus Christ was in possession of their body, soul and being. I do believe in Divine healing. I did not take a single dose of medicine all through my illness. But that does not go to prove that I do not believe in medicine.

"I give it to my girls and to any one in whom I am interested when they are ill. I did not take it myself because I had yielded myself into God's hands, and He was all-sufficient for me. I regard my recovery as a miracle.

"About two weeks and a half ago, while away from home, I was taken violently ill with a kidney complaint. I knew that I was in a dangerous condition, so I begged to be brought home at once. My husband came for me and brought me home. Then he at once called in the family doctor. I was suffering fearful pain. Every breath I drew made me wince with pain. I said to my husband: "I do not want a doctor. God cured me eight years ago from my spinal trouble, and if it is His will that I should get well again He will save me now. You may send for a trained nurse to look after me, but I do not want the doctor.'

"The doctor came nevertheless. When he had examined me he told me that my condition was extremely serious, and that the only thing which could give me an instant's cessation from pain was a hypodemic injection of morphia. I said I would not take it. If I had to die I wanted to die with my mind unclouded.

"I fought with the pain all day Sunday and Monday. By this time I knew that there were over 500 persons in this city offering prayers for my recovery. We always do that; when any one of us is ill the rest of us offer up a special petition in our prayers.

"Last Tuesday afternoon Dr. Simpson called. We had a prayer together, and just as he was leaving I drew the first long breath which I had drawn painlessly for more than ten days. Then a tremor ran down the left side of my body where the pain had been.

"Instantly this pain left me. I cried out for joy. The trained nurse who had left the room when Dr. Simpson came in came hurrying back. I said to her 'God has cured me; I feel quite well again.'

"The nurse got angry with me, then, for she had been provoked with me all through my illness because I would not take any medicine. 'It's utterly absurd for you to talk like this, Mrs. Whittemore,' she said. 'If you are well, why don't you get up and walk?'

"As she said the words the strength seemed to come back to me in an instant. I threw the clothes off and stood up before her. The nurse almost fainted from sheer fright. I never saw a woman turn so ghastly white before. In two hours I was up, dressed and downstairs.

The next day I went out for a long walk, and ever since then I have been going about my mission duties just as usual. I never felt stronger or better in my life."

The nurse was seen at 723 Park avenue, Mrs. Whittemore's house. She corroborated her patient's story in every particular.

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Mrs. Miller's Kind Efforts for the Little Ones.

The ladies of the Children's Home wish to thank most cordially all the friends whose gifts made Thanksgiving Day so happy for the children; to all the members of the Women's mission for their gifts in money, and a generous supply of fruit, groceries, etc., and to Mrs. J. B. Miller, who sent $33 40 as the proceeds of a children's fair at her home. The ladies would say to those who ask, "What shall I send you for Christmas", send handkerchiefs, crash and glass-towels for the kitchen, gingham for aprons, shoes, stockings and rubbers, knee-pants for boys from 3 to 11 years old.

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The Most Costly Residence Site in Plainfield.

John J. H. Pollion has purchased of George H. Babcock, through E. C. Mulford the real estate dealer, that remarkably fine building site, 336 feet front on West Seventh street, opposite the homes of ex-councilmen Ackerman and Cox and Capt. J. Frank Hubbard. The property was formerly the Onderdonk estate and occupies the entire block from Madison to Central avenues. Mr. Pollion will erect on the site a handsome colonial residence.

The price given is the largest ever paid for any residence site in this city. H. Edwards Ficken who built the Fleming home and is now erecting one for F. O. Herring, will be Mr. Pollion's architect.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

SOMERVILLE PUFFS ITSELF.

Misrepresents the League Base-ball History, and Announces Next Season's Plans.

(From the West End Fair Journal.)

The growth of the West End Athletic association of Somerville, New Jersey, since its inception six years ago, has been something phenomenal. "Great oaks from little acorns grow", likewise has been the gradual spreading out of the power and strength of this association, until now its influence is far reaching and its strength is great. Six years ago when three young men stood one evening in front of a handsome residence in the West End of town and resolved then to form a base-ball club which should be called the "West Ends", who would then have thought that six years hence the same club would own a handsome club-house, a fine athletic field, and provide a home and amusement for nearly two hundred young men. For five years the aim of the association has been to excel in base-ball, and that they have done. For three years in succession they held the championship of New Jersey against all comers, and have during the past year again proved victorious, against clubs representing such towns as Westfield, Plainfield and Elizabeth. The West Ends' old enemies, the Crescents, were beaten in the series, losing four out of six games played with the West Ends. The Crescents lost but one game in the league series except when they played against the West Ends. The association is now done with professional base-ball. The coming season an excellent amateur team, with a professional battery, will be put in the field against similar teams. Foot-ball, tennis, and other athletic sports will be more largely entered into. During the winter bowling is largely indulged in by the club men, and already some excellent bowling strength has been shown. An individual bowling contest is now in progress at the club-house in which some very high averages have been made. The ladies, also, are very pleasant features of the club-house life, as each Wednesday evening sees many of the fair ones in attendance, who, after an hour's sport at the balls and pins, emerge from the house with glowing cheeks and sparkling eyes, complaining how mean it is that women do not have club-houses. Each winter during the club's existence the members have given an amateur minstrels and in each instance the performance was most creditable. Two receptions in the old rink brought out the swellest people in the county, not to mention the visitors. The club is in a most flourishing condition."

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Second Night of the Band Fair.

Should the attendance increase each night during the week as it did on the second night of the Plainfield Cornet band fair, the big Crescent rink will hardly be large enough to contain the crowd that will be present on the closing night, and that such will be the case is almost positive.

The large number of pretty and useful articles displayed should induce "buyers" for Christmas to visit the fair. The splendid music offered for the low price of admission is a rare treat for "musical ears." The nightly "hops" from 10 to 12 are a strong magnet for the lovers of the "light fantastic toe", and last, but not least, the worthy object of helping the representative band of the city in uniforming themselves second to no organization in the State, so that their appearance will be a credit to Plainfield whether parading in other localities or while performing at the summer city concerts, is a fact worthy of the attention of the people of Plainfield at large. The management have conceived the idea (advanced by the business manager of the National Skate and Bicycle syndicate, lessees of the Crescent rink) of holding a special matinee Saturday afternoon, commencing at 3 for school children and their parents or guardians, giving a "Sunlight Dance" from 3:30 to 5, for the children, who will undoubtedly enjoy the treat of coming together a few hours before Santa Claus visits them.

How One of Plainfield's Most Successful Firm's Does Business.

One of the busiest places in town these fine days is the store of White & VanArsdale. This enterprising firm has spared neither pains or expense to put before the people the finest selection of holiday goods ever displayed in this growing town, and the enormous crowds at their store prove that the Plainfield people are buying their Christmas goods at home. They buy in large numbers direct from the manufacturers at the closest prices and give the trade every benefit possible.

Jerusalem's Officers.

Jerusalem lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M., elected the following officers last evening:

W. M.—C. H. Rugg.
S. W.—C. P. Leggett.
J. W.—D. C. Adams.
Treasurer—S. E. Flower.
Secretary—C. Yaeger.
Trustees—W. J. Ford, A. W. Rand and D. S. Pope.

The above were all re-elections excepting in the office of secretary.

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Latest News By Wire to THE PRESS.

MR. BLAINE'S CONDITION.

No Change Noted This Morning.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—At Mr. Blaine's house this morning inquirers were told that he had passed a comfortable night and was about the same as he was yesterday. Dr. Johnson visited his patient soon after 8 o'clock and remained about half an hour. The statement of the attendant was made after the physician had left.

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THE BUSIEST MAN IN TOWN.

How F. M. Hulett Has Built up a Business That Had Always Been Considered Impossible in Plainfield.

Standing on the spacious floor of F. M. Hulett's music warerooms, amidst one of the largest stocks of organs, pianos, musical instruments, stools, etc., ever displayed in any city, a reporter of THE PRESS noticed yesterday no less than four costly pianos on which the label "sold" had just been placed that afternoon. Through the door another, safely boxed, was being carried to a truck for shipment out of town, while the affable and complaisant proprietor was at that very moment engaged in selling one of his best makes to one of the most prominent members of Plainfield's cultured musical set.

No wonder F. M. Hulett is known by the title of "The busiest man in town". Before his coming to Plainfield it was supposed to be impossible to coax this city's piano trade from the New York dealers. When more than two pianos a month were sold here, the market was supposed to have experienced an unusual boom. But since the arrival of Mr. Hulett and his opening of the extensive establishment in the Schepflin block, the trade in this line has been won away from the metropolis by his enterprise, judicious advertising, good taste in selecting stock, shrewdness as a buyer, reasonable charges and upright dealing.

His department of vocal and instrumental sheet music has also been a revelation and a satisfaction to Plainfield. Every composition published can be found there to-day or will be procured to order to-morrow.

Mr. Hulett, at 74 West Front street, is now offering until after the holidays special bargains on all instruments. His stock includes Kranich & Bach pianos, Mason & Hamlin pianos, Starr & Co. pianos, Jacob Bros. pianos, Ludwig & Co. pianos, Mason & Hamlin organs and Newman Bros. organs, besides all the best makes of small instruments.

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A Plainfield Woman Wins a Lawsuit.

The case of Moret Poeckes & Baumlin *vs.* Mme. E. L. Getzl was tried before a jury of business men yesterday afternoon in justice Nash's court.

The claim was for goods shipped for sale on commission and still in the possession of the defendant, who wanted to return the unsold goods as agreed between them. Wm. M. Stillman was the attorney for the plaintiffs, and Wm. K. McClure for the defendant. The latter showed to the jury very clearly how the contract was made, and proved without any trouble that the claim of the plaintiffs could not stand, their own witness, the salesman who made the contract, contradicting himself at every new question asked by the gentlemen of the jury. The jury were out ten minutes, and brought in a verdict for the defendant.

A Novel Admission Ticket.

The Christmas social gathering of the Crescent Avenue Sunday-school will be held on Friday. Primary from 2:30 to 5 p. m., main school at 8 o'clock. Each member of the school is requested to bring some useful articles to be given as a Christmas present from the school to someone in need. The scholars are also required to bring a big potato as a ticket of admission, which will be afterwards given to some worthy poor.

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WHERE IS REV. WATKINS

No Trace of Trinity Church's Former Rector.

MISSING SINCE LAST SATURDAY.

He Drew All His Money and Told Friends in Philadelphia He Was Going Abroad Never to Return—His Disappearance Attributed to Melancholia.

NORWALK, Conn., Dec. 21.—Rev. Wilbur F. Watkins, of Philadelphia, formerly rector of Holy Trinity Church, New York city, and father of Rev. S. H. Watkins, rector of Grace Church here, has mysteriously disappeared.

Last week he was the guest of his son at the rectory, and on Saturday left for New York, presumably to return to Philadelphia.

From that time all trace of him is lost. His son received word from his mother that his father had not reached home and went on to Philadelphia. After a thorough investigation he learned that his father had drawn all his money, leaving word with friends that he was going abroad never to return.

Efforts are being made to find out whether he sailed on any outgoing steamer.

Mr. Watkins is 50 years old. His disappearance is attributed to melancholia, caused by trouble in the Church of the Ascension in Philadelphia of which until recently he was the pastor.

He resigned the pastorate under charges of a most revolting character, and a committee was appointed to investigate the matter. His son is still in Philadelphia and will remain there until he closes up his father's affairs.

FRESHMEN PUNISHED.

Yale's Faculty Prohibits Them from Base-ball Next Year.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 21.—Yale faculty have imposed as a penalty on the freshman class, a part of whose members indulged in recent riotous conduct in this city, a prohibition against the class playing intercollegiate baseball the coming year.

This is the first time in the history of Yale that such a punishment has been inflicted on a class.

It will seriously cripple the college in football contests in the future.

Nothing in the "Miraculous" Window.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 21.—The investigation by an expert of the Canton Church window, at the request of Archbishop Ireland, has proved the falsity of all claims made in regard to this "miracle" window. It is believed that there had been no fraud, conniving at or abetting it, on the part of Father Jones, but it is thought likely that the priest might have erred in being too credulous. The church will be closed.

To Keep Harris Out of Sing Sing.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Carlyle Harris, who is under sentence of death for the murder of his wife, Helen Potts Harris, was taken from the Tombs prison to the Court of Oyer and Terminer upon a writ of habeas corpus obtained by his counsel for the purpose of preventing the sheriff from removing him to Sing Sing pending the decision of the Court of Appeals in his case. The matter was postponed until Thursday next.

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It was a beautiful moonlight night on the great Blue river. A reckless adventure at Nankin had left me in a box; a veritable box indeed, for it was well fastened on all sides, and stood upon the deck of a Chinese junk, manned by pirates, and dashing under full sail down the Blue river.

My native servant, Master Tao-sen, had disappeared when I got into trouble, as what Chinese servant would not? I had not seen him since. Indeed I had not seen anything but a ray of moonlight coming through a crack in my box.

Suddenly a sail dropped, and, from what was said, I inferred that we had overhauled a silk junk and proposed to "take her in."

A little later a wild yell arose, at no great distance; then there was shouting and clashing and an occasional report of some uncertain firearms, marking the progress of the work. Then all was still, and the deed was evidently done.

The work of hoisting the sails began, but the large sail would not move. They tried the smaller sail. The rope broke in the upper rigging. The captain was furious. Men were sent aloft, where I judged, from what I heard, that they found things strangly tangled.

It was half an hour before they again began to hoist the large sail, just as a mandarin junk appeared in the distance.

There was almost a gale blowing down the river, and as the great sail filled, I could feel the strain as the junk started. Then there was a sudden lurch. The ropes which held the lower corners parted and the great sail floated like a fag.

It was growing interesting. Evidently the mandarin junk was bearing down upon us rapidly. I struggled to see some

I COULD ONLY SEE THE MAN AT THE HELM.

thing through the crack, but could only obtain a view of the man at the helm, holding the long wooden arm with which the rudder of a junk is turned.

The moon shone full upon his face. I started, stared, shut my eyes for an instant, then looked again. He was bare to the waist, with a rough, bagging skirt, held by a rope girdle. The disguise was complete; but the face! Could I mistake it? As sure as fate, it was my servant, Master Tao-sen.

How came he there? Was it through his treachery that I was in the box, or through his loyalty that the rigging was demoralized? He seemed to understand his business at the helm.

The mandarin junk was within hailing distance when the last rope was repaired.

I heard her captain order us to stop; I heard our captain laugh as the sail began to draw and he replied that he was in haste.

The junk quickly responded to the sail and began to move; then Toa-sen grasped the helm arm, braced his bare feet, and back, back, back, carried it to the rail, over it and, leaning out over the water, stood tugging with might and main, his feet braced against the stern.

The junk yielded, swung about and lost both wind and current before the captain realized what had happened and sprang for the helm.

Toa-sen dropped it and, with a yell, went head-first into the water. His work was done. I could not see, but I could hear, as the government soldiers boarded the junk and carried on the usual work with pirates—death without quarter.

When the noise subsided there was a thump on the side of my prison box, and the voice of that blessed Master Tao-sen sounded, speaking in pigeon English, which he was very fond of using when addressing me:

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A Possible Reason.

Chester—Mamma, is that hissing sound made by the logs?

Mamma—Yes, my dear.

Chester—And does the log hiss because it thinks it's a shame to burn it?—Harper's Young People.

The Old Man's Preference.

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7.08 P. M. WESTERN EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, dining car to Philadelphia daily for Pittsburg, Chicago, Cleveland Cincinnati, Memphis and St. Louis, daily except Saturday, for Toledo.

8.42 P. M. PACIFIC EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, daily for Pittsburg, Memphis, Chicago, and Toledo, daily except Saturday, for Cleveland and Columbus.

For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1.00, 6.57, 7.59 9.05, A. M., and 9.39 P. M. On Sundays 1.00, 6.38, 9.05 A. M., 9.39 P. M.

For Philadelphia—1.00, 6.57, 7.54, 9.05, 9.55, 10.05, 11.57 A.M.; 12.55, 1.39, 4.04, 5.15*, 6.37, 7.45, 8.43, 9.39 P. M. Sundays at 1.00, 6.59, 9.05, 9.55, 10.05 A. M.; 5.40, 7.47 and 9.39 P. M.

FOR ATLANTIC CITY

1.39 P. M. Through day coach), week-days. For Cape May Sea Isle City and Ocean City, 1.39 P. M., week-days.

For Trenton—1.00, 6.57, 7.59, 9.05, 9.55, 11.57 A. M.; 12.55, 1.39, 4.04, 5.15*, 6.37, 7.45, 8.43, 9.39 P. M. Sundays at 1.00, 6.59, 9.05, 9.55, 10.05 A. M.; 5.40, 7.47 and 9.39 P. M.

For Lambertville and Flemington, via Trenton—7.59 A. M.; 2.54 and 5.15 P. M.

For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1.39 P. M.

For Flemington—7.59 A. M.; 2.54 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden via Trenton—7.59, 11.57 A. M. 1.39, 2.54, 7.49 P. M. Sundays at 10.41 A. M. and 7.47 P. M.

A full line of tickets are on sale, and sleeping car accommodations can be secured at the ticket office at Elizabeth.

For further information, see time tables to be had at the ticket offices.

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Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in Effect, NOV. 13, 1892

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2.14, 3.37, 5.38, 6.05, 6.29, 6.55, 7.26, 7.30, 7.58, 8, 8.15, 8.27, 8.31, 8.45, 9.32, 10.04, 10.27, 11.09, A. M., 12 noon, 12.53, 1.02, 2.30, 3.12, 4.01, 5.16, 6.43, 5.57, 6.54, 7.08, 9.02, 9.23, 10.12, 11.26, P. M. Sunday—2.14, 6.05, 8.01, 5.52, 11.16, 11.43 A. M., 12.33, 1.42, 3.30, 5.16, 7.01, 7.10, 8.20, 8.32, 10.17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4.00, 6.00, 7.15, 7.45, 8.45, 9, 10, 11.30, A. M., 1, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6, 6.15, 7.30, 7.30, 8, 9.30, 9.15, 10, 11.30 P. M., 12.15, night; Sunday—4.30, 7.15, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2.15, 4, 5.30, 6, 7, 9.00, 10.00 P. M., 12.15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.38, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8, 8.45, 9.32, 10.04, 10.27, 11.09, A. M., 12 noon, 12.53, 1.02, 2.30, 3.12, 4.01, 5.16, 5.43, 5.57, 6.54, 7.08, 9.02, 10.12, 11.26, P. M. Sunday—8.01, 8.52, 11.42, A. M., 12.33, 1.42, 3.30, 5.16, 7.10, 9.23, 10.17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6.15, 7.18, 7.50, 8.55, 10.05, 11.35 A. M., 1.05, 1.35, 2.50, 3.35, 4.05, 4.33, 5.05, 5.55, 6.50, 6.20, 7.15, 7.35, 8.40, 10.05, 11.25 P. M. Sunday—7.30, 8.45, 9.50, 10.25, 11.45, A. M., 1.10, 2.35, 4.10, 5.40, 6.06, 7.20, 8.15, 10.00 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.15, 7.10, 9.17, 9.42, 11 a.m. 12.27, 1.59, 3.23, 4.45, 5.03, 5.30, 5.54, 6.04, 6.30, 6.35, 7.13, 8.30, 9.37, 11.18, 12.43 P. M. Sunday—5.45, 8.28, 9.34, 11.18 A.M., 2.08, 3.28, 5.14, 6.35, 10.15, 11.14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6.30, 7.03, 7.38, 7.45, 7.48, 8.20, 9.06, 9.47, 11.25 A. M., 12.34, 2.03, 3.35, 4.50, 5.32, 6.35, 8.41, 8.45, 11.05, P. M. Sunday 8.56, 11.15 A. M., 12.08, 1.16, 4.50, 6.40, 8.02, 8.58, 9.40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5.15, 8.17, 9.42, A. M., 1.59, 5.20, 6.35, 8.10 P. M. Sunday—5.45, 8.28 A. M. 4.06, 6.35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6.05, 8.39, 11.18 A.M., 4.09, 7.35 P. M. Sundays—7.15, 10.52, A. M., 6.40, 7.30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7.10, a m 12.27, 5.20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5.15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua,

7.10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch,

8.17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12.27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1.59 P. M. for Easton, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5.03 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5.20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch

D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Wilkesoarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5.20 P. M. for Flemington.

6.35 P. M. for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

6.20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, 8.28 A.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 3.03 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8.27 a. m. 1.02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 8.27, 8, 11.09, 6 m 1.02, 4.01, 5.57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8.52, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8.27, 8.58, 8, 11.09 a. m., 1.02, 4.01, 5.16, 5.57, 7.03 p. m. Sunday—3.52, a. m. 3.30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8.27, 8, 11.09 a. m., 1.02, 4.01, 5.16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5.15, 8.29, 9.42, 10.45, a. m., 1.59*, 3.04, 5.46*, 6.38* 8.20, *9.37 p. m., 1.17, night. Sundays—9.42, 11.15 a. m., 2.08*, 5.14*, 6.55 p. m., 1.17, night.

For Trenton 5.15, 8.29, 9.42, 10.45, a. m., 12.27, 1.59, 3.04, 5.34, 6.55, 8.20, *9.37 p. m., 1.17 night, Sunday—9.34, 11.15, a. m., 2.03, 5.14, 6.55 p. m., 1.17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9.45, a. m., 3.15, 4.12, 5.34* (6.39* Baltimore only) p. m., 1.17 night. Sundays—9.48 a. m., 3.15, 4.12, 5.14* Baltimore only) p. m., 1.17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 8.30, 9.30, 11.08, a. m., 1.30, 3.15*, 4, 5.15, 6.15, 8.02, 8.45, p. m. 12.01, night.

Sundays—10.00, 10.30 a. m., 3.15*, 5.15, 6.10, 8*, p. m., 12.01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3.55, 8.20, 9.20, 11.15, a m 2.12*, 6.20, 8.18, p. m. Sunday—3.55, 9.40, 3.15 a m., 3.23*, 5.23, 8.18*, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1.00, 1.55, 7.00, 9.02, 10.12, 11.00, a m. 2.08, 4.08*, 4.40, 5.54, 6.59, 9.00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1.00, 4.55, 10.27, 11.54 a. m. 4.08*, 5.12, 7.07, 9.00* p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked * change cars at Bound Brook.

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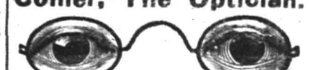

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Best London layer raisins (table use)	15c. lb	Best new English walnuts	2 lbs. 25c
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Best California raisins	3 "	Best new mixed candy (sold in most stores for 30c. lb)	12c. lb., 3 lbs 35c
Choice "	4 "	Choice new mixed candy 10c. lb.,	3 lbs. 25c
Best currants	4 "	Oranges	from 15c. per dozen up
Best figs	2 "	Double extra special inducements with tea and baking powder.	
Best Leghorn citron	25c lb		
Best new golden dates	4 lbs. 25c		

BUTTER—Fine table butter 25c lb. up. Store open evenings until 9 p. m.

United Tea and Coffee Growers' Assio'n.,

29 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

A CARD.

We beg to call the attention of the public to the fact that Mr. Frank Linke, of Plainfield, N. J., is no longer served with our beer, and we request our patrons to send their orders in the future to Mr. William H. Cawley, of Somerville, N. J., who will give the same his prompt attention and supply them with our goods in fine condition.

BALLANTINE & CO.

Referring to the above card, I beg to add that I shall establish a bottling business in the city of Plainfield as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. In the meantime, I shall promptly deliver all orders sent to me.

WILLIAM. H. CAWLEY,
Somerville, N. J.

12 13 1m-c 12 15 4

Another Card.

Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

FRANK LINKE'S WHOLESALE LIQUOR ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 43 West Front Street

A Suit of Boy's Clothing for a CHRISTMAS GIFT

Will be appreciated by YOUR BOY when purchased of

Hallock & Davis, 5 West Front St.

Hatters, Shirters and Glovers.

Prices so low you can't help buy 'em.

PLAINFIELD BARGAIN HOUSE.

Annual opening of Holiday Goods of every description, including the most complete line of Useful Presents, such as silk handkerchiefs and mufflers, an endless variety of ladies and childrens muffs, gloves, mittens, umbrellas, gent's neckwear, etc. Also an immense assortment of plush dressing cases, smoking sets, glove and handkerchief boxes, dolls, perfumery and fancy articles. In our Millinery Department you will see a pretty line of doll's hats, together with our usual variety of tastily trimmed hats for which this house has an established reputation.

I. H. Boehm, 7 West Front St.

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All Kinds of Clothing Cleaned or Dyed.

Kid and Satin Slippers, Neck Ties,
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Tidies, Lace Curtains,
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HILLIER & CO'S., 49 North Avenue.

SPECIAL HOLIDAY CARD.

My stock of candy for the Christmas season of 1892 will be the largest and the variety the greatest ever offered in Plainfield. I guarantee prices the lowest in the city.

C. K. Compton, 26 West Front St.

The one chance of a lifetime to secure a charming location for a Summer Home is at

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Twenty minutes' drive from Bound Brook station, and one and one-quarter hours from New York via. Royal Blue Line. Every one who has visited the spot pronounces it without exception the THE MOST DESIRABLE RESORT OF THE WHOLE RANGE; more natural advantages than at any other point. Do not fail to see it; first buyers can procure lots at very reasonable prices.

Also have other mountain property for sale at various points, viz.: near Washington Rock, 35 acres, house and barn; plots back of Plainfield, west of Somerset st., and on Johnston drive.

J. T. VAIL, Real Estate and Insurance Broker, Dealer in Blue Stone Flagging, etc.,
49 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 11 1 tf

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A 25c. package will be sufficient to make four pints, which can either be served in dishes or from glasses.

A supply, fresh from England, has just been received by the LEADING GROCERS.

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G. W. Rockfellow, Plainfield, N. J.
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Makes an every-day convenience of an old-time luxury. Pure and wholesome. Prepared with scrupulous care. Highest award at all Pure Food Expositions. Each package makes two large pies. Avoid imitations—and insist on having the NONE SUCH brand.

MERRELL & SOULE, Syracuse, N. Y.
8 4 y-t t s

Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man. Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

41 East Sixth Street.

9 19 6m

Carty & Stryker

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Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables,

CHEAP FOR CASH,

Saturday, November 26, corner

CENTRAL AVE. AND SECOND STREET.

If you will kindly favor us with your order, it will receive prompt attention.

Don't forget the place, corner Central avenue and Second street. 11 23 tf

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Estimates furnished. Work done promply in a first-class manner. 12 8 y

MAY DEMAND DAMAGES

Mexico Tired of the Acts of American Bandits.

SHE MAKES FORMAL COMPLAINT

Says the Depredations on the Border Must Cease—A Fight Expected—Federal Authorities Deny That Mexican Soldiers Were Held at San Ignacio.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 22.—The State Department prepared a formal complaint regarding the crossing of banditts from the United States to Mexican soil and of the damage they have caused, and requesting the American government to put a stop to such practices.

It is reported that a note on the subject, couched in energetic language, will be presented to the United States government within a few days. It is not yet known whether Mexico will claim damages, though it is believed she will do so later.

A FIGHT EXPECTED.

Federal Authorities Deny That Mexican Soldiers Were Held at San Ignacio.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 22.—Federal authorities at San Ignacio deny that Mexican soldiers were held there as prisoners.

The soldiers crossed over from Mexico at the time of the fight opposite San Ignacio, and have remained on this side of the river of their own free will.

LAREDO, Tex., Dec. 22.—Sympathizers with the movement in this city say that there will be an engagement between the Mexican troops and revolutionists before next Saturday night, or Sunday at the latest.

Developments are anxiously awaited and the fact that the United States Government has ordered the 7th Cavalry to this frontier would seem to indicate that the movement against Mexico is feared more than the Garza revolution of a year ago.

BOOTH'S CHRISTMAS DINNER.

The Queen and Wales Refuse to Aid Him in Feeding the Poor.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—In reply to a request from General Booth, Commander of the Salvation Army, General Sir Frederick Ponsonby, the Queen's Private Secretary and Keeper of the Privy Purse, has written a note stating that Her Majesty regrets her inability to subscribe to the fund being raised by General Booth for the purpose of providing a dinner for the poor on December 26.

The Private Secretary of the Prince of Wales, to whom a similar request was sent, expresses the Prince's sincere sympathy with General Booth's project, but says that the Prince has instructed him to inform General Booth that he intends to distribute his Christmas alms through the usual channels employed by him.

THE HOMESTEAD POISONING.

Bodies of the Dead Workmen to Be Exhumed By the Coroner.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 22.—Coroner McDowell proposes to carry his investigation of the Homestead poisoning beyond the grave.

He intends to exhume the bodies of all the men who worked in the mills, who have since died under circumstances to which the slightest suspision is attached, and subject the stomaches to a chemical test.

Bishop O'Hara's Golden Jubilee.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 22.—The golden and silver jubilees of the Right Rev. William O'Hara, Bishop of Scranton, and a priest and bishop of the Roman Catholic Church, was celebrated yesterday with all the pomp and impressive ceremonies such a rare event in the history of the church should call for. Cardinal Gibbons and many other church dignitaries and laymen were present.

Dacoits Attack Native Police.

BOMBAY, Dec. 22.—Advices received here from Rajkote, capital of the State of that name, in the province of Guzerat, report an encounter between a body of Dacoits and a force of native policemen under command of British military officers. Lieutenant Gordon, of the Bombay Lancers, and four policemen, were killed. No mention is made of the loss sustained by the Dacoits.

To Make a Tour of Mexico.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—A party composed of about ninety prominent merchants from all over the country, together with several newspaper men from New York, Chicago and Washington, is being organized for the purpose of taking a tour this winter through Mexico. The object is to improve trade relations.

Arrest of Lumber Thieves.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 22.—Since the crusade has been inaugrated against the lumber thieves in the Adirondack region by the State Forest Commission, forty three arrests have been made. All persons arrested have paid the damages, amounting to some $3,000.

Railroad Rumor Denied.

CONCORD, N. H., Dec. 22.—A party closely connected with the Concord Railroad, states that there is absolutely nothing in the report that the Concord railroad is negotiating with the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad for a lease.

The Trouble May be Settled.

ELWOOD, Ind., Dec. 22.—It is thought the trouble at the American Tinplate factory between the company and the Welshmen, who refused to work with unskilled labor, is in fair way of settlement.

The Nubian Will Be a Loss.

LISBON, Dec. 22.—The Cape steamer Nubian, which stranded while entering Lisbon, is sunk to the topmasts, and will probably be a total loss. No lives have been lost.

Two Children Drowned.

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 22.—Julia and Flossie Hayes, aged 8 and 4 years respectively, were found drowned in Walker's pond near Burnside, yesterday afternoon.

Famous Mines Again Being Worked.

LAMPASAS, Mex., Dec. 22.—The famous Iguana mines near this city have again gone into a bonanza. Ore has been found valued at from $2,000 to $3,000 a ton.

Gen. McMahon to Lead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Gen. Martin T. McMahon will lead the Tammany delegation at President Cleveland's inauguration.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

DENIED BY LOVEJOY.

Says the Carnegies Do Not Contemplate Wholesale Discharges.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 22.—The following despatch has created a great sensation here, and despite the denial of Secretary Lovejoy, of the Carnegie company, that there is any truth in the report, the majority of those interviewed on the subject, especially union men, say they believe such is the case.

One prominent labor man says he has positive information from an inside source that such a course has been adopted by the company.

Secretary Lovejoy, however, emphatically denies the statement, and says his company does not, and never has, contemplated any such move.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Dec. 22.—Sensation was precipitated here when it was reported that on Jan. 1, the service of the men who were employed in the mill during the strike will be dispensed with. Whether there is any foundation or not for the report can not be ascertained. It is so widely circulated and so much credence is given to it, that it appears to be founded on some good authority.

The statement originated from the mill men themselves. They stated that a notice had been posted in the plant, reading:

"The services of the workmen who were employed in the Carnegie Company's works during the time of the strike will not be required after Jan. 1, 1893."

At the mill the officials will not either confirm or deny the report, and no amount of questioning or pressing induces any of the officials who were seen to commit themselves in the slightest degree.

A number of the non-union men who were seen, however, as they were coming from the restaurant, said that such notices were posted and that the men were making preparations to leave.

One of the men said that quite a number of the employes, while preparing to quit, believed that they would be re-employed, as they looked upon the matter as an attempt on the part of the company to conciliate the old men and restore them to their former positions; they thought that the non-union men would be given a fair trial in the general scramble for places which, it is reported, will occur at the first of the year.

At the office of the Carnegies it is said that while the company will employ none but competent men, wholesale discharges are not expected. No official denial of the report, however, can be obtained.

A new scale will probably go into effect on Jan. 1, and if such a notice was posted, it is believed that it was done for the purpose of giving the old men an opportunity to apply for work under the new agreement.

MAY COVER ST. LOUIS' LOSS.

Foerstel's Estate May Suffice to Pay What He Owes the City.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 22.—The City Council has appointed a Committee to investigate the City Treasurer's affairs.

There is practically no doubt that nearly all the missing funds were used by young Foerstel in carrying on deals in real estate, in the hope of covering the money back into the treasury before being caught.

Foerstel's property is worth enough to make it possible that a recovery of the funds may yet be made from the dead man's estate.

VICTIM OF A CONSPIRACY.

The Case Against Yale Student Vennum, Charged With Stealing, Dismissed.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 22.—The case of Thomas Vennum, jr., of Watseka, Ill., son of the Hon. Thomas Vennum, and a member of the freshman class of Yale University, who was charged with having stolen $400 worth of diamonds from Dr. W. Anderson, director of Yale Gymnasium, has been dismissed.

The diamonds were found in Vennum's bureau drawer by a detective, but circumstances have recently developed which have led those interested in the matter to believe that young Vennum is the victim of a conspiracy.

The matter will be thoroughly sifted.

Masked Men Buck the Tiger.

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 22.—Two masked men entered the Warwick saloon about midnight, and with drawn revolvers commanded seven men who were playing faro to throw up their hands. One of the robbers walked up to the table and put $1,600 in his overcoat pocket. Then, with the words, "Good night, gentlemen," the robbers stepped out the back door and disappeared.

Washington Mill Plant Sold.

CAMDEN, Dec. 22.—The plant of the Washington Mill company in Gloucester has been sold at receiver's sale to William J. Thompson, member of the Assembly, and reputed owner of the Gloucester race track. The price paid was $106,000. Mr. Thompson also purchased a tract of land for $4,500. The plant originally cost $300,000 to build.

Had Two Loves and a Fast Horse.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 22.—The Des Moines Presbytery is in special session here to try George W. Baxter, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Knoxville, Ia., who is charged with unbecoming conduct. Mr. Baxter is the owner of a fast horse, and is also charged with having been engaged to at least two women at the same time.

Postmaster Allender's Deficit.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 22.—Nelson J. Allender, postmaster, has not been seen here since Saturday, the day that Inspector Brush, of the Postoffice Department, arrived. An investigation showed a deficit in the postmaster's accounts of $4,000. Allender was for several years city tax collector and resigned to accept the postmastership.

WE WASHINGTON NEWS

Mr. Blaine Said to Be Slightly Better.

BUT HIS CASE IS HOPELESS.

The Nicaragua Canal Bill—Judge McComas Safe—The President May Accept the Offer to Lecture on Law—For General Quarantine Laws—The Chilian Indemnity—Other Matters.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—"Mr. Blaine is much better this morning," said Dr. Johnston, in reply to the usual inquiry. He is exceedingly cheerful for one in his condition. His voice is much firmer in tone, and his eyes brighter."

"Does Mr. Blaine sit up any portion of the day?"

"Oh, yes. Mr. Blaine is much stronger than the outside world has been led to believe. In fact his condition at no time has been as critical as has been painted in the newspapers.

"It is true that Mr. Blaine was for a very few moments a very sick man at one time Sunday last, but he was not so near to death as believed by some. Mr. Blaine is still very ill, but he is in no immediate danger of death."

"Do you think that Mr. Blaine's present show of improvement will warrant his removal to a more congenial climate in the near future?"

After meditating a few seconds, the doctor said:

"I cannot say as to that; it is useless to look that far into the future."

While Mr. Blaine's physicians are as discreet in their utterances as men can well be, their tone and manner of expression impress those who converse with them daily that Mr. Blaine's case is hopeless; that while he is in no immediate danger, his malady must prove fatal, and that his span of life is measured by the progress of the disease with which he is afflicted.

THE PRESIDENT MAY ACCEPT.

Has "Unofficially" Expressed His Willingness to Deliver Lectures on Law.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The fact that President Harrison has been asked to deliver a series of law lectures at the Leland Stanford, Jr., University in San Francisco, receives a semi-official confirmation here. While the matter has not been laid before the President officially, it has been discussed.

President David S. Jordan, of the Stanford University, is an old Indianapolis man and an old friend of the President. He has discussed with Attorney-General Miller and other Indiana people the advisability of making the proposition to Gen. Harrison, and it is said that the President expressed himself "unofficially" as willing to accept such an offer.

The President intends, however, to give himself a good rest after March, and should he accept this offer to become a non-resident member of the Stanford University faculty, he would not assume the duties until fall of 1893. The President will spend the summer at Cape May Point, N. J.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL BILL.

Favorably Reported in the Senate by Its Author, Mr. Sherman.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Nicaragua Canal bill, which has held the attention of the Foreign Relations Committee since the beginning of the session, has at last been completed, and was favorably reported by its author, Senator Sherman, who gave notice in the Senate that he would call it up at an early date and endeavor to secure prompt action upon it.

For General Quarantine Laws.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—A sub-committee of the House Commerce Committee has under consideration the framing of a general quarantine law conferring enlarged powers upon the Federal Government, so that it will have ample authority for such action as may be deemed necessary to keep cholera and other dangerous diseases from our shores.

Senator Kenna's Condition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Senator Kenna of West Virginia is slightly improving in health. He is, however, too week to sit up and it will be some months before he feels able to resume his public duties.

The Chilian Indemnity.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Secretary of the Treasury has placed to the credit of the Secretary of the Navy the $75,000 received from the Chilian government in settlement of the Baltimore affair.

For a Military Post at Rochester.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—In the House, Mr. Greenleaf, (Dem., N. Y.) introduced for reference a bill appropriating $300,000 for the establishment of a military post at Rochester, N. Y.

Judge McComas Safe.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—It can be definitely asserted that immediately after the holiday recess the nomination of Judge McComas will be reported favorably to the Senate.

Salaries to Come Down After Jan. 1.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The reduction of salaries of officers and employes in the immigration service will take effect January 1, next.

To Found a Scholarship.

ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., Dec. 22.—Rev. H. Fairbanks has given $25,000 to St. Johnsbury academy to found an Albert T. Fairbanks scholarship in memory of his son Albert, who died a year ago, and who was a member of the middle class in the academy.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS THE CRIME.

Two Highly Respected Citizens of Tallulah, La., Murdered.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 22.—A special from Tallulah, La., says:

One of the most dastardly crimes in the history of the parish was perpetrated last night at Altoona station, twelve miles from this place.

While Capt. B. B. Pierce and J. W. Garrett were sitting in the former's office some person approached the window and, placing the muzzle of a shot gun against the panes, fired two shots, killing both men instantly. Both men were shot in the neck and were horribly mutilated, the gun having been heavily loaded with all sizes of shot and slugs.

The bodies were not discovered for some hours when the alarm was given. A large body of citizens gathered at the scene and dilligent search was made to discover the murderers.

Two negro suspects were brought to this place by the sheriff and lodged in jail to await further investigation.

Both the murdered men were highly respected citizens and their foul murder is shrouded in the deepest mystery.

MAJESTIC'S STORMY VOYAGE.

Shipped a Heavy Sea on Dec. 18 and Was Considerably Damaged.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 22. — The White Star line steamer Majestic, from New York Dec. 14 for Liverpool, just arrived here, bears evidence of having had a very tempestuous voyage. Her funnels were battered, and her sides and upper works were coated with salt.

The height of the seas that boarded her may be judged from the fact that her crow's-nest, the place on the foremast occupied by the lookout, had been demolished.

The Majestic took a heavy gale on Dec. 18. A tremendous sea soon got up and tons upon tons of water boarded the steamer, causing much discomfort. The sea was on the port bow, and this caused the Majestic to pitch and roll heavily.

Several of her passengers who attempted to walk about in the saloon were thrown from their feet and sustained trival injuries.

TO WED AN AMERICAN HEIRESS.

The Marriage of Sir Grey-Egerton and Miss Cuyler to Take Place Jan. 4.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The marriage of Miss Wayne Cuyler of Baltimore, Md., to Sir Philip Henry Brian Grey-Egerton, will take place on January 4. Sir Philip is a nephew of the sixth Earl Selkirk. He has residences at 108 Eaton square, London; Oulton Park, Tarporley, Cheshire, and Broxton, Old Hall, Cheshire.

Miss Cuyler is a daughter of the late Patrick Cuyler, of the United States Engineering Corps. It is claimed by her friends that she is one of the most beautiful women in the world.

TOTAL PRESIDENTIAL VOTE.

Cleveland Received 5,567,990 and Harrison 5,176,661.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—A table of the total vote this year for President, the figures having just been secured from all the States, is as follows:

Cleveland, 5,567,990; Harrison, 5,176,611; Weaver, 1,025,060; and Bidwell, 268,347.

Cleveland's plurality, 391,379.

In Louisiana the Republicans and People's Party having nominated a fusion ticket, on which there were five Harrison electors and three Weaver electors, the vote, for plurality purposes, is credited to Harrison.

ICE IN THE MISSISSIPPI.

Packet Lines Obliged to Tie Up at St. Louis for the Season.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 22.—Business has been closed on the river here. All packet lines have withdrawn, probably for the season, as every indication is for colder weather.

With the low stage of water, the channels of the river are past navigating by even the lightest draught steamers.

The first new-made ice in the river appeared yesterday, and should the weather continue cold the river will be closed by ice gorges.

For Interclass Contests.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 22.—Thomas Dewitt Cuyler, '74, of Philadelphia, has offered three cups for interclass contests at Yale in football, rowing and track athletics. When the cups have been won three times by any class, they will become the property of that class. The cups are given in memory of Theodore Dewitt Cuyler, '82.

American Delegates Start for Home.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—Senator Allison, Mr. Morgan and Secretary Hale, members of the delegation which represented the United States at the Brussels Monetary Conference, embarked for New York on the steamship Lahn at Southampton.

Arsenic Was Used.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 22.—It has been shown that the cause of the sudden deaths and sickness among the convicts at work in Helena was due to arsenical poisoning, though how the poison was administered or by whom is not known.

To Servitude Again.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 22.—Mrs. Anna M. Smith, a colored woman, who shot and killed Conrad Hoppe because he was fining on her land, has been sentenced to twenty-five years in the penitentiary. She was a slave fifteen years.

John Kernell a Wreck.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 22.—John Kernell, Irish comedian, whose brother is in Bloomingdale Asylum, is here in a terrible condition. He has been discharged from the "Hustler" company, and is almost a wreck.

Makin and His Wife Committed.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Dec. 22.—Makin and his wife, the baby farmers who killed thirteen infants by piercing their hearts or spines with needles, have been committed for trial. Both pleaded not guilty.

Alleged American Fugitives Arrested.

VIENNA, Dec. 22.—The merchants Osias and Duenmasi have been arrested here on the charge of being American fugitives from justice and of having perpetrated frauds to the amount of $50,000.

Bought Mexican Street Railways.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—It is reported from the City of Mexico that ex-Assistant Postmaster-General Clarkson and his associates have purchased the street railways of that city for $6,000,000.

SENATORS IMPLICATED

Grevy, Renault and Others to Be Prosecuted.

WATCHING THE ROYALIST PARTY.

Every Movement of the Duke of Orleans, the Count of Paris and Other Monarchists Reported Accurately to the Minister of the Interior—Deputy Roche Shouts "Hypocrites and Scoundrels" at the Ministerial Benches.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—In the Senate the special committee chosen by the standing committee reported in favor of authorizing the Procureur General to proceed against Senators Renault, Albert Grevy, Beral, Thevenet and Deves, on account of their connection with the Panama Canal frauds. M. Thevenet, who is ex-Minister of Justice, solemnly affirmed that he had never received a centime from the Panama Canal company, either directly or indirectly.

The Parliamentary Commission of Inquiry has learned that a bond for 500,000 francs, payable to bearer, was given to Dr. Cornelius Herz as compensation for his services in "advertising."

Provost Delaunay advised the investigating commission to summon and examine the men who had been Ministers of the Interior in recent years. They, he said, knew everything about the Canal frauds.

The commission decided to examine M. Yves-Guyot, Radical Deputy for the Seine, to learn whether or not he had said recently that a list of the compromised members of Parliament had been submitted to President Carnot.

This is the first official mention of President Carnot's name in direct connection with the scandal. Many believe that a secret and hostile motive is responsible for the introduction.

It is said that every movement of the Count of Paris, the Duke of Orleans, and other members of the exiled house has been reported accurately for more than two weeks past to the Ministry of the Interior, and thence to President Carnot.

At present the Monarchists seem to be directing their efforts chiefly to fanning the excitement among the Deputies, and sowing the seeds of jealousy, fear and suspicion.

They are apparently confident that the breakdown of the Ribot Ministry would be followed by revolution, with all its opportunities for a return of the house of Orleans to power.

The news from various parts of France is not reassuring to the government and serves to strengthen the hopes of its enemies.

The many thousand of small proprietors and others who lost their money in the Panama enterprise are said to be more disgusted with the revelations of venality and threachery than they were distressed by the loss of the money, and a considerable number of them are inclined to hold Republican institutions, rather than individuals, responsible for the loss and disgrace.

Immediately after the opening of the Chamber of Deputies M. Jules Roche, ex-Minister of Commerce, whom the Procureur General was authorized to prosecute for sustaining corrupt relations with the Panama company, ascended the speaker's tribune to make his defense.

He was laboring under intense excitement, and swung his arms violently as he walked up the aisle. As he passed the Ministerial bench, he faced about suddenly, and exclaimed:

"Oh, you hypocrites and scoundrels!"

Several of the members retorted hotly. In the confusion of the House the incident was noticed only by Deputies on the front benches. As he began his defense M. Roche's voice was sharp and unsteady, and from beginning to end his manner was nervous and strained. He said he did not know what enemies he had to face, nor did he care, for his conscience was clear. He had nothing with which to reproach himself. His most venemous enemy could not connect him with the lottery bond affair, as he did not even vote for the bill. He denounced the Procureur General for proceeding against Deputies on insufficient evidence, and declared that in his case, at least, this gentleman would be found to be sadly in error.

While passing back to his seat M. Roche received many congratulations from fellow members.

It is stated that 100 checks, bearing the names of Senators and Deputies, have been secured by the examining magistrates.

WILL BE NO DUEL.

Clemenceau Wants His Quarrel With Deroulede Arbitrated.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—From the despatches which follow it would appear that MM. Clemenceau and Deroulede were devoured by a desire to kill each other in a most bloodthirsty manner, but, like most French duels, nobody is to be hurt, Clemenceau stating that he desires his quarrel with Deroulede to be settled by arbitration to determine who is the offender.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—The coming duel between M. Clemenceau, editor of La Justice, and M. Deroulede, who assailed M. Clemenceau in the Chamber of Deputies, Tuesday, the latter retorting that Deroulede lied, is arousing considerable interest.

M. Deroulede has granted M. Clemenceau a choice of weapons, and preparations for the event are being pushed rapidly forward.

The friends of M. Clemenceau say that he intends a duel to the death, and will be satisfied with nothing short of this.

On the other hand, M. Deroulede's friends aver that he also is offdeadly mind, and means to kill Clemenceau or be killed himself.

A later despatch says that Clemenceau and Deroulede have serious intentions as to their duel to day.

The conditions agreed upon will show the two to be remarkably lacking in nerve if there is not a fatal result.

They are to fight with pistols. The two combatants are to be stationed 25 yards apart, but with the privilege of advancing to five paces apart.

As both men are considered good shots, it is generally believed that one or the other will be killed.

Will Appoint Maynard.

ALBANY, Dec. 22.—Governor Flower announces that at the proper time he will appoint Hon. Isaac H. Maynard Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals in the place of Judge Andrews, who on Jan. 1, 1893, will become Chief Judge by virtue of his election in November last.

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—Superior Christmas gifts at Estil's, 9 Park avenue.

—Buy the boy a gay candy cane for Christmas, such as is displayed at Tier's.

—On your shopping tour, stop at Doane's and look at the diamond lace and stick pins.

—Estil's exhaustless stock of good books and fine stationery will settle your Christmas longings.

—The colored people will have a great time at their Christmas phatasmagoria as advertised in another column.

—John Goodwin last night called on men in the Spencer's Hall gathering to corroborate his statements, and got woefully left every time.

—A few weeks ago W. E. Brock was so eager to have a street railway on Somerset street that he said give him that and he'd approve the North Broadway project. Now it's different, and he leads the anti-improvers.

—Edsall announces in another column a "Great Closing-Out Sale" of Christmas goods at reduced prices. He says as heretofore he will guarantee every thing he sells to be perfect goods and the best in the market, and the prices lower than any other house is selling the same quality for. Strict reliability has always characterized this popular house.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Capron, of Ogdensburg, Canada, is visiting her cousin, Miss Ernestine Smith, of New street.

Lawyer Charles L. Moffett has gone to Indianapolis for six weeks, on a business trip. He is accompanied by his bride.

J. P. Emmons, the mason and builder, broke ground to-day for the erection of a handsome frame dwelling-house on the corner of Duer and Emily streets, the property of R. W. Rice & Co.

Services were held by the Rev. Dr. Vanderhoof, of New Providence, this afternoon, at Washingtonville, over the remains of the late Catherine Rogers. The interment will take place to-morrow morning in Cypress Hills cemetery, services beginning at the house at 10.

Charles A. Tunison, of 141 Duer street, died between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning of consumption. He had been confined to his bed for more than two months. His death was calm and peaceful, and without a struggle; he simply fell asleep. He was the only remaining son of a widowed mother. She and a daughter, Miss Edith Tunison, are left to fight the battles of life alone. Deceased was a Christian young man, of exemplary habits, and a member of Trinity Reformed church. The funeral will take place at his late home, Saturday afternoon at 3. Interment will be private at Somerville.

ANOTHER VICTIM.

Town Surveyor Folsom Killed Walking on the Track.

Theodore Folsom, surveyor of highways at Westfield, was killed by a Lehigh Valley express last evening. He was walking homeward along the Valley tracks, when struck. He was frightfully mangled, and died instantly.

Mr. Folsom was a cousin of Mrs. Grover Cleveland of New York city. He leaves an aged mother and six daughters.

GOOD WORK.

Will Kitchen Gets $100 for Convicting the Fries Boys as Bicycle Thieves.

The Pope Manufacturing company, makers of the world-renowned Columbia bicycles, yesterday presented Wm. J. Kitchen of this city, through their Plainfield representative, Frank L. C. Martin, a check for $100, in payment of reward for the recovery of the Columbia safety and arrest and conviction of the parties who stole the wheel from the residence of ex-Mayor Charles Place. The Columbia enterprise in offering a reward for wheels recovered protects the buyers of these wheels against bicycle thieves, this reward having already brought many miscreants to justice.

Elizabeth's Grade Crossings to be Abolished.

Elizabeth's city council last night adopted the plan of city surveyor Meyer for the abolition of grade crossings in the heart of the city. This plan was the one ratified by the big meeting of citizens held last week, and meets the approval of the Pennsylvania and Central railroads. The work of depressing North Broad street and Morris avenue will be undertaken by the railroad companies and rapidly pushed ahead, so as to have the job completed by next summer.

I heartily recommend Salvation Oil for neuralgia, for it acts like a charm. J. S. McCauley, 533 North Gay st., Balto., Md.

Shiloh's Cough Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price, 50c. and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Avenue, opposite railroad station. 5-16-y

PLAINFIELD & CHICAGO.

TWO GREAT CITIES JOINED TOGETHER.

And Representative Men of Each Talk Together Under the Waters and Over the Mountains, A Thousand Miles Apart.

Manager Runyon, of the Plainfield branch of the New York and New Jersey Telephone company, arranged last evening for a party of his invited guests a most remarkable and interesting experience. Plainfield and Chicago, a thousand miles apart, were connected by a strand of simple copper wire, and after an introduction to one another by Mr. Runyon of this city, Henry G. Bates and Harold E. Willard of the New York office, and Wendell Baker sitting in the company's headquarters, 105 Quincy street, Chicago, hearty greetings were exchanged under the waters and over the mountains. Every word was as clear as a bell in its intonation and instantaneous in its transmission. The voices were entirely recognizable, and when general manager John M. Crane, of the American Casualty Insurance and Security company, told Mr. Baker in Chicago his brand-new story about the Glasgutis, everybody in the Plainfield office heard Mr. Baker laugh.

Others among Mr. Runyon's guests were councilman W. G. E. See, chief T. O. Doane, manager W. A. McClurg of the Electric Light company, assistant chief J. Martin and the editor of THE PRESS. Mr. Baker told the latter that the weather in Chicago was clear and the themometer at zero with the cold wave traveling in the direction of Plainfield. Night editor Lefter of the Chicago *Tribune*, also talked with the PRESS representative as easily and clearly as though both were in the same room.

The affair was a most successful and gratifying one in every detail, and all present in Plainfield overwhelmed Messrs. Runyon, Bates and Willard with praise and thanksgiving.

CRESCENT AVENUE'S CHRISTMAS.

Beautiful Music a Feature of the Sabbath Services.

Next Sunday's programme in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will be as follows:

10:30 A. M.

Organ—Offertoire de Noel.....Grison
Old Hundred—The Lord's Prayer.
Hymn 278—Calm on the Listening Ear—Choir
Marston
Scripture.
Hymn 332—Rejoice, the Lord is King.
Scripture.
The Manger Cradle—Choir.....Neidlinger
Prayer.
Hymn 279—While Shepherds Watched.
Notices.
Comfort Ye—Solo.....Handel
Sermon—"Watch"—Luke II., 8...By the Pastor
Prayer.
Offertory—(Muhlenberg Hospital).
Bethlehem—Choir.....Coombs
Hymn 941—Jesus our Lord.
Gloria—Benediction.
Organ—Recessional March in F.....Whitney

SUNDAY-SCHOOL SERVICE AT 3:30 P. M.

7:30 P. M.

(Service of Song—Full Choir.)

Organ—Allegro in G Minor.....Harris
Shout the Glad Tidings—Choir.....Brewer
Invocation—The Lord's Prayer.
Hymn 121—Ye Servants of God.
Responsive Reading—(Selections 43, 44, 45.)
Hail to the King—Choir.....Bartlett
Notices.
Hymn 1152—Hail to the Brightness.
Scripture.
The Birthday of a King—Choir.....Neidlinger
Prayer.
Hymn 292—Hark, the Herald Angels.
Sermon—"Now Angels Sang"—Luke II., 10,
By the Pastor
There Were Shepherds—Choir.....Pfleuger
Prayer.
Offertory—(Benevolent work in Plainfield.)
The God of Gods—Choir.....Shelley
Hymn 274—Joy to the World.
Benediction.
Organ—Recessional—March.....Tellman

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The following excellent musical selections have been made for next Sunday at the Church of the Holy Cross:

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Processional 25—"Adestes Fideles".
Venite } Gloria } A.....Anon
Te Deum F.....Alzamora
Benedictus G.....Tours
Hymn 24.....Smart
Offertory—"Sing O Heavens".....Tours
Kyrie, Gloria Tibi, Sursum Corda, Sanctus, Benedictus Qui Venit, Agnus Dei, Gloria Excelsis, Nunc Dimittis—"Tonus Regius". } Gounod's Messe Solennelle
Retrocessional 17.....Mendelssohn

SPECIAL MUSICAL SERVICE—4:30 P. M.

Processional 25.
Gloria A.....Anon
Magnificat F.....Morley
Nunc Dimittis D.....Field
Anthem—"There Were Shepherds"...Vincent
Hymn 24.
Anthem—"Sing O Heavens".....Tours
Retrocessional 17.

A Reminder.

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CHRISTMAS AT THE SCHOOLS.

Here's a Fine Array of Entertainment for You to Enjoy To-Morrow.

For several days there has been a whispering of Christmas in the primary schools, and to-morrow morning it will culminate in the holiday exercises that are to be held in the assembly room at the Bryant, Franklin, Washington and Irving schools, which have been very prettily decorated for the occasion. In the High school no special preparations have been made, though there will be reading suitable to the occasion in the various rooms. The programmes:

FRANKLIN SCHOOL—9:15 A. M.

Song—"Hosanna".....School
Recitation—"Christmas is Coming"
Clara Armstrong
Recitation—"The Little Christmas Tree"
Albert Ford
Song—"Merry Christmas".....School
Recitation—"If I Were Santa Claus"...G. Tier
Song—"Santa Claus".....Eight boys and girls
Recitation—"Trudie's Secret"...Hattie French
Song—"Preparing for Santa Claus"
By some little girls
Recitation—"Santa Claus's Visit"
Blanchard Fosgate
Franklin Glee Club.....Boys
Recitation—"Following the Stars"..Miss Pond
Song—"Softly O'er Judea's Hill"
Five of the older girls
Recitation—"A Riddle".....George Babcock
Recitation—"Old Father Christmas"
Mabel Fernald
Franklin Glee Club.....Boys
Recitation—"A Christmas Story"
Miss Livesey and Demarest
Recitation—"The Christmas Tree"
Miss Runyon
Franklin Glee Club.....Boys
Recitation—"The Night After Christmas"
Libbie Fish
Song—"Ring the Joy Bells".....School

IRVING SCHOOL—9:20 A. M.

Processional.
Devotional Exercises.
Singing—"We Come Again".....School
Recitation—"Welcome".....May Batchelor
Recitation—"Divide".....George Whitley
Recitation—"Some Day".....Bertha Mitchell
Song—"This Little Pig Went to Market",
May Bumbaugh
Recitation.....Emma McCullough
Recitation—"Those I Love"....Wenona Dodds
Song—Christmas Greeting".....School
Original Story by Thomas Muir,
Read by Chas. Davie
Recitation.....Myra Brouard
Song by Pupils of 5th Gr. Primary.
Recitation.....Helen Hall
Recitation—"The Christmas Kiss"..Ella Grieb
Song and March—Pupils of Sub. Primary Grade
Dialogue—Pupils of Fourth Gr. Primary.
Recitation—"Ingratitude".....Irven DeHart
Duet.....Lindley Hillman and George Graves
Recitation—"Scaring Him Away"
Agnew Dodds
Recitation—"Jolly Old Santa Claus",
Marion Woodcock
Recitation—"The Gingerbread Boy",
George Shaw
Waltz Song.....Pupils of Grammar Grades
Recitation—"What Santa Will Bring",
Emma Droll
Recitation—"My Wish".....Margaret Porter
Recitation.....Cassie Lawson
Piano Solo—Minuet by Paderewski,
Stephen Haff
"A Surprising Secret".Grace and Geo. Cowling
Closing Song—"Ring Sweet Christmas Bells",
School

WASHINGTON SCHOOL—9:30 a. m.

Singing—Beautiful Star.....School
Recitation—Christmas Story.....Chas. Sebring
Recitation—The Golden Rule.....Mabel Farlee
Singing—Beautiful Christmas Time,....School
Recitation—The Christmas Kiss,
Mary Pratzner
Recitation—A Letter to Santa Claus,
John VanMiddlesworth
Dialogue—The Telephone,
Anna Randall, Robbie Sherwin
Singing—Ring the Christmas Bells,
First and second classes
Recitation—Mrs. Kris Kringle,
Ella Lounsbury
Recitation—Christmas Riddle. Everett Sherwin
Recitation—Poor Santa Claus.....Clara Neiss
Singing—Santa Claus.....Fourth class
Recitation—The Stocking's Christmas,
May Parmele
Recitation—Santa Claus and the Mouse,
May Murray
Singing—Sleighing Song.
Recitation—The Broken Nose....Agnes Bailey
Singing—Jesus is His Name.....School
Marching.
A Visit from Mother Goose.

BRYANT SCHOOL—9 A. M.

Devotional Exercises.
Ring on ye Merry Bells.....School
A Christmas Welcome.....Francis Anderson
Selection from "Little Women".
Rehearsing for Christmas—
Parts—Jo.....Lilian Thorn
Meg.....Olive Newell
Amy.....Bessie Smith
Beth.....Bertha Fisher
Santa Claus is Coming.
Recitation—Writing a Letter to Santa Claus,
Harry Messerschmidt
Recitation—Christmas Time....Mabel Jenkins
Recitation—Poor Santa Claus.....Hazel Grant
Carol—The Wintry Days Have Come Again,
School
Reading—Santa Claus on the Train,
Mamie Kimball
Piano Duet—Anniversary Schottische,
Lillian Schoonmaker, May Mulford
Recitation—The Stocking's Christmas,
Reginald Chandor
Recitation—Christmas Time.....Daisy Dunn
A Christmas Box.....Seven Little Children
Song—Born in a Manger.
Recitation—Watching for Santa Claus,
Clara Weber
Recitation—Annie and Willie's Prayer,
Bessie Loizeaux
Carol—Beautiful Star of Faith and Love,
School
A Christmas Drama—
Watching for Santa Claus
Recitation—A Little Christmas Tree,
Lizzie Dencklau
The Little Minstrel.....Frank Dencklau
Hark! hark! 'tis the Chime.....School
Piano Solo.....Olive Newell

Dunellen Defeats North Plainfield.

The Dunellen bowling club defeated the Turn Vereins in a return game last night on the North Plainfield alleys. The score:

TURN VEREINS.		NELLEN.	
G. Richter	180	C. D. Taylor	151
Dressell	168	McCann	149
Koegel	157	Titsworth	165
Klitsman	186	N. Giles	121
Pierson	139	Young	196
McCullough	129	C. Giles	122
Waldren	156	J. Taylor	168
Krohne	173	Pierce	154
Brown	113	Schultz	127
Meyers	133	Lanagan	199
	1529		1572

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Henry H Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

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D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 186, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. R. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Exeter Lodge, No. 8,543, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
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19 OBSTRUCTIONISTS.

"SATISFACTION" IS WHAT THEY ARE AFTER.

So They Will Fight the North Broadway Project in Opposition to the Scores Who Are Paying Their Assessments Cheerfully—A Committee of Seven Appointed, and an Assessment Levied to Hire a Lawyer.

The township of North Plainfield is to be plunged into long and expensive litigation over the North Broadway project.

Last night those few who protest against their assessments, together with several who are satisfied with theirs, met in Spencer's Hall and indulged in some lively discussion of the matter.

John Bodine was chairman, and Firman Long acted as clerk. The talking was done in an informal way. When one man got tired airing his grievances another took up the subject, and whenever there was indication of a gap that perennial dandelion John Absalom Goodwin quivered the atmosphere with his shoutings. John talked so much and so loud that the stove-pipe began to sag and Col. Spencer's winter-blooming plants in the windows wilted. He intruded on everyone's speeches, even the chairman's, till that worthy rebuked him by saying he guess'd someone else wanted to be chairman. But John is the kind of a chap who does n't subside, even under sarcasm. He has faced bullets of lead, and is not to be downed by cannon-balls of speech. John is a great comfort to the people of North Plainfield. He is the watch-dog of their welfare, and there's no fun at a meeting or a primary if he is n't on deck.

Last night's affair seemed to be relished by most of those present as a sort of circus frolic. Personalities were freely indulged in, and men lost their tempers and shouted back at one another two or three at a time. The display of passion was only equaled by the display of ignorance of the street-opening law and of English grammar.

W. E. Brock, who was going to move out of the State if a railroad were n't ordered laid on Somerset street, now declared his intention of skipping to foreign climes if he were forced to help pay for opening the new street which some time ago he was clamoring for. No one shed any tears over the prospect of his departure, but on the contrary some unfeeling wretches gleefully thumped the floor with their feet in hilarity over the happy announcement.

Mr. Brock got off one sarcastic shot that he must have been saving up for weeks past. He was speaking of the "secrecy" of the commissioners' movements, and dubbed the committee meetings as "parlor socialbles" with the gents from the other side of the brook. This tickled the fancy of the auditors, and in their wild delight they laughed uproariously.

The chief cause of the kickers' troubles and worriments seemed to be that they had not been familiar with the law under which the commissioners had operated, and in their vexation they blamed everybody in authority for their ignorance. They jumped on the commissioners till those gentle and guileless assessors must have moaned in their sleep and wondered why their ears burned—all except town committeeman Smith, who, not being a twilight retirer, was present and capably defended himself. They prodded town clerk Martin till that even-tempered worthy had hard work to control himself. They put on spiked shoes and kicked corporation counsel Reed all over the lot.

In vain committeeman Smith and clerk Martin told them that ignorance of the law excused no one. The fighters kept arguing that they had tried to learn the law from counselor Reed and clerk Martin and had been unable to. Those officials, they said, had not only positively refused to tell them when the time expired for filing protests against their assessements, but had even misled them so that their protests got in too late to be legally considered.

Judge William A. Coddington was one of those who censured Mr. Reed and Mr. Martin. He said that he had gone to both of them to find out the time-limit for filing protests and appeals, and that Mr. Reed had told him he did n't propose to be a knowledge-box for the whole borough, while Mr. Martin had said he did n't know. Each kept referring him to the other.

Town clerk Martin very promptly suggested in retort that any attorney of ability had it in his power to obtain a copy of the law in question, or of any law, and educate himself on its details.

Mr. Martin was very emphatic in denouncing the opposition being made to the improvement. He said that the people had ordered the commissioners to open the new street and that everything had been done strictly in compliance with the law. It was foolish and unjust to criticise the officials for doing just what the people had asked of them. Those who had petitioned for the street should be willing to help pay for it. The view of the obstructionists was a narrow one.

Several clamored that the township should bear the whole expense by assessments at large. Mr. Martin retorted that the whole township would in the end have borne half the expense, and that those directly benefited ought to be willing to pay the balance.

Miss Verdon was opposed to anything but a tax on the township at large. She said she wanted no repetition of the Johnston drive experience.

Mr. Martin said in answer to queries that full information concerning the doings of the commissioners had been published in the papers, and through them everyone had been notified in advance of meetings. It was the sufferers' own fault if they had n't kept posted on the news.

H. A. Lounsbury said he did n't read the local papers. That seemed to be the trouble of most of the obstructionists, and the cause of their ignorance in the Peace street matter.

Secretary Long made quite a socialistic speech. He said that the borough was run by a handful who held themselves aloof from the people, and that the continuation of such a ring in power meant that before long they'd own everything, and every man now holding a place would be robbed of it. The existing state of affairs made it not a free country, not the United States. Then he indulged in much personal abuse of town clerk Martin; said he had worked for Martin's election and was sorry for it.

Mr. Martin called him to order, asking that the speaker be kept to the subject. The chair stated that the point was not well taken. Mr. Martin appealed. "You can't,"—said the chair—"for this is not a parliamentary body." "I thought not,"—retorted the clerk—"when you made that decision."

Town committeeman Smith defended the acts of the commissioners, and showed the kickers that they were fighting against themselves and increasing their expense. As THE PRESS had stated, if they were successful in their fight they would spend as much as though they paid their assessments without grumbling, and besides they would n't have the street. Furthermore, they would be heaping expense on the township which they as taxpayers would have to bear.

Both Mr. Smith and Mr. Martin said that most of those assessed were paying up cheerfully and rapidly. In reply to those who protested against 10 per cent. being added if payment were n't made within a few days after receipt of the notice, he said that the collector would n't exact that premium if the assessments were paid within a year. It was a technicality that would n't be taken advantage of.

Mr. Lounsbury said that such assurance was n't worth much, coming from those who had deceived them already.

William Pangborn warned the objectors against litigation. He said he for one would rather pay his assessment than get the lawyers wrangling among themselves. He had helped pay $18,000 over a similar contest years ago, and the Lord only knew what the expense of this promised fight would be. It was cheaper to pay up and shut up.

The motion to appoint seven committeemen to begin a legal contest and receive contributions of one per cent. on each assessment, over which all this talk had taken place, was finally adopted by the vote of 19 to 7. Many did not vote, being merely entertained spectators.

The committeemen appointed were W. E. Brock, chairman, H. A. Lounsbury, John H. McVey, Henry Woodland, T. Wilfred Powell, W. A. Coddington and Jacob Miles.

The levy of one per cent on the 19 obstructionists will not raise $20. That will be a very small drop in the bucket of money needed to meet their expenses of securing a writ of certiorari and injunction and getting the courts to review the case.

That the fighters must lose in the end is quite certain, for their only plea is that they were n't kept posted on the law and proceedings, which is surely their own fault. That the entire work was done in proper legal shape is positive, for the counsel were Craig A. Marsh and Charles A. Reed, than whom there are no better in the State.

Meanwhile the great borough improvement of North Broadway is delayed for probably a long time. The courts move slowly in such matters.

The fighters do n't seem to worry over the prospective expense. "Satisfaction" is what they say they are after.

Mrs. McCredy Wishes to Abandon Her Suit.

A private communication was handed to Justice Bischoff of the Court of Common Pleas yesterday, in which Mrs. Lillian McCredy, for many seasons a resident of Hotel Netherwood, declared that as the result of a family conference she did not desire to proceed further in her action for divorce from William E. McCredy, a member of the firm of Schramm & McCredy, coffee brokers.

As the paper was not before him on a motion in notice, Judge Bischoff said he could not act on it. Four counsel were present on a motion to frame issues, which had to be abandoned in view of Mrs. McCredy's position.

Lawyer Kean said that Mr. McCredy was anxious to prosecute the suit, in which he asks for an absolute divorce, and that he would move to send McCredy's allegations for trial before a referee.

Mrs. McCredy brought the suit for separation on the ground of cruelty. Mr. McCredy retorted with charges of adultery.

The Third Night of the Band Fair.

The citizens of this city are trying to see who can do the most to make the band fair a great success. A still larger crowd at the rink last night made the members hustle to keep up with the people's wants. A large number of the fancy articles were sold, and almost everybody took home some of the toys which are being sold at less than you can buy them anywhere in the city. The Westfield Cornet band concert will be a feature this evening. Friday evening the Good Will band of New Brunswick will give a concert. This is the best band of New Brunswick and is connected with Good Will Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of that city. They are noted for their fine concert and marching music.

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MRS. ASPINWALL'S PERIL.

Hanging From Her Dressingroom Window to Escape Fire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Mrs. Aspinwall, wife of Lloyd Aspinwall, was seriously threatened by fire this morning in her residence, 106 East Twentieth street. The fire began soon after 10 in the basement, and, cummunicating with a dumbwaiter and light shaft, quickly spread to the stairway, thus cutting off escape by that means. Mrs. Aspinwall was in her dressingroom on the third floor at the time. The flames made such rapid headway that she was compelled to take to a window. She climbed out on to the top of the bay window in front of the house, where she hung in suspense for nearly five minutes before she was rescued. A fireman, Thomas Coleman, of Engine 14, brought her down on a ladder. Two servants were also taken down on a ladder.

The loss to the building and furniture was estimated just after the fire at $20,000.

BLAINE SLOWLY DYING.

He Lies in a Semi-stupor Most of the Time—Can Scarcely Move in Bed—Mrs. Blaine Now Refuses to Leave His Side.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Slowly, but surely, Mr. Blaine is passing away. The faint glimmer of hope that he might rally and eventually recover, so devotedly entertained by the members of his family, has given way to calm resignation.

The inevitable visitors at the Blaine residence this morning were told that Mr. Blaine was resting easily after a comparatively comfortable night. The doctors also tell you that he is about the same as he has been for the past four days.

The diseases from which Mr. Blaine is suffering render him so weak that he can scarcely move in his bed without the assistance of the nurses much of the time. He lies in a semi-stupor, and occasionally he brightens up and tries to converse with those around him.

Mrs. Blaine now refuses to leave his bedside, and his daughters, Mrs. Damrosch and Miss Hattie Blaine, are almost equally as constant in their attendance in the sick room.

CRESCENTS GOING DOWN HILL.

Little Likelihood of the Bowling Trophy Coming to Plainfield.

The Crescent bowlers will never win that handsome *Journal* trophy. They don't take enough interest in the tournament, and don't keep in practice. Last night's defeat was due to the rank bowling of all but Lyman and VanAlstyne. The score:

CRESCENTS.		UNION COUNTY ROADSTERS	
VanEmburgh	112	Black	154
Wood	138	W. S. Martin	158
Lyman	175	Mc Grath	191
Van Alstyne	181	Rollinson	109
Green	116	J. L. Martin	155
Teel	135	Langley	159
Williams	140	Spence	173
Petrie	110	Blancke	137
Davis, captain	133	N. H. Mooney	136
VanWinkle	132	Chamberlain, capt.	146
	1372		1518

BY FRAMES.

Crescents.	106	263	442	586	728	840	970	1110	1230	1372
U. C. R.	167	296	435	583	733	878	1045	1187	1355	1518

	Crescents.	U. C. R.
Spares	34	36
Strikes	16	23
Breaks	50	41

The tournament record to date:

	Won	Lost	Percent.
Elizabeth Field Club	4	0	1.000
Y. M. C. L. A.	2	0	1.000
Arthur Kull Asso'tion	3	1	.750
Union County Roads'rs	2	1	.666
Alcyone Boat Club	2	2	.500
Pioneer Bowling Club	1	2	.333
Crescent League	1	3	.250
Roselle Casino	0	2	.000
C. Y. M. L.	0	4	.000

—Oxford Bibles, diaries, all sorts of Christmas novelties, at Estil's.

Notes of the Bowlers.

Father Cushing, assistant rector of St. Mary's church, will offer a gold watch to the C. Y. M. L. bowler who makes the highest score on the club's alleys before March 1.

There will be no game this evening between the Roselles and Y. M. C. L. A. as scheduled. The latter team found the evening very inconvenient, and the contest has been postponed until Monday, Jan. 16, on the Y. M. C. L. A. alleys.

Still Talking About That Famous Victory.

(*Railway Democrat.*)

At the city election in Plainfield the Democrats made no contest except on the office of city judge, for which they elected the popular young Democratic lawyer, Wm. A. Coddington, by a majority of about 150 over the Hon. John Ulrich, that late State organizer, who has always been thought to be proof against defeat—especially in that Republican stronghold.

I have been a sufferer from catarrh for twenty years. I found immediate relief in the use of Ely's Cream Balm. Since using it I have not suffered a moment from headache, sore throat or loss of sleep, from which I previously suffered, caused by catarrh. I consider your Balm a valuable remedy. B. G. Vassar, 56 Warren st., New York.

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A Runaway Found in a Plainfield Barn.

Johnnie Jack, who ran away from home at Elizabeth, Monday, to escape parental chastisement, was taken back yesterday afternoon.

The young lad had stolen a ride on a coal train, and when Plainfield was reached he jumped off and wandered around. When night came he stowed himself away in a barn on the outskirts of the city, and was found sound asleep by the owner yesterday morning. The story of his running away was learned and the boy was restored to his parents.

If you want to be on the safe side, stick to the old reliable, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. It is sold by dealers everywhere.

DEATHS.

ROGERS—At Washingtonville, Tuesday, Dec 20, 1892, Catherine Rogers, aged 56 years, 7 months and 20 days.
Funeral from her late residence Friday morning at 10, with interment in Cypress Hill cemetery.

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Season ticket, 50c. Single ticket, 20c. 12 22 2

BANK ELECTION.

CITY NATIONAL BANK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house, on Tuesday, January 10, 1893, from 1 to 2 o'clock.
Dec. 8, 1892. F. H. GARDNER, Cashier.
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THE HERO OF NIAGARA.

M. Blondin, King of Ropewalkers and Gymnasts.

The Famous Frenchman Who Thirty-Three Years Ago Crossed the Dizzy Chasm on a Rope—The Secret of His Success.

Clifford Calverly, of Toronto, Can., broke all previous records recently as a tight-rope sprinter over the Niagara Falls chasm. His time from shore to shore was 6 minutes and 8 seconds, something like half that of his townsman and schoolmate, Dixon, who was considered fast at 12¼ minutes. Calverly walked solely for glory and contingent future profits. He did not pick up enough money from the 3,600 people who saw him to pay for stretching the rope; and as for glory, he took very little away with him. The great and only Blondin gathered in all there was of that article on the 19th day of August, 1859. Blondin was the first tight-rope walker to dream of crossing that hideous chasm on a spider thread, and he carried his dream into reality. The country rang with his name. His picture was everywhere. Tight-rope walking became a rage in all the backyards of America. The New York World feels safe in saying that Jean Francois Gravelle, whose stage, or rather tight-rope, name is Blondin, is responsible for more broken arms, dislocated shoulders and broken collarbones among the youth of America than any ten circuses that have ravaged the land.

As for Blondin, he was the greatest man in America. Even railroad conductors let themselves be introduced to him. He was a made man from the moment he stepped off that rope, after

M. BLONDIN.

using it as a foot bridge over the Niagara river. Prior to that he was only a gymnast. He was a good gymnast, to be sure, yet only a gymnast, quite unknown to fame. But Blondin was a gymnast with Napoleonic ideas. He conceived the mighty idea of conquering the awful Niagara with his balancing pole, and came quietly over from France and studied the ground. Then he startled the world by the mere announcement of what he was going to do, and laid the world prostrate at his feet by doing it.

But Blondin did not content himself with merely taking the world by storm. As soon as the world was fairly his own he proceeded to knock it speechless. It was stupendous enough that a man should walk airily over the gaping chasm with its dizzy swirl of green water sweeping under him 700 feet below. That alone was quite sufficient. But that was nothing. Blondin next dressed himself up in a way that made him look like an ape of prize-fighter proportions, and in this guise scampered over the rope, cutting up all sorts of monkey antics on the way—hanging by his toes, skinning the cat and other similar playful capers, all in midstream. After that he trotted gayly over his rope wheeling a wheelbarrow before him as he went. But his great and culminating feat was when he walked over with an able-bodied man hanging to his back. The name of the hero who took that exhilarating ride is now unknown to fame. It did not seem to occur to most people at the time that it required almost as much nerve on his part as it did on the part of Blondin. At all events, he was not commemorated in song and story as was Blondin, and he did not get medals to pin on the left side of his coat as did Blondin. Yet he certainly was not without his claim to glory. It is literally true that people dropped into verse over Blondin. The poets got at him very early in the days of his glory.

At the age of sixty-eight Blondin is still vigorous and as agile on the tight rope as he ever was. Only recently he appeared in Manchester, England, and among other bits of mid-air playfulness cooked an omelet on the tight rope and passed it down to the admiring audience below.

He is still and always was a wonderfully strong man. It has been said, indeed, that one element of his security on the rope lies in the strength of his arms, which enables him to carry a much heavier balancing pole than that used by the majority of tight-rope walkers.

Blondin lives near London, in a pretty house of his own which he calls Niagara villa, and where he likes to hear music and cultivate flowers and potter about in his garden. You can get him to walk at any time if you are willing to pay his terms, which are five hundred dollars a night.

Clad in Costly Fur.

John the Baptist with his raiment of skins would have been of little interest on Fifth avenue the other afternoon compared with a promenader clad in Persian lamb, says the New York Evening Sun. Her garment consisted of a bell skirt of tender young astrakhan, missing nothing of a fashionable cut, and a Spanish jacket. This was short over a shirt of shaded green velvet of a lettuce-like tint, so light it was, a girdle fastening with large flaps in the back and large velvet sleeves. This costume was crowned by a black hat in velvet and violets. There was no man or boy on the street so ignorant of feminine gear that this costume did not catch his eye. To look at it women almost brought the procession to a halt.

Lucky Fellow.

Jack—Priscilla has made George happy for life.

Clara—I'm so glad to hear it! When are they to be married?

Jack—Never. She has refused him.—Truth.

Why He Thought So.

Mr. Staylate—Is your sister expecting me to-night?

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 38, 6 05, 6 29, 6 59, 7 20, 7 30, 7 55, 8, 8 15, 8 27, 8 51, 8 48, 9 22, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 20, 3 13, 4 01, 5 16, 5 43, 6 57, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 20, 3 13, 4 01, 5 16, 5 43, 6 57, 7 08, 9 02, 9 55, 10 12, 11 25, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 9 02, 11 15, 11 43 A. M., 12 53, 1 43, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 53, 8 52, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 6 00, 6 05, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 20, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—2 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 6 30, 8, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 6 28, 6 29, 8 59, 7 20, 8, 8 45, 9 24, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 20, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 43, 6 57, 7 08, 9 02, 9 55, 10 12, 11 25, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 9 02, 11 15, 11 43 A. M., 12 53, 1 43, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 53, 8 52, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 45, 10 05, 11 30 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 33, 5 05, 5 55, 6 50, 6 30, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 6 40, 8 08, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 15, 8 17, 9 45, 11 a.m., 12 27, 1 56, 3 22, 5 45, 6 36, 8 03, 8 20, 8 34, 9 04, 9 20, 9 38, 7 12, 8 30, 9 27, 11 18, 12 45 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 38, 9 34, 11 18 A.M., 2 03, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 03, 7 20, 7 35, 7 48, 8 20, 9 05, 9 47, 11 25 A. M., 12 34, 12 58, 2 05, 3 25, 4 50, 5 32, 6 33, 7 41, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 11 15 A. M., 12 03, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 10, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M., 3 38, 6 29, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 39, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 25 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 5 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch,

9 43 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

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12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 09 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 28 P. M. for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 4.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 03 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 5 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 30, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 03, 4 01, 5.16, 5 57, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 20, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 1 20*, 3 04, 5 34*, 6 30* 8 20, *9 37 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 48, 11 18 a. m., 3 03*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 20, 9 43, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 20, 3 04, 5 34, 6 30, *9 37 p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday—9 34, 11 18, a. m., 2 03, 5 14, 6 55 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 34* (5 38* Baltimore only) p. m. night. Sundays—9 48 a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 14* Baltimore only) p.m. 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA, Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05, a. m., 1 30, 3 15*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 2 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 20, 9 20, 11 15, a m 1 35*, 5 20, 8 15, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 8 16 a. m., 3 35*, 5 20, 8 15*, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 05, 9 03, 10 15, 11 55, a. m. 3 05, 4 00* 5 40 6 55, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 55 a. m. 4 05*, 5 12, 7 07, 9 05* p. m.

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MARRIED HIS DAUGHTER

England Startled By a Shocking Revelation.

TO BE AIRED IN A DIVORCE COURT.

Alfred Clark, a Wealthy Society Man, Made His Illegitimate Child His Wife—He Posed as Her Guardian—The Discovery Nearly Drives the Unhappy Girl Mad—Friends Take Up Her Cause.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Polite society is just now discussing with bated breath one of the most shocking scandals of the many that have sullied its history. The scandal will soon occupy the attention of the divorce court in the form of a petition for the nullification of a marriage which was presented on Dec. 14 by the Rev. Edward A. Chichester, Vicar of Dorking, Surrey, on behalf of a most unhappy girl.

The scandal had its origin in 1874, when Aline Marianne de Hoghton, the unmarried daughter of Sir Henry de Hoghton, Baronet, head of an ancient and noble family, was delivered in Milan, Italy, of a female child, the father of which was Alfred Aurelius Clark, a wealthy man, who moves in the highest society and whose name figures in the Court Directory. Clark refused to marry his victim.

The birth of the child was kept a secret and the mother returned to society, nobody being the wiser as to her shame.

She married in January, 1875, an Irish gentleman of good family named Fitzgerald. She spent the greater part of her time until her death, a few years ago, on the Continent. Her betrayer, meanwhile had married. There is every reason to believe that the mother heavily dowered her daughter born at Milan. It is not disputed, at any rate, that Clark posed before the world as the girl's guardian. Every care was taken with the girl's education, which until five years ago was received mainly in France and Italy.

In 1887 Clark brought his illegitimate daughter from a French nunnery to Little Hampton, where they lived as guardian and ward. No pains or expense were spared in perfecting the young girl of 14 in various accomplishments. French and Italian she spoke naturally and perfectly, and special teacheres were engaged for music and English, the supposed guardian taking a keen and fatherly interest in her progress.

This life, with occasional trips to neighboring places and a short school term at Clewer, near Windsor, continued until 1890, when the guardian's wife died. Some months afterward he proposed marriage to his supposed ward and actual daughter, and was accepted.

The marriage took place in London, and father and daughter thenceforward lived together as man and wife. In March, 1892, the girl, then only 18 years of age, gave birth to a baby boy, and in July following the unhappy child-mother discovered that her guardian was not only her husband, but also her own father and father of her infant.

The awful discovery nearly deprived her of reason. She was practically friendless. The fact of the marriage had been kept a secret. Clark's own two legitimate daughters, with whom he resided in a charming mansion in Kensington, knew nothing of it, and he and his daughter-wife had lived in another house. Every effort was made by Clark to coerce the girl into remaining with him, but she resolutely refused, and finally obtained the shelter of a family, some members of which had assisted in her education.

These people, after grave consideration, placed the matter before the Rev. Mr. Chichester, a gentleman well-known for his benevolence and probity, and he took the girl's cause into his hands.

It is believed that Clark relies upon the difficulty that exists of proving that he was other than the guardian of the girl, as the birth of the child in Milan in 1874, was, for obvious reasons, kept absolutely secret, and adequate legal proof of the fact will in consequence be very hard to obtain.

Clark is in London now, although there were rumors that he had fled the country.

THE C. I. A. C. CONQUERS.

McAuliffe and Burge Will Fight on the Festive Little Isle by the Sea.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The Coney Island Athletic Club has conquered.

Its formidable rival, the Crescent City Athletic Club, has met its Waterloo, so to speak, and the great lightweight championship match between Jack McAuliffe and Dick Burge will unquestionably be fought on the little festive island by the sea.

The seaside organization secured the contest by offering a purse of $45,000, the largest amount of money ever given by an athletic association for two prize fights.

Changes on the New York Central.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The New York Central railroad has created the office of General Freight Traffic Agent, and appointed Mr. Samuel Goodman to fill the position. The office of General Coal Agent has been abolished and the incumbent, Mr. William L. Kingman, has been promoted to be Assistant General Freight Agent.

Big Parade of Catholics at Scranton.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 23.—Ten thousand persons paraded yesterday in commemoration of Bishop O'Hara's Golden Jubilee. In it were marching clubs from every city in the diocese, and it was the finest affair ever witnessed in this section. The Right Rev. Bishop received a cablegram conveying the Papal blessing

Magee-Ledom Fight Off.

BOSTON, Dec. 23.—Middleweight Jack Magee of East Boston, whose ankle was injured several days ago, has been obliged to give up the meeting with Billy Ledom, arranged for the 28th instant at the Coney Island Athletic Club.

Spanish Minister to the United States.

MADRID, Dec. 23.—The Marquis de Bendena, a Grandee of Spain, who was formerly Minister to Turkey, has been appointed Spanish Minister to the United States to succeed Senor Juarez Guanes.

Wealthy Planter Murdered.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 23. — News reaches here of the assassination of R. P. Harriston, a wealthy merchant and planter near Eutaw, Greene county.

Traffic Manager Cox Resigns.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Traffic Manager Jay C. Cox, of the World's Fair, has resigned.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

AN UNEVENTFUL NIGHT.

Dr. Johnston Says Mr. Blaine is Holding His Own.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—"Last night was an uneventful one for Mr. Blaine,' said Dr. Johnston this morning when met at the door of the Blaine residence.

"I have just come from his bedside and found him holding his own. The fact that he does not seem to lose strength is encouraging. He converses whenever permitted to do so, in fact, is inclined to talk too much for his own good. He assimilates his own food and that alone gives him the necessary strength to combat the disease and withstand relapses should they come.

"I can add nothing more except to say that I see nothing in his condition to warrant apprehension on the part of his family and friends of any immediate danger."

The house was more brilliantly lighted last night than for some nights past.

CLEVELAND'S CABINET.

The Best Forecast Obtainable—Whitney May be Secretary of State.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The Hon. Don M. Dickinson and Col. Daniel S. Lamont were among Mr. Cleveland's visitors yesterday.

The report, stronger than ever, is revived that the Hon. William C. Whitney is slated for Secretary of State.

Close friends of Mr. Whitney say that it would be a very difficult matter for him to decline Mr. Cleveland's invitation to enter the Cabinet, especially as its Premier.

The best forecast yet obtainable of the Cabinet is as follows:

Secretary of State—William C. Whitney, of New York.

Secretary of the Treasury—John G. Carlisle, of Covington, Ky.

Postmaster-General—Isaac Pusey Gray, of Indiana.

Attorney-General—George Gray, of Wilmington, Del.

MRS. LANGTRY MUCH BETTER.

Old Friends Renew Their Attentions in Her Hour of Peril.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Lillie Langtry is rather better, and the fever from which she is suffering has subsided sufficiently to allow her to sleep.

Her servants are kept busy answering the messages of inquiry regarding her, which have been received from many distinguished persons, including, it is reported, the Prince of Wales, through his private secretary.

Several cable despatches inquiring about Mrs. Langtry's condition have also been received from America, but their contents have not been given to the public.

Mrs. Langtry's illness has brought back several former admirers, who are displaying by gifts of flowers and otherwise their anxiety for her recovery.

There is no doubt she is critically ill, although her friends have strong confidence that she will recover.

For a Manual Training Institute.

HARTFORD, Dec. 23.—Appleton R. Hillyer and his sister Miss Clara E. Hillyer of this city have given $50,000 to the Hartford Young Men's Christian Association for a manual training institute to be called the Hillyer Institute, in honor of their father, the late Gen. Charles T. Hillyer.

Ryan Goes to Bay St. Louis.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Tommy Ryan, the pugilist, has left this city for Bay St. Louis, where he will train for his fight with Dawson. Ryan's friend's have raised $10,000 with which to back him.

Killed While Coupling Cars.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Conductor John Papineau, 23 years old, was killed while coupling cars on the Central Vermont railroad at Rouse's Point. His head was crushed between a flat car and a box car. He resided at St. Albans.

Lost $35,000 at Poker.

WEST WHATCOM, Wash., Dec. 23.—Martin Ware, of Blaine, single, aged 25, after losing $35,000 at poker, purloined a target rifle from a shooting gallery and was found with a bullet through his heart.

Bridegroom, 70; Bride, 63.

LOWELL, Mass., Dec. 23.—Thomas W. Hanson, aged 70 years, a farmer from Fargo, Dak., has arrived here to marry Mrs. Caroline P. Hunt, a nurse, 63 years old.

Large Builder Assigns.

WATERBURY, Conn., Dec. 23.—Floyd B. Smith, one of the largest builders in the Naugatuck valley, has made an assignment. His liabilities are $30,000; assets none.

Gardner's Bail Reduced.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Judge Martine has reduced the bail of Charles W. Gardner, the Parkhurst agent, from $7,500 to $6,000. Gardner is still in jail.

Caldwell to Go West.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—The St. Louis Jockey club has secured the services of J. F. Caldwell as starter for their spring meeting April 29 to June 23.

Lasker Again Victorious.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 23.—In the chess game here between Herr Lasker and A. K. Robinson, the latter resigned at the twenty-eighth move.

Upper Hudson Navigation Closed.

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Dec. 23.—The steamboats of the Newburgh and Albany line have ceased running on account of ice in the upper Hudson.

Franko-American Convention Ratified.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—The commercial convention between France and the United States has been ratified by the Chamber of Deputies.

HALLINGER'S EXECUTION.

Dr. McGill Says It Was an Outrage on Modern Science.

JERSEY CITY, Dec. 23.—Dr. McGill, one of the physicians who attended the execution of Edward Hallinger, yesterday, says it was the worst of five he has attended. He says it was an outrage on modern science, and does not compare with killing by electricity. Hallinger, he said, died of slow strangulation.

Hallinger was hanged at the Hudson county jail at 10:06 a. m. Death was slow strangulation. He was not pronounced dead until he had been hanging nineteen minutes.

The execution took place in the second corridor of the jail. James Van Hise, the official hangman, arrived at 7 a. m., and erected the gallows which has served its purpose on a dozen similar occasions.

Hallinger showed no signs of weakening as the time approached. He ate a good breakfast and conversed with Fathers Finnegan and Hallahan until the sheriff arrived and read the death warrant.

Half an hour before the execution Lawyer Peshall, who secured previous stays in Hallinger's case, telegraphed asking that the execution be delayed until 2 o'clock, as Judge Dallas, of the United States Supreme Court of Philadelphia, would hear the application for a stay at 10 o'clock.

The telegram served only to expedite matters.

At 9:45 the court and sheriff juries were sworn in at the Court House. They marched across to the jail and up a winding staircase to the second corridor of the prison. Here they formed in two lines, and awaited the arrival of the doomed man.

At 10:03 the sheriff, followed by Hallinger and two priests, entered and passed between the two lines of witnesses.

The negro was neatly dressed and walked jauntily down the corridors, nodding and smiling at those whom he recognized.

He took his position beneath the scaffolding and watched the hangman curiously as he attached the noose.

When all was ready the sheriff asked him if he had anything to say. Hallinger replied: "Not a word. Nothing to say except that Father Hallahan will do what I asked him."

The black cap was drawn over his head and at 10:06 the drop fell, and the form of the negro swung in the air.

The neck was not broken and the position of the noose was such that air was drawn into the lung on one side.

The victim swung in the air gasping for five minutes.

The doctors advanced and felt of the pulse and listened at the heart. At 10:20 the pulse was very faint, but the heart was still beating. The body was lowered to within a foot of the floor in order to facilitate the examination by the physicians.

At 10:25 the heart and pulse ceased to beat and the man was pronounced, officially, dead.

PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS.

Fred J. Grant Named as Minister to Bolivia—Other Appointments.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The President has sent to the Senate the following nominations:

Frederick J. Grant, of Washington, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States to Bolivia.

Archibal C. Coolidge, of Massachusetts, Secretary of the Legation of the United States at Vienna.

George Creighton Webb, of New York, Secretary of the United States Legation at St. Petersburg.

Joseph R. Herod of Indiana, Second Secretary of the Legislation of the United States to Japan.

To be Consuls of the United States:

Nicholas Smith of New York, at Liege.

Ferdinand C. Gottschalk of California, at Stuttgart.

Charles W. Dow of Massachusetts, at Zanziber.

Thomas Herran, a citizen of Columbia, at Medellin.

Postmasters—Walter N. Churchill, at Colebrook, N. H.; Florence M. Carpenter, at Foxboro, Mass.

ONE POLICEMAN SHOT.

Bloody Battle With a Gang of Thieving Tramps at Susquehanna.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., Dec. 23.—A battle occurred at West Susquehanna at an early hour between four Susquehanna policemen and New York, Lake Erie & Western Detective Squires on one side, and a gang of 25 tramps, who were suspected of having robbed the N. Y., L. E. W. station at Hancock, and other stations along the line.

During the battle, in which about 40 shots were fired, Policeman M. John Fraleigh was shot through the cheek and shoulder.

The tramps escaped with the exception of Edward O. Byrne, of Port Jervis.

Want Silver Purchases Stopped.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Numerous letters from bankers, boards of trade and chambers of commerce from all parts of the country are being received at the Treasury Department asking that the puschase of silver by the Treasury Department be stopped. Under the law 4,500,000 ounces of silver must be purchased each month.

Police Now Game for Thieves.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—All the police patrolmen in town are looking out for Chief of Police McClooghry's horse and buggy, which was stolen from in front of Central Police Headquarters at midnight. Last week the Chief's overcoat was stolen from his own office.

Justice Lamar Ill at Atlanta.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 23.—When Justice Lamar reached here enroute to his home, he became too sick to continue his journey and is quite ill at the home of Hoke Smith of this city.

FRANCE IN A TURMOIL

Bonapartists and Royalists Believe the Time For Revolution Has Come.

THE PLOTTERS ARE VERY ACTIVE.

Death or Exile Will Be the Punishment of Those Found Conspiring Against the Republic—The People Believe that the Present Form of Government Must Continue, and That It is Capable of Withstanding the Shock—Newspaper Stories Greatly Exaggerated—Baron de Reinach Would Have Ruined the Republic, Had It Not Been Endowed With Extraordinary Vitality—The Clemenceau-Deroulede Duelling Fiasco.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—It is impossible to find any intelligible clue to the maze of complicated accusations daily spun before M. Brisson. It is only clear that the plot is thickening and diffusing. The fact that the Government has thought it necessary to issue a dementi of the current rumors of disturbances fills France with evil forebodings.

What with Bonapartist and Monarchist plots, and the daily exposure of corruption in high places, France is in a turmoil such as has not been witnessed since 1870.

The people of France as a whole, do not consider that there is any great danger from the plotters against the Republic. They believe that the Republican form of government will survive, even from a greater shock, if such could occur.

Nevertheless the Imperialists and Royalists are very active, and seemingly believe that the time for revolution has come.

That they are plotting in secret there can be no doubt, but the stories published are greatly exaggerated. Nothing definite is known by the public at large, although the superb organization of the French secret service may have revealed some important facts to those high in authority.

It is known that the government will use the most severe measures to nip in the bud the first move hostile to the existence of the government. Death or exile will be the punishment of the plotters if they are discovered.

The people of France believe the form of government they have chosen for themselves must be continued, and the present condition of affairs only serves to strengthen them in their determination that there shall be no going backward.

It is quite clear that Baron de Reinach was a malefactor whose genius for intrigue would have ruined the Republic were it not endowed with extraordinary vitality.

M. Bourgeois appeared before the Parliamentary Commission of Inquiry, after M. Floquet had testified, to explain the seizure of the counterfoils of the Thierree checks.

On Monday, he said, M. Thierree admitted to the examining magistrate that these were at his bank. The magistrate then accompanied M. Thierree to his office and secured them.

M. Bourgeois promised that the papers of the Dynamite society and other important documents recently seized should be communicated to the commission. These documents, however, must be handled with great caution lest their contents should be used for purposes prejudicial to the prosecution or defence.

M. Andrieux, ex-Prefect of Police, was the next witness. He said that he had a photograph of a statement and account written by Baron de Reinach. This showed the names of the payees of checks drawn by Baron de Reinach.

M. Andrieux wrote a list of names on a piece of paper and handed it to M. Brisson, saying at the same time that four other names, one of a very high personage, he was prevented from mentioning by the dictates of discretion.

Dr. Cornelius Herz had shown him a document bearing the names of one hundred and four deputies who had been bought by the lobbyist Arton for a total sum of 1,350,000 francs. M. Andrieux could name most, if not all, of the men mentioned in this document.

Proofs of the culpability of many men named in the document had been promised him. He would try to obtain the document from Dr. Herz.

He wished it to be understood, however, that he could not guarantee absolutely the accuracy of the document or Baron de Reinach's statement. In his opinion Baron de Reinach's word was far from unimpeachable.

M. Haciau, Advertising Agent for the Panama Canal company, testified that the sums paid to newspapers by the company ranged from 400,000 francs to 1,500,000 francs for each issue of shares.

Count Caffarelli, Monarchist deputy for Aisne, told the Commission he could confirm the report that President Carnot had a list of Deputies corruptly implicated in the Panama Canal lobbying. This list, he said, comprised many Deputies whose names had not yet been mentioned in connection with the scandal.

The duel arranged between Deputy Millevoye and Deputy Clemenceau, in consequence of the insults exchanged during the debate of Tuesday, is not likely to be fought.

The duel between Clemenceau and Deroulede was bloodless, as French duels usually are. The men decided to fight at the last moment, after it had been reported that the affair was off. After three shots had been exchanged, to the great danger of the seconds, each belligerent declared himself satisfied.

Sheep Ranch in New Jersey.

PHILLIPSBURG, N. J., Dec. 23.—A syndicate of Philadelphia capitalists have bought between 800 and 1,000 acres of land near Blairstown, Warren county, and will shortly start a sheep ranch. Their idea is to raise winter lambs which will be ready for the market by February.

Admiral Gherardi's Fleet.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Admiral Gherardi has cabled the navy department that his fleet, consisting of the Baltimore, Charleston, San Francisco and Yorktown, will sail from Valparaiso Monday next. Their next stop will be Montevideo, Uruguay.

"Shovers of the Queer" Captured.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The Chief of the Secret Service Division has information from special operative Forsyth of the arrest at Atlanta, Ga., by him of Marion Barnett and J. W. Fubank for passing counterfeit dollars, halves and nickles.

Note the date.

Marion Harland,

Author of "Common Sense in the Household," writes, February 5, 1892: "After long and careful trial of others, I prefer

Cleveland's

Baking Powder. Cleveland's is a pure cream of tartar and soda mixture, not containing alum or ammonia or any other substance deleterious to the human stomach."

Marion Harland

ROTTEN-EGGED THE REGENT.

Agricultural College Boys Chase Him to His Hotel at Pullman.

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 23.—As soon as Regent Smith of the State Agricultural College reached Pullman, the college boys had a conference, and when the Regent, who was with the new president of the college, J. W. Jeston, attempted to look over the building, all the students came with baskets of rotten eggs and drove both men to their hotel.

The town was wild with excitement and many cheered the boys as they chased Regent Smith and the new President several blocks on a wild run, throwing eggs with each leap.

For several hours both men remained in the hotel while the boys waited outside with a fresh supply of eggs.

The outrage was caused by the removal of Prof. Lilley from the Presidency.

Citizens are looking for the ringleader and have held an indignation meeting.

Signed by the President.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The President has approved the act to provide for the sale of navy yard lands in the city of Brooklyn, and the joint resolution providing for the advance payment of the December salaries of employes of Congress.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—A train was derailed near the City of Mexico and four passengers killed.

—Present indications are that Gov. Abbett, of New Jersey, will be chosen U. S. Senator.

—The new Hawaiian Ministry is experiencing trouble with the various political factions.

—Samuel Tyrant, Chicago man, is wanted at Windsor, Ont., for selling bogus lottery tickets.

—The sword of Hernan Cortez, the conqueror of Mexico, will be sent to the Chicago Fair.

—The Mexican Congress has authorized President Diaz to reform all existing railroad concessions.

—The Bishop of Bethsaida has resigned the office of Minister of Foreign Affairs in the Portugese Cabinet.

—During a fox hunt at Newton Falls, O., Daniel Lester was fatally shot by a companion, accidentally.

—Stables and nine horses of James Farrell, Albany, N. Y., burned yesterday. Loss, $3,000; insured.

—Report of New York State Treasurer for fiscal year ending Sep. 30 last shows receipts, $15,222,796.25.

—The American fishermen in jail at Halifax, N. S., for assaulting the police officers, have been released.

—The New York State Board of Charities will not complete its annual report until its meeting on January 11.

—August Smodell is in jail at Balston, N. Y., charged with incestuous intercourse with his 17-year-old daughter.

—Secretary Charles Foster has compromised the claim of the United States against General Adam Badeau for $1,000.

—The Supreme Court of the United States has adjourned until Tuesday, Jan. 3, 1893. The Court of Claims has also adjourned for a like period.

—The carpet establishment D. F. Ottenheimer and the Little Rock Grocery company, Little Rock, Ark., were destroyed by fire. Loss, $55,000; insurance, $36,000.

—Destitute negroes who have arrived in Denison, Tex., says Texas offers a better home for poor negroes than Oklahoma, where the best lands have been taken by the whites.

—George Babcock Hazard, of Newport, R. I., generally credited with much wealth, has been in jail a week because of neglect to pay damages recently assessed upon him by the court.

—The explosion of a bomb in Seville, Spain, created great excitement and did much damage to a rich citizen's house. The outrage is supposed to have been done merely to satisfy personal malice.

—Entire plant of the Home Bleach and Dye works, Valley Falls, R. I., were destroyed by fire. Loss on building and machinery, $60,000; insurance, $50,000. An insurance of $10,000 will not cover the loss on stock.

—Prince Alois Schwarzenberg, a member of one of the most ancient families in Austria, has been tried by court martial and sentenced to four months' arrest for absenting himself from duty without leave in order to make a pleasure visit to Italy.

—Much public comment has been caused in Buenos Ayres by the fact that the Argentine Cabinent has had a meeting with ex-President Pellegrini, General Roca, General Mitre and the appointed Minister from Chili, for the purpose of discussing political relations between Argentine and Chili.

Its 175th Anniversary.

GREENFIELD, Mass., Dec. 23.—The Sunderland Congregational church, the oldest in the county by 44 years, celebrated its 175th anniversary yesterday.

Preparing for the Ice Harvest.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Icemen in this vicinity are preparing for the ice harvest, the prospect for which is now good.

Smallpox in Trenton.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 23.—Smallpox has broken out in the Mercer county jail here.

THE DAILY PRESS.

W. L. & A. L. Force, Publishers and Proprietors.
I. A. Demarest, - - Managing Editor.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Seats are now on sale for "A Flag of Truce".

—The finest line of canes and baskets is at Tier's.

—A good book is something that all appreciate. Take your pick at Estil's.

—The fine library at Estil's to select Christmas gifts from is thronged with eager buyers.

—Go to Krewson's billiard room to-night and to-morrow night and get a Christmas turkey.

—Postmaster Harold of Dunellen has a letter in his possession addressed to "Santa Claus, North Pole".

—J. W. VanSickle has a splendid lot of turkeys, geese, ducks, chickens and other poultry for Christmas dinner.

—Three hundred pounds of Huyler's candy was received by manager Leggett, at the Central pharmacy, yesterday.

—Vanderbeek & Sattels, agents for Chickering, Chase, and Behning pianos. Everybody knows where their store is.

—The grandest drama ever seen in this or any other city, is Walter Sandford's "Flag of Truce", to be played at Music Hall, Christmas night, the 26th.

—Stephenson's mince pies are just as good as the housewife herself can make, and by buying them she saves herself lots of bother. Try them for Christmas.

—The company that plays at Music Hall, Christmas night, brings its special car of scenery and its own boiler to run the steam drills in the great quarry scene.

—The finest line of imported fruit candy, at less than half the price asked elsewhere, can be had at the store of the United Tea and Coffee Growers' association.

—There will be a prayer meeting of the young People's League this evening at 8. Subject, "How to get rich". C. A. Le Boyteaux will conduct the devotional exercises.

—F. S. Dunn, the electrician, is preparing novel and beautiful electrical effects in the Christmas decorations at Trinity Reformed church. The exhibition will be unusually attractive.

—The singing evangelists, Wm. Howard Hoople and the Rev. E. S. Wright, will be at the Crescent Avenue church Tuesday, Jan. 3, and at 9 the same evening will lead the meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

—On Dec. 26, and on the following Monday, Jan. 2, 1893, the free public library, reading room and art gallery will be open at the usual hours. There will be no circulation of books on either of those days.

—Vanderbeek & Sattels keep their store open evenings to accommodate the customers who do not find time during the day. They have the goods that are sure to please. At the same old store, 33 Park avenue.

—People are still shopping for Christmas gifts, and everyone seems to stop at Estil's, 9 Park avenue, to select card cases, gold pens and pencils, dainty novelties, stationery, writing materials or desk ornaments.

—The large sale of tickets for the amateur theatricals to be given at the Casino, next Thursday, still continues, and it is probable that the limit will very soon be reached. Purchase yours now at Reynolds's or the Central pharmacy.

—"Thanksgiving for God's Earthly Companionship" will be the theme of Dr. Lewis's discourse at the Seventh-day Bpptist church, to-morrow morning. The special musical programme will be under the leadership of D. E. Titsworth.

—Bottled goods of all kinds, quality the best, can be obtained from Linke's wholesale liquor establishment, 43 West Front street, as reasonable as some articles can be purchased in New York city, and delivered free, day or night. Telephone call, 157.

—Sherwin wants you all to make it your business to call on him when you go out to buy your foot-wear Christmas presents. He has the stock can suit you, at a saving to your pocket. He sells for cash only, and at very small profits. A quick turn is what tells.

—Van Emburgh & Son are in rather a secluded spot under the First National Bank, still they report an immense sale during this week. Their store is thronged all day long and way into the night. Their assortment is still large to select from, and their prices are within the reach of all

—Police captain Grant says that the *Courier* knows that it is in error when it insists that there was a prize fight in this city Sunday. He states that the fight was a friendly bout between two young boys, that there was nothing at stake, and that it took place on the other side of the brook.

—Monday next being the Christmas holiday the regular meeting for payment of December dues to the Plainfield Building and Loan association will be held in Mr. Liefke's room, Tuesday evening, the 27th inst., at 7:30. Shareholders so desiring, can make payment previous to that time at the office of treasurer Codington, corner of Park avenue and Second street.

—The Woman's Auxiliary Board of Muhlenberg Hospital will make special efforts to render the Christmas celebration this year as joyful and memorable as possible for the unusual large number of patients and attendants. The tree will be lighted on Monday, at 2:30 p. m., and a cordial invitation is extended to the board of governors, the physicians, and everybody interested in the good work of the hospital.

Another Sanitary Reform.

The North Plainfield board of health are receiving the congratulations they so justly deserve, since through their efforts ex-Rev. Peck has cut off the sess-pool overflow that was percolating into Green brook from his Grove street block, and is building a third sess-pool to do that which the waters of the brook were formerly doing.

QUEER SORT OF A CASE.

If the Accused is Dishonest as Alleged, the Public Should Know It; If He Is Innocent He Is Being Persecuted.

For two or three weeks stories have been freely circulated about town of the alleged dishonesty of a clerk in the employ of Fulper & Bingham, who run the store known as the United Tea and Coffee Growers' association. As near as can be ascertained, one of the clerks, who has since, it is said, been discharged, was in the habit of taking orders ostensibly for the firm and then following up with his own delivery wagon and supplying some of the goods from his private stock, thus beating the firm out of orders. He himself would furnish only a portion of the goods, leaving the balance for the firm, thus seeking to avoid suspicion over the loss of people's trade altogether. It is also alleged that the clerk took a clock and perhaps other articles from the firm's store and sold them, pocketing the proceeds. It was understood that altogether the firm had lost $35.

Police captain Grant this morning said that the firm had made three or four complaints before justice and that warrants had been or were to be issued for the arrest of the accused. Further than this he knew nothing about the matter, as the serving of the warrants was a matter for the constables, not the police.

A reporter called at the store of the firm this morning and politely requested information as to the facts. Instead of giving information or declining in a courteous manner, Messrs. Fulper & Bingham sought to humiliate and insult their guest before the clerks and bystanders. The reporter told Mr. Fulper his errand in private, and that worthy shouted to Mr. Bingham at the other end of the store in such a manner as to bring ridicule upon the inquirer. Both then loudly ordered the reporter to publish nothing; told him repeatedly that he was putting his nose into their private business; and otherwise made it pleasant for their caller. They virtually called him a liar to his face, for when he said that he understood that warrants had been applied for to arrest the accused they retorted "You don't understand anything of the sort!" The reporter would not stoop to bandy words with persons in such humor or condition, and willing to make such a display before the curious clerks and astonished customers, so he walked quietly from their presence, merely saying in reply to their repeated order that he should publish nothing till they wrote it for him, that perhaps he should use his own judgment. To this they shouted "You will, hey! We 'll see about that!" "Oh, he 's too fresh!"

In a recent issue of the Dunellen *Call* Fulper & Bingham took occasion to publish a card stating that a certain clerk was no longer in their employ and warning the public against him.

The accused clerk has the sympathy of many warm friends who believe in his innocence and that he is being persecuted.

TOO SHORT THE ONLY FAULT.

Everybody Wished There Was More of This Delightful Concert.

Plainfield people are enraptured over the first of the Philharmonics that took place in the Casino last night. The audience was large, and the concert was in every way a great and glowing success. The orchestra was improved over last year, if that were possible, and the soloists were superb. Miss Emma Juch sang faultlessly. She was suffering from a slight cold, but she did not permit it to affect her rendering, and no one noticed it. She sang so beautifully that people enthusiastically exclaimed "To hear her sing one selection repaid the hearer for the full price of the course". She completely captivated the house, and was encored again and again, being given a veritable ovation. Paul Miersch was beyond doubt the finest 'cellolst that has ever been heard in Plainfield. Eugene Weiner, the flutist, and Johannes Miersch, violin soloist, were also the highest grade artists. The concert was one continuous delight, and the only adverse criticism heard was that it was too short.

The second concert of the series will be Jan. 26, when Xaver Scharwenka, the famous pianist, and Miss Marion S. Weed, the favorite mezzo-soprano, will be the soloists. The Casino should then be crowded to overflowing.

THE COLDEST DAY YET.

At 8 o'Clock This Morning the Thermometer Registered 18 Deg.

Chief Local Weather Forecaster Dunn at New York this morning still prophesied a cool Christmas Day. It is likely to be overcast, with possibly some snow flurries.

Whatever the snowfall, however, it is not likely to be heavy. A storm has made its appearance on the Pacific coast, which may reach here by Monday. It is accompanied by higher temperatures.

The coldest temperature in this city this morning was 18 deg. at 8 o'clock. This breaks last Wednesday's low record for this year, which was 19 deg.

—The largest assortment of Christmas candy is at Tier's.

A Serious Injury.

H. Seader and G. F. Watts, while returning yesterday afternoon from the mountains with a load of greens for decorating the Warren Mission, met with an accident. While coming down the hill at Washingtonville the horse fell, and Mr. Watts, who was driving, was drawn out under the struggling animal's feet, and was badly cut about the face and head, and also had his arm and back hurt. His wounds were dressed by kind friends in Washingtonville, and later he was brought home in A. M. Griffin's wagon. After the excitement, Mr. Watts relapsed into a state of helplessness, from which he has not yet recovered. Mr. Seader escaped uninjured.

—A business established 40 years is evidence of stability. They grow all the time. Vanderbeek & Sattels.

MAY BE COUNTER-SUITS.

If C. K. Moore Stirs Up the City to Anger, His Bondsmen May Be Called to Account.

Much surprise is expressed by Plainfield councilmen at the action of Charles K. Moore in bringing suit against the city for $12,000. It is thought by them that he has no good legal ground that affords hope for the recovery of the sum named. As everyone remembers, two years ago Moore received a franchise from the Plainfield common council to construct and operate a system of water-works, and that Moore had deposited $6,000 with the city as a guarantee of good faith. Moore is trying to recover this sum, it is reported, because the water-works contracted for were never built; the constitutionality of the contract of Mr. Moore's company with the city of Plainfield was questioned, and pending the establishing of its validity in the courts, it being impossible in consequence to obtain subscribers enough to its stock, work on the water-works was suspended. In the meantime a charter of another company conferring equal power to erect water-works in Plainfield was resurrected and a water plant built, thus rendering futile any further progress on Moore's company's works when the constitutionality of its contract was finally established. While it is true that $6,000 was deposited by Moore with the city of Plainfield, nevertheless it was done according to the fifty-eighth section of the contract, which says:

"The company shall pay to the city as the work progresses the sum of $8,000, in monthly installments of $1,000 each, beginning sixty days from date of delivery."

Only $6,000 was paid in, however, and this has been used in large part by the city of Plainfield in providing for the expenses of the supervising engineers which the contract also called for. It is said that the city of Plainfield can also bring claims against Mr. Moore's company because of the non-faithful performance of the contract. The bondsmen who guaranteed the faithful performance of the contract have not yet been dismissed, and Mr. Moore himself, in conjunction with John Kean, jr., and James Moore, father of Charles K. Moore, are the bondsmen.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Col. C. K. Moore has been very ill of inflammation of the stomach.

Father O'Hanlon was in town to-day, among his former parishioners.

Wm. M. Burrows of Prospect place has arrived safely at Key West, Fla.

Bishop Walker of North Dakota will preach in Grace church Christmas morning.

The executors of Jane Roome named in her will are A. P. M. Roome, B. A. Hegeman and Eleanor Roome.

Miss Margeret Grady, of West Front street, will spend the holidays in Bloomsbury, Hunterdon county.

The Rev. Mr. Appleton of New York will officiate at the Christmas Sunday services at the Church of the Heavenly Rest.

Mrs. Townsend Rushmore gives a thimble party, this afternoon, at her home on Grant avenue, to the "Ladies 9". It will close with a tea at 5.

Miss May Flanagan, leading soprano singer in St. Mary's church, this city, has accepted an invitation to sing in St. Thomas's church, Philadelphia, on Christmas Day.

Beginning with the new year, William T. Kaufman of this city resigns his office as resident manager in New York of the Commercial Union Assurance company, and connects himself with the business of Harvey Fisk & Sons.

THE PRESS understands that the young and talented editor and proprietor of the *Rockland County Herald*, Hugh C. Munday, left Liverpool yesterday on the *Brittanic* for New York. He will probably give his Congers friends some interesting items of his visit, upon his return..

Frederick Moon, of this city, has accepted a lucrative offer to take charge of the Aldene Coal company's works at Aldene, Pa. He will take up his permanent residence there with his family after Jan. 15. His place among a large circle of friends and admirers here, will never be filled.

HIS "FIERY ORDEAL".

Pastor Jennings Championed by an Anonymous Friend.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I do not believe that you would willingly and knowingly do injustice to any man, as is done, through lack of knowledge, in the article published concering pastor Jennings of Westfield, in all the papers a few days ago. In the first place, it is hardly fair to pass judgment on a man, until his trial has been finished. Owing to certain charges that have been made affecting the character of the Rev. J. B. Jennings, the Bishop of the Diocese has felt obliged to appoint a commission to examine into the truthfulness of these charges. This inquiry is now being made, but it is not finished, and consequently no decision has been reached. In regard to the sad and unfortunate domestic troubles, the commission has nothing to do. But this much, I believe, may be said in truth, that after passing through a fiery ordeal with his wife, for two or three years, in Cranford, upon his resignation, Mr. Jennings received a letter of commendation from the two wardens (who were familiar with all the facts), such as any man might be proud of. It is generally considered a mean thing to strike a man, when he is down. It would seem, therefore, to be wiser and more merciful to wait until both sides of this unhappy controversy have been heard. It was considered good law in Judea, 1800 years ago, not to judge any man, before he has had an opportunity to be heard in his defense. It would be well for some persons to learn and obey that law. VINDEX.

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J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 158, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis B. Blackford, Pres.
Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 62 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
A. Kleinecke, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Exeter Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m
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H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

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PERPETUATING INDUSTRIAL ART.

A Most Excellent Institution of Which John Ward Stimson of Plainfield is Founder, and Where George Wharton Edwards and Others Skill Students in Useful Arts.

John Ward Stimson, of West Seventh street, has applied to the advisory committee of the Institute for Artist-Artisans, of which he has been superintendent since its foundation, to be relieved from many of the cares which hitherto have fallen on his shoulders, in order to devote himself more effectively to the immediate interests of the teachers and pupils of the institute.

Mr. Stimson has been the driving force of the institute, and will remain so; but the growth of the institute demands that he shall no longer waste his powers on matters which others can do as well as he, but concentrate them on the special department in which he has shown his mastery, namely, to awaken and keep alive enthusiasm in teachers and pupils for art as applied to the industries.

Mr. Stimson's own story of how he came to found his famous institute is as follows:

"On my graduation from Yale twenty years ago I found that the condition of the country warranted the anticipation that the transfer of agricultural supremacy to the west would leave to the Atlantic States the great field of skilled manufacture, for which their position and facilities naturally fitted them and the force of civilization, travel, and competition with European rivals would subject them.

"I decided to go abroad for six years' special professional preparation for the life work I had before me. Returning in 1878, I found that the Centennial of 1876 had keenly awakened a general interest in art throughout the country. Observation and experience had confirmed my conviction that to satisfy our great industrial Republic nothing short of a broad and organic national school would suffice—a university of the applied arts.

"It must be planned on vital principles rather than imitative or mechanical processes, and these principles must be systematically and thoroughly developed in the young. It must be aristocratic in that noblest sense, not of local vanity in city or coterie, but spirit and motive. It must be scientific in the sense of being logical and in line with all sincere truth and good work. It must, indeed, be professional, but not in a narrow sense, for the artistic faculties must certainly be developed in close sympathy with national feeling, with native genius, and with home environments. This will give students appreciation for such revelations of beauty as are already America's natural heritage and will emancipate them from foreign servility, affectation, or imitation.

"And finally, they should be in close touch with their country's industries and be supplied with such technical appliances and instruction as shall show the natural limitations and conditions to the industry which their talent is to inspire, without becoming enslaved or destroyed by a purely mercenary spirit.

"Encouraged by my best students, by artist friends, and by art firms who cooperated and contributed, I resigned from the Metropolitan Museum and organized this institute for artist artisans Feb, 18, 1888. Dr. Heber Newton stood by me at Chickering Hall and spoke in its support. Starting with about seventy-five students, the institute has steadily increased each year, applicants entering all through the eight months from Oct. 1 to June. A summer department and normal class were afterward added. The largest number generally comes in the midwinter months. From 500 to 600 have already been educated and helped in these four years and a quarter.

"Each year new departments, rooms, and instructors have been added. Among the latter such eminent helpers as William H. Gibson, George Wharton Edwards of Plainfield, Mrs. Candace Wheeler, and the sculptor Mr. Blaukingship, who has just returned with honors and a medal from the Government award at Chicago, and who, like several of the best instructors this year, has been both advanced student and teacher in the institute, generously contributing their services in testimony of their gratitude.

"About $26,000 has been subscribed during this time—partly from firms, partly by the superintendent, teachers, and students, occasionally by some outside friend, as in the case of $2,500 from Mr. Burnham of Philadelphia and $1,000 from Mr. Havemeyer of New York.

"It is only just to say that with such central rooms, high rent, and large number of classes, the necessary moderate tuition and the low income of $6,000, the faculty has been put to a very heavy strain.

"It has now reached a point where it is both becoming and essential that it should pass out of my personal control into that of an honorable and representative body of citizens, who, I profoundly believe, Providence has seen fit to raise up for it. The arduous duties of the daily departments and the increasing responsibility of the educational field call imperatively for all my strength to keep up with the manifold demands that so many interests of so many lives lay upon me."

The direct object of the institute, which is situated at 140 West 23d street, is the encouragement of an American spirit, a correct taste, and a thorough technique among the designers and artisans of this country. The school stands for an effort to give young America a chance. Skilled foreigners are establishing themselves in our country to meet the rising demand, thereby putting their own imprint on American production and shutting out native talent. Farsighted men of every shade of political belief are coming to the conviction that the only permanent and substantial protection for American industries lies in their superiority in design and quality to the foreign articles with which they compete. It is only by providing the artisans of America with what is within the reach of the corresponding classes abroad that we can successfully defend ourselves against outside genius and industry.

At present, the teaching force of the institute consists of twelve specialists, in charge of Mr. Stimson, and a numerous and enthusiastic body of pupils drawn from all parts of the United States is in attendance. The range of instruction embraces architecture, sculpture, painting and drawing in all their forms, book illustration and covering, wood carving, wallpaper designing and mural decoration; silk, calico, cretonne and carpet designing; ceramic, tile and porcelain ware; metal and jewelry designing; and other ornamental domestic arts.

THE CALL IS RIGHT.

Dunellen Needs a Water-Supply, But Is Too Sleepy to Heed the Warning.

The sprightly Dunellen *Call* is pleading with its backward townspeople to run a main from the Plainfield water-works into town. It argues that there are many benefits to be derived from this new improvement which are to be considered:

"First. The insurance rates would be less.

"Second. Our lives less endangered in case of fire.

"Third. The town protected against fire. How quickly the Cranford people thought of this question after nearly $100,000 worth of property had been destroyed. And had it not been for the fire departments of neighboring towns more than double of that amount would have been destroyed. Our town had a similar experience a number of years ago, but it was before the place was built up as closely as it is now and consequently suffered less, but even then almost the entire business portion of the town was destroyed. Many of our oldest citizens remember that event. The people in some country towns would remind one of those living near the crater of a volcano. While the fiery mountain has ceased to rumble, there is still danger of its breaking out again, but these unobserving people will get closer and closer to the mouth of this dangerous freak of nature until by and by they have built their homes at the very edge of the crater, and one day the people are surprised by an eruption of fire and molten stone which carries death and destruction before it.

"Fourth. It would be a convenience in the way of sprinkling our streets in the dusty summer and it would be used about private residences for watering lawns and gardens in time of drouth.

"It would give our people a chance to build houses containing modern improvements. Bath rooms, with hot and cold water, would not be so few as they are to-day, if we had this improvement."

That Suicide.

[*Elisabeth Journal.*]

The young man in Plainfield who killed himself because he could not marry his sweetheart recalls the beautiful Rosalind's remark: "Men have died, and worms have eaten them, but not for love". And Rosalind is right. There is always something else the matter with a young man who kills himself "for love". He is either insanely jealous or insanely something else, and his disappointed love is not the cause of his suicide; it is simply the first romantic excuse that comes handy. Love is not at all suicidal.

[He was clearly out of his head, or he would n't have written a letter in French to a paper which can't master even English. That horrible translation by the Somerset street journalist must have made the dead man's soul bleed. How he must have regretted that he did n't shoot himself before sending his epistle to one who would so cruelly butcher his romantic pathos!]

Only Jealousy and Spite Make You Speak That Way.

(*Westfield Leader.*)

The Plainfield *Press* says that an "excellent addition to its fire department would be a chemical engine". Plainfield, as our readers may know, is the little place just beyond Fanwood, which has a penchant for looking this way for its models.

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MR. LUNGER WINS.

Two Suits in the Supreme Court Against W. E. Smith and Eminent Counsel.

Speaker Hudspeth and Craig A. Marsh have occupied the court and jury at New Brunswick for the last forty-eight hours to the exclusion of all other business. The case was in the supreme court and was brought by James S. Lunger of Plainfield against Wm. E. Smith of New York for balance of $426, alleged to be due on building a house and barn. Speaker Hudspeth defended the case for Mr. Smith and also brought a cross suit for damages. The two suits were tried together. The defense to Mr. Lunger's suit was that the work was not done according to contract and $233 damages were claimed by Mr. Smith because of alleged defects, of which seventeen were specified. Mr. Marsh as counsel for Mr. Lunger maintained that the contract had been faithfully performed by Mr. Lunger in every respect, and that Mr. Smith's cross suit was without merit. Mr. Lunger was successful. The verdict was in his favor for $444.84.

Plainfield Telephoners Have Done All These Things.

A telephone girl who knows, sarcastically suggests these rules for people who use the telephone:

If you have a telephone in your office or store ring up "Central", and then go and wait on a customer.

Always speak in an undertone, in order to make "Central" ask you over what you want. If she does not hear you, tell her to "wake up" or "take the cotton out of her ears".

Put your "plug" in before a storm and be sure not to take it out again, but go around to the central office and offer to lick the whole telephone company for neglect of duty.

Take your time in answering your bell or, what is better, do not answer it at all, but in about half an hour ring up and ask who called you, and get mad if "Central" has forgotten who it was. She has nothing else to do but remember.

Allow everybody who wants to, to use your telephone. Hang the receiver big end up, as in this way it gets full of dust, which makes another cause for complaint.

Bang on the transmitter with a lead pencil as though you intended to knock it through the wall. This invariably makes it talk better.

Refuse to pay toll messages, and if you are on a line with some one always listen to his conversation and be sure to want the use of the line while he is using it. Whenever you see the manager tell him that if he can not give you a better telephone or get that one fixed, you will throw the whole thing out of the window. When the inspector comes deny that you have ever complained of the telephone, and say that it works like a charm.

Paste this on your telephone for future reference.

Delightful Fireside Company.

Two volumes of thrilling interest have just been issued by Robert Bonner's Sons in their matchless "Choice Series". They are from the pen of that popular story writer, Mrs. E. D. E. N. Southworth, and are published under the titles of "Em" and "Em's Husband". These are books to make long winter evenings pass all too quickly, the most entertaining of fireside companions. From cover to cover their contents are a continual thrill of romance, and one reads on and on with breathless interest, following the varied career of the strongly depicted characters. The books are liberally illustrated, as are all of the "Choice Series", and are excellently printed and bound so as to open flat in the hand at any page—a great help to ease in reading. Other recent issues by the Bonners are: "Neva's Three Lovers", by Mrs. Lewis; "Reuben Foreman, the Village Blacksmith", by Darley Dale; and "The Return of the O'Mahoney", by Harold Frederic. These are all most agreeable and entertaining winter evening companions. Indeed, any volume selected from the "Choice Series" is sure to be a favorite with its reader, for they are all by standard authors and fully maintain the Bonners' high reputation. Another book in the series, making an appreciated change in the long line of fiction, is the "Life of General Jackson", by Oliver Dyer. Everyone admires this sturdy old figure in American history, and all will enjoy the well told story of his trials and triumphs. There is much in his career worthy of every American's study.

You can revel in any of the "Choice Series" volumes in either paper or cloth covers; and if your newsdealer can not supply you, send to the publishers, corner of William and Spruce streets, New York.

—When you are looking for a piano at bottom price, drop around to Vanderbeek & Sattels'. You will find them at the old store, 33 Park avenue.

The Wheelmen's Census.

W. H. Rogers the bicycle man to-day completed his bicycle census. His official record is as follows:

Bicycles in city	985
" " North Plainfield	274
Total wheels	1,259
Riders in city	1,200
" " North Plainfield	412
Total riders	1,612

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup takes the lead of all cough preparations on our shelves. Carpenter & Palmeter, Jamestown, N. Y.

I have been a sufferer from catarrh for twenty years. I found immediate relief in the use of Ely's Cream Balm. Since using it I have not suffered a moment from headache, sore throat or loss of sleep, from which I previously suffered, caused by catarrh. I consider your Balm a valuable remedy. R. G. Vassar, 56 Warren st., New York.

Ely's Cream Balm is worth its weight in gold as a cure for catarrh. One bottle cured me. S. A. Lovell, Franklin, Pa.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

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Latest News By Wire to THE PRESS.

DIED AT THE BANK.

Sudden Death of Bank Director Josiah M. Fiske.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Josiah M. Fiske, a director of the American Exchange National Bank, dropped dead this morning in the directors' room of the bank.

Mr. Fiske arrived at the bank at 10:30 to attend a directors' meeting. While chatting with president George S. Coe he fell backward into a chair.

A physician was summoned, but before he arrived Mr. Fiske was dead.

The Band Fair.

The Good Will band concert will be the attraction at the Plainfield cornet band fair to-night. The following numbers will be given:

Overture—Black Brigade.
Waltz—Daughters of Love.
Schottische—Echoes of the Mississippi.

Do not miss this treat, as this band is first-class in every respect, and sure to please you. The stock of fancy articles has been replenished. The toy and Christmas booth is one of the principal attractions. Saturday's matinee should be well patronized with parents and their children, as the admission will be only 10 cents. Dancing is free.

After the Shower.

Meteor-fishing has been so good this month that some local astronomers have caught a basketfull in a single evening. Some of the smallest of these have been set in rings, breastpins, ear-rings and the like, and are now on exhibition at Collier's where a marvelous array of bewitching Christmas presents also invites your attention.

DEATHS.

TUNISON—In North Plainfield Thursday, Dec. 22, 1892, Charles A., son of Hannah and the late George B. Tunison, aged 19 years and 6 months.
Funeral services at the residence of his mother, 141 Diner street, North Plainfield, Saturday, Dec. 24, at 3 p. m. Interment at Somerville Monday.

HETFIELD—Near Two Bridges, Fanwood township, Thursday, Dec 22, 1892, Daniel Hetfield aged 92 years, 1 month and 23 days.
Funeral services at his late residence Sunday Dec. 25, at 1 p. m. 2

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Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

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MASQUERADE PROMENADE CONCERT AND LADIES' FAIR

In T. A. B. Hall, Dec. 27 to 29, Inclusive, for the benefit of the Emmanuel Baptist church.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 27—Children's exhibition and juvenile phantasmagoria in which the juveniles will visit Bethlehem and view the mysterious manger and the new-born Saviour, and present their offerings and chant the welcome chorus. Wednesday evening, Dec. 28—phantasmagoria proper, during which the Rev. Mr. Mitchell will throw on canvas with a calcium-hydrogen lantern some of the most interesting views ever witnessed in this city. Thursday evening, Dec. 29, all will join the masquerade concert. Ladies and gentlemen are requested to provide themselves with masquerade suits for this occasion. The fair will consist of fancy and useful articles. Refreshments in abundance, music by New Brooklyn band.
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Mary, who owned the little lamb,
Is married now, you know;
Her son is born an ten years old,
And he to school does go.

He oft excites the teacher's ire
By fracturing the rule,
Then, as of old, the children laugh,
To see the "lam" at school.
—Detroit Free Press.

All His Fault.

Mr. Binks (whose invalid wife insists on boarding)—Look here, now. The Medical Record says nothing will improve a woman's health like sweeping, baking, bed-making, dish-washing and polishing the silver.

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During the last total eclipse of the sun a boy was selling smoked glasses at a penny apiece.

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Similar Lines.

"Mr. Hawley," said Cynicus to the comic editor, "you ought to know my friend Barker. You are both working in similar lines."

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"He is the manager of the cemetery at Bronx Hill."—Truth.

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A prematurely bald young man, who is very vain about his personal appearance, asked a New York barber:

"Have you got any stuff that will make the hair grow on my head?"

"I should say so. Just you try my magic elixir, and in less than a month you will look like one of the monkeys in Central park."—Texas Siftings.

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Little Dick—This is Saturday, and mamma and papa are going to the ater to-night. I'm awfully glad.

Little Dot—Why is you?

Little Dick—'Cause she can't wash me to-night, an' she'll get up so late to-morrow morning she'll have to let me go dirty or miss church.—Good News.

AN ORDINANCE

To lay out and open Sycamore street from the northerly side of East Fifth street to the southerly side of East Fourth street.

The inhabitants of the city of Plainfield, by their common council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That Sycamore street in the city of Plainfield from the northwesterly side of East Fifth street to the southeasterly side of East Fourth street be laid out and opened so that said street shall be of the uniform width of twenty-five (25) feet on each side of the centre line thereof, which said centre line is described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northwesterly side line of East Fifth street, said point being distant twenty-four and eight-tenth (24.8) feet in a magnetic course of north forty five degrees and forty-three minutes west (N. 45 deg. 43 min. W.) from a stone monument in the intersection of the centre lines of said Sycamore and East Fifth streets as now laid out and opened, and running from said beginning point north forty-five degrees and forty-three minutes west (N. 45 deg. 43 min. W.) over lands of Elizabeth Chapin, Charles H. Hand, Agnes Littell, Catherine Lynch, Margaret Thatcher, William H. Brower, Justus H. Cooley, The Plainfield Bicycle club and Michael Quinn, a distance of three hundred and sixty-two and twenty-one one hundredths (362.21) feet to a point in the southeasterly side line of East Fourth street; said point being distant twenty-four and seventy-nine one-hundredths (24,79) feet in a course of South forty-five degrees and forty-three minutes east (S. 45 deg. 43 min. E.) from a stake in the centre line of East Fourth street and there to end.

The land to be taken, in addition to the land already dedicated to the public, consists of a narrow strip beginning at the intersection of the northerly side of East Fifth street with the easterly side of said proposed street, and running thence northwesterly along the said line of said proposed street seventy and eighty-five one-hundredths (70.85) feet to a point in line of lands now or formerly of Charles H. Hand; thence along the said last mentioned line south thirty-nine degrees and thirty-two minutes west (S. 39 degrees 32 minutes W.) a distance of ten and eight one hundredths (10.08) feet to a point; thence south forty-five degrees and fifty-four minutes east, (S. 45 degrees 54 minutes E.) a distance of sixty-nine and forty-eight one-hundredths (69.48) feet to a point in the northwesterly side line of East Fifth street, thence along said northwesterly side line of East Fifth street north forty-eight degrees and eight minutes east, (N. 48 degrees 8 minutes E.) a distance of nine and eighty-four one-hundredths (9.84) feet to the place of beginning.

That the lands and real estate and the portions necessary therefor shall be taken and appropriated for the said laying out and opening of Sycamore street as aforesaid, pursuant to the charter of the city of Plainfield and the general statutes in such case made and provided.

The land to be taken and the lines of said street as the same is hereinbefore ordered be laid out and opened are shown on a map on file with the City Clerk entitled "Application Map to Lay Out and Open Sycamore Street from the northerly side of East Fifth street to the southerly side of East Fourth street, city of Plainfield, N. J., April 1892."

Adopted by the Common Council December 5, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor December 9, 1892.

A. GILBERT, Mayor.

Attest: F. W. RUNYON, City Clerk.

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For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1 00, 6 07, 7 59 9 06, A. M., and 9 39 P. M. On Sunday at 1 00, 6 59, 9 06 A. M., 9 39 P. M.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 07, 7 59, 9 06, 9 39, 10 08, 11 07 A. M.; 12 56, 1 06, 4 04, 5 10, 6 07, 7 59, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 06, 2 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40 7 47 and 9 39 P. M.

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For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 3 54 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden via Trenton—7 59, 11 07 A. M. 1 39, 3 54, 7 49 P. M. Sundays at 10 41 A. M. and 7 47 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 38, 6 05, 6 29, 6 59 7 26, 7 50, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 27, 8 51, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 33, 1 02, 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 6 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 05, 9 33, 10 12, 11 28, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 8 52, 11 16, 11 42 A. M., 12 33, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 28, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 5 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 30, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—1 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 8 28, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 45, 9 32, 10 04, 10 37, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02 2 30, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 12 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 11 42, A. M, 12 33, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 8 28, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 05, 10 05, 11 30 A. M., 1 05, 1 35, 3 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 33, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 10 30, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 6 08, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m. 12 27 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 05, 5 30, 5 54, 6 04, 6 20, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34 8 20, 9 37, 11 12, 12 55 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 26 9 34, 11 15 A. M., 2 05, 3 26, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 08, 7 25, 7 36, 7 48, 8 20, 9 05, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 34, 12 35, 2 05, 3 35, 4 55, 5 32, 6 35, 8 41, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 35, 11 15 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 4 55, 6 45, 8 08, 9 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 8 13, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M. 2 03, 6 38, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 39, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, 8 m 12 27, 6 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Manticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 05 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 05 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 27 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 8 27, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 27, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 5 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 27, 5 30, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 27, 7 05 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 5 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 27, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 29, 9 42, 10 55, a. m., 1 59*, 3 54*, 6 38* 8 20, *9 27 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 42, 11 18 a. m., 2 05*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 29, 9 42, 10 55, a. m., 12 27, 1 59, 3 54, 5 54, 8 15, a. m., 2 05 p. m., 1 17, night, Sunday—9 34, 11 18, a. m., 2 05, 8 14, 6 55 p m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 42, a. m., 1 59, 6 07 (6 38 Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17 night. Sundays- 9 42 a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 14* Baltimore only) p.m. 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05, a. m., 1 50, 3 15*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 9 45, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—7 55, 9 20, 9 20, 11 15, a m 1 15*, 6 50, 8 15, p. m. Sunday—7 55, 9 40, 3 15 a m., 3 15*, 6 50, 8 15*, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 50, 9 02, 10 12, 11 52, a m 3 05, 4 08*, 4 40, 5 54, 6 59, 9 02, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m., 4 10*, 5 43, 7 07, 8 02* p. m.

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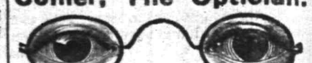

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Best new home-made mince meat 3 lbs.	25c	Best new soft shell almonds	25c lb.
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Best California raisins	3 "	Best new mixed candy (sold in most stores for 30c. lb)	12c. lb., 3 lbs. 35c
Choice "	4 "	Choice new mixed candy 10c. lb.,	3 lbs. 25c
Best currants	2 "	Oranges	from 15c. per dozen up
Best figs	25c lb	Double extra special inducements with tea and baking powder.	
Best Leghorn citron	4 lbs. 25c		
Best new golden dates			

BUTTER—Fine table butter 25c lb. up. Store open evenings until 9 p. m.

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To the Public!

Having secured the control of the city of Plainfield for

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Which is conceded by connoisseurs and brewers to be

The Best Beer in the United States,

I beg to inform the public that I will give all orders prompt attention, and serve the goods in fine condition. My established reputation for cleanliness will vouch for itself. All orders left with Mr. E. P. Thorn and Mr. Joseph A. Blatz will be promptly forwarded.

12 13 1m c 12 15 4 WM. H. CAWLEY.

Another Card.

Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

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I. H. Boehm, 7 West Front St.

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All Kinds of Clothing Cleaned or Dyed.

Kid and Satin Slippers, Neck Ties,
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My stock of candy for the Christmas season of 1892 will be the largest and the variety the greatest ever offered in Plainfield. I guarantee prices the lowest in the city.

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A 25c. package will be sufficient to make four pints, which can either be served in dishes or from glasses.

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Makes an every-day convenience of an old-time luxury. Pure and wholesome Prepared with scrupulous care. Highest award at all Pure Food Expositions. Each package makes two large pies. Avoid imitations—and insist on having the NONE SUCH brand.

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8 4 y-t t s

Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man.

Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

41 East Sixth Street.

9 19 6m

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CHEAP FOR CASH,

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Don't forget the place, corner Central avenue and Second street. 11 23 tf

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THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Latest Additions to the Prospective Cabinet.

SECRETARY FOSTER TO RESIGN

He Goes to Paris in February to Represent the United States in the Behring Sea Arbitration—Mr. Blaine's Condition This Morning Much Improved—Attempt to be Made to Repeal the Sherman Silver Law.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—It is conceded in Democratic circles here that Mr. Cleveland has made no final determination regarding the construction of his Cabinet. Rumor associates many names for the few portfolios, among them that of Senator Carlisle for the Treasury portfolio and Colonel Lamont for the Navy portfolio, but nothing can be asserted with any degree of certainty.

It is reported that Speaker Crisp will run over to New York next week to confer with Mr. Cleveland. Chairman William Frank Harrity is also expected at the same time.

Speaker Crisp, it is said, will also meet William C. Whitney and will confer with Mr. Cleveland on the subject of legislation during the present session and the extra session problem.

Mr. Cleveland has engaged his apartments at the Arlington Hotel for occupancy during the three or four days he will be here before his inauguration. On the same floor apartments have been secured by Mr. Croker, Mr. Gilroy, E. C. Benedict, Col. Lamont and others.

MR. BLAINE'S CONDITION.

A Marked Improvement—He is Brighter and More Cheerful.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The news from Mr. Blaine this morning is more cheerful than it has been at any time during the week.

He has not only continued to hold his own, but shows a number of favorable symptoms heretofore absent.

For the moment his condition has changed for the good.

The excellent care and attention Mr. Blaine has received has brought about a reaction from the great depression of vitality which manifested itself in Sunday's attack, and Mr. Blaine himself now shows, to a slight extent, a return to the sanguine temperament which has been one of his characteristics.

He is perhaps a little stronger, but there must be always present a fear of a renewed attack.

This morning his pulse is better, his temperature lower, and he is brighter and more cheerful than the doctors have found him any day this week. He takes nourishment better.

The doctors will not discuss the medical features of the case, but it seems probable that Mr. Blaine has had fever along with the other very serious features of his illness, and that this fever has been allayed in part at least.

A rumor prevailed quite extensively yesterday that members of Mr. Blaine's family had telegraphed for Cardinal Gibbons to visit the sick man, but investigation proves it to have been unfounded.

Secretary of State Foster Will Resign.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Secretary of State Foster will resign his portfolio before going to Paris where he goes to represent the United States before the Behring Sea arbitrators, who are to meet February 3d. As only three weeks will elapse between the date of the secretary's departure and the end of the present administration the vacancy will not be filled. Assistant Secretary Wharton will act during the interim.

Agreement With Mexico Renewed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The Secretary of War has issued a general order announcing a renewal of the agreement heretofore entered into by the government of the United States of America and the United Mexican States whereby the federal troops of the two countries may cross over the territory of the other in pursuit of savage hostile Indians.

To Consider Financial Legislation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—There is to be an organized effort in the House after the holiday recess to bring about some sort of financial legislation. It will probably take the shape of an attempt to repeal the Sherman law, under which the Government is purchasing 54,000,000 ounces of silver a year.

Changes on the Cushing.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Lieut. C. McK. Winslow has been detached from command of the torpedo boat Cushing, and ordered to hold himself in readiness for sea service; Lieut. F. F. Fletcher from duty in the Board of Ordnance and ordered to command the Cushing.

Four Years for Manslaughter.

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—In the Superior Court Merris Powers was sentenced to four years in state prison for manslaughter. Powers, who lived in East Boston, struck his aged mother because she refused to give him money to purchase liquor, and the old lady died a few days later as the result of his blows.

A Popular Road House Burned.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 24.—Baders' Hotel, the well known stopping place for roadmen and bicyclists going to and from this city to Coney Island, and which was located at the southern exit of Prospect Park, was destroyed by fire at 4 a. m.

Selling Acquitted.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The trial of Joseph Selling, on a charge of having murdered John J. Wogan last Christmas morning in Tom Gould's saloon, resulted in a verdict of acquittal.

Mrs. Langtry Better.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Langtry rested much better last night. Her fever has much abated, and altogether her condition is such as to give great encouragement to her friends.

A Bank Director's Sudden Death.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—J. M. Fisk, a director of the American Exchange Bank, died suddenly at the office of the President of that institution shortly before noon.

Kittaning Iron Mill Shut Down.

KITTANING, Pa., Dec. 24.—The Kittaning Iron Mill has been shut down after a run of a couple of months. About two hundred men are thrown out of employment.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

FROM THE SOUTH SEAS.

Officers of a French Vessel Murdered and Eaten—Whites and Natives Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—Advices have been received here from the South Seas of some very bloody events. The Kanaka crew of the French vessel Constantine, recruiting in the New Hebrides, murdered the captain and mate, looted the vessel and turned her adrift. She went on a reef and became a total wreck.

M. Pasnia, owner of the Constantine, was shot, as was also Capt. Marie, whose corpse was cooked for a feast. Four Kanakas, who attempted to rescue the captain, were massacred.

While the vessel named Three Cheers was at Fead Island an attempt was made to arrest the chief and his son, who murdered a trader of the name of Coe. When Capt. Stalie of the Three Cheers demanded the chief he was shot dead by the latter's son.

Capt. Stalie's murderer was subsequently captured and shot.

The schooner Clara Jackson anchored off Admiralty Island and her mate put off in a boat manned by three of the crew. While bartering the mate was struck across the neck with a hatchet and again on the back, leaving two severe wounds. The mate drew revolvers and fired into the crew of natives. Capt. Duchart put off to the rescue and in the general fight which ensued a number of the crew were wounded, one fatally.

BALLOT STUFFERS FREED.

New Jersey's Pardon Court Makes a Wholesale Delivery.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 24.—All the Hudson county ballot box stuffers serving terms in the State prison were liberated yesterday, the Court of Pardons having paroled thirty-two and pardoned one, John A. Whelan. The Court was in secret session two hours, and while it was known there was strong opposition to releasing the convicts just what quarter it came from could not be learned.

Many friends of the prisoners gathered in the Executive chamber, all wearing anxious looks. When the announcement was finally made that the Court's action was favorable to all the men, their friends hastened to the State prison to carry the good news.

The pardon of Whelan was due to the fact that the evidence against him was not strong, and there was a fair presumption of innocence in his case.

The ballot box stuffers confined in the Snake Hill Penitentiary may have to serve their terms out. Their cases were not acted upon.

HAVE SUFFERED FOR WEEKS.

Pitiful Tale of Destitution Told by a Striking Miner's Wife.

MCKEESPORT, Pa., Dec. 24.—Mrs. James Campbell, wife of a striking miner living at Elizabeth has come to this city with a piteous story of her own and of her neighbors' sufferings for food, fuel and clothing in this severe winter weather. She talks intelligently of the situation, saying that all their troubles arose from the strike and that want in its most dreadful shape is being felt in many homes.

She says the people involved in this strike have been on the verge of absolute suffering for weeks, but that while the weather was not so cold they were able to conceal their condition from the outside world, in the fear that if their straits were known the operators would hold out to compel their men to go to work at the reduced rate.

Master Workman Dempsey's Case.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 24.—The general executive board of the Knights of Labor has determined to interest itself in the defense of Master Workman Dempsey, who is charged with complicity in the Homestead poisoning. To that end a member of the Board will visit Pittsburg next week and make a thorough investigation to report to the legal adviser of the order.

Green Goods Men Arrested.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 24.—Frank Graham, Robert Jarvis and Frederick Bowers were caught in the act of placing green goods circulars in a mail box in Jersey City yesterday. The men were brought to this city and taken before United States Commissioner Whitehead. They were held in $3,000 bail each.

Fire in the Everett Mills.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Dec. 24.—The Everett mills are shut down in consequence of a fire in the drying room of the dyehouse. No estimate of the loss can be given at present, but it will be heavy, and chiefly by water. Spontaneous combustion was the cause.

Archbishop Fabre to be Sued.

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—The directors of the "Canada Revue," which was banned by Archbishop Fabre for its attacks on Catholic clergy, have determined to take proceedings in civil courts against the Archbishop and ecclesiastical authorities for damages.

Eleven Were Hurt.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 24.—The iron supports to the roof of the power house, which is building for the City Passenger Railway company, on Baltimore street, corner of East street, fell yesterday afternoon and eleven men were injured. One man will probably die.

Four Wiped Out in Texas.

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 24.—In a battle with pistols and rifles at Arlington, in Tarrant county, yesterday afternoon, three men were instantly killed and one mortally wounded. The shooting was the culmination of an old feud.

Denial from Superintendent Byrnes.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Superintendent Byrnes denies the story that he contemplates resigning his position to accept the office of Chief of the Secret Service of the United States.

RUSHING FOR THE NEW DIGGINGS.

Excitement Intense Over the Gold Discoveries in Southern Utah.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 24.—The greatest gold fever that has struck Colorado since the Ruby and California Gulch diggings drew thousands of miners into these camps, has now complete possession of the West. Here, as well as in every camp in Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona, there is nothing talked of except the new placer fields of the San Juan River in South Utah.

At Durango, Rico and Dolores, this State, many outfits have already started for the new fields.

Mining men in almost every town are clubbing together and offering inducements to professional prospectors to visit the mines. At Albuquerque, New Mexico, and other points along the line of the Atlantic & Pacific, the excitement is intense, and railway officials and clerks have thrown up their positions and headed the great army of gold hunters.

The fact that of the many who have already gone into this country none have returned is strong evidence that the sand is rich enough to keep them there.

DAVITT UNSEATED.

Clerical Intimidation Charges Sustained By the Court.

DUBLIN, Dec. 24.—Mr. Justice O'Brien has rendered the decision of the court on the election petition against the return of Michael Davitt as M. P. for North Meath.

The decision deprives Mr. Davitt of the seat, on the same ground as that resulting in the unseating of Mr. Fellam, as M. P. for South Meath.

Mr. Davitt's counsel admitted that the evidence, so far as Bishop Nulty's pastoral denouncing the Parnellites was concerned, applied to North Meath equally with South Meath.

The decision, therefore, was a foregone conclusion, and Mr. Davitt had endeavored to forestall it by offering to give up his seat in order to present himself again as a candidate.

This could not be permitted, the court holding that it could act only upon evidence actually before it, and not upon admissions in advance of testimony.

103 YEARS OLD.

Death of Mrs. Diana Douty at Charlton, Mass.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 24.—Diana Douty, aged 103 years, 9 months, and 15 days, is dead at the home of her son, Bainbridge Douty, in Charlton, Mass.

She was well into her twenties at the time of the war of 1812 and she saw Lafayette in 1825. The event of her centennary was fittingly observed by her numerous descendants and relatives. One year ago she had an attack of the grip, but recovered. She retained all her faculties to a wonderful degree almost to the last.

Those Three Runaway Wives.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Dec. 24.—The three runaway wives who left this city Monday—Mrs. H. W. Tennant, Mrs. H. G. Cole and Mrs. C. W. Monette—have been traced as far as Worcester. A gentleman of this city saw them on an Albany train from Boston Monday afternoon. They appeared in the best of spirits, laughing and joking as far as Worcester, where the gentlemen left the train. From the conductor he learned that they had tickets for New York.

Mrs. Potter's Offer to Manager Miner.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Cora Urquhart Potter, now playing "Therese" at the Union Square Theatre, has offered to appear with her company at Miner's People's Theatre in the Bowery for the week beginning May 1, to satisfy a claim held by Mr. Miner for money advanced in bringing her before the public. She asked that Mr. Miner pay her $150 for hotel bills and $80 for cab hire during the week.

Verdict Against a Railroad Sustained.

ALBANY, Dec. 24.—In the case of Stillman P. Pratt, for the heirs of George W. Smith, a brakeman, killed by a train, vs. the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad Company, the Court of Appeals has affirmed the judgment of the General Term, affirming a judgment for $3,000 and costs in favor of plaintiff, and from the order denying defendant's motion for a new trial.

Careless Way of Conducting City Business.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 24.—The accounts of Frederick Waldron, ex-Clerk of the Board of Public Works, are now to be audited for the first time in ten years. Waldron says he is innocent of any defalcation, but he did not know whether he owed the city or the city owed him, and he had been waiting ever since he was removed a year ago, to have his accounts audited.

Nicols Gets a Verdict for $150.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The sealed verdict in the case of Capt. Hippolyte Nicols against Trumen Hemingway, treasurer of the Fencers' Club, when opened before Judge Daly in the Court of Common Pleas, showed that the jury had given Capt. Nicols, $150. The case had been on trial a week and he sued for $7,466 for breach of contract.

Actor Louis James to Marry.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—A license to marry has been issued here to Louis L. James, the actor, now performing at the Walnut Street Theatre, this city, who is to become the husband of Miss Alphie Hendricks. Mr. James, who is now starring jointly with Frederick Warde, was married some years ago to Marie Wainwright, but the two were divorced.

Assaulted By His Mother-in-Law.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 24.—Charles F. Anderson, a prominent coal and lumber dealer, has entered suit against Mrs. Margaret Henderson, the wife of a wealthy wholesale druggist of this city and the mother-in-law of the plaintiff, for assault and battery. The trouble is the outcome of a marriage not congenial to the girl's parents.

M'GLYNN'S RESTORATION

Will He Be Assigned to His Old Parish of St. Stephen's?

ARCHBISHOP CORRIGAN TO DECIDE.

What Concessions Have Been Made by the Priest or His Superior Not Known—Mgr. Satolli and Father Burtsell Settled the Case Last Night.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The famous case of Father McGlynn of St. Stephen's Church has finally been decided by the restoration to him of authority to perform his priestly functions.

The settlement of the case came within the scope of the general power vested in Monsignor Satolli, the Papal Legate, and the decision was promulgated by him last night at the Catholic University, where he is stopping.

The case was first formally presented to Mgr. Satolli on Wednesday last, by Father Burtsell, Dr. McGlynn's friend and adviser throughout the controversy with the Archbishop, which resulted in the suspension of the priest, and then his practical excommunication.

He presented the plea of the deposed priest, at the close of which Mgr. Satolli told him to return to New York and communicate to Dr. McGlynn a message from him (the Monsignor.) The purport of this message can only be surmised, but it is believed to have contained a statement of the concessions required to be made by him in order that his plea might receive favorable consideration.

Dr. McGlynn's reply was brought to Washington yesterday by Father Burtsell and he and Mgr. Satolli were in consultation over the matter.

The presence of Dr. McGlynn's friend in the city became known and as a result various reports were circulated as to the action of Mgr. Satolli in the matter. It had not been the intention of the Papal Legate to settle the case at this date, but at a late hour last night the following statement was furnished by a representative of Mgr. Satolli:

"To end the many contradictory telegrams sent out to the University for inquiry, it is thought expedient to state that at 9 o'clock p. m. Dr. McGlynn was declared free from ecclesiastical censures and restored to the exercises of his priestly functions after having satisfied the Pope's Legate on all the points in his case."

The effect of this decision by Mgr. Satolli is limited. It enables Father McGlynn to serve as priest in any parish to which he may be assigned. A return to his old fold at St. Stephen's is a subject for further consideration and must be settled, the authorities here say, by Archbishop Corrigan of New York.

Dr. McGlynn's Friends Jubilant.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The news that Dr. McGlynn has been restored to his ecclesiastical functions has been received here with rejoicing by his many friends. What concessions may have been made is not known. Dr. McGlynn, it is presumed, will publicly declare his contrition for his attacks upon the powers of the Church which he has made since his excommunication.

FLEEING FROM CHOLERA.

Great Alarm in Russian-Poland Over the Reappearance of the Pest.

VIENNA, Dec. 24.—The cholera is increasing in the province of Lubin, Russian Poland, and adjoining the Austrian border.

The consternation caused by the ravages of the cholera last autumn in that region had become allayed, but is again being aroused, and many of the people are fleeing from the cholera-stricken districts.

The fugitives are stopped at the Austrian frontier, if seen by the sentinels, but there is no doubt that many of them escape into Galicia and Austria proper.

The authorities on both sides of the border are doing all they can to prevent a panic, with the scenes of inhumanity, which accompanied the panic in autumn.

The report that emigration to America is virtually stopped has caused much disappointment, as, owing to dread of cholera and for other reasons, multitudes were preparing to emigrate during the coming spring.

Her Body Claimed.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., Dec. 24.—The remains of the woman who dropped dead on the steamer Florence when about to take passage for Philadelphia Thursday, and who, from papers found on her person, was supposed to be Miss Hedley, has been claimed. It is now learned that her real name was Miss Mary Hedley Clark. She was an herb doctor. Her body will be taken to Crosswick for burial. Miss Clark's father was at one time a well known local preacher at that place.

Helen Martin's Sentence Again Delayed.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 24.—The sentence of Mary Helen Martin, the young woman reporter charged with forgery, has again been delayed through the influence of her friends. Judge Moore said that he had, by request, postponed sentence now three times, and that if the woman hoped to escape punishment by delay, it would avail her nothing, as her offense had been too flagrant.

Justice Lamar's Condition.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 24.—Associate Justice Lamar has gone to Macon where he will spend the holidays with his wife's family. He is somewhat improved in health, but is still far from being a well man. His condition is not such, however, as to create any alarm, at least for the present.

Court of Appeals Adjourns.

ALBANY, Dec. 24.—The Court of Appeals has adjourned until Jan. 16, 1893. Six hundred and seventy-four calendar cases have been disposed of during the year. There are 383 cases yet remaining on the calendar.

To be Opened January 1.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 24.—The new Mansfield & Coshocton branch of the Fort Wayne road will be formally opened for traffic on Jan. 1, 1893. This line is 41 miles in length and extends from Mansfield, O., along the main line to Londonville and thence to Coshocton.

Delaware & Raritan Canal Closed.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., Dec. 24.—The Delaware & Raritan canal was officially closed yesterday. The last boat out was the barge William H. Hammersly for Philadelphia.

Note the date.

Marion Harland,

Author of "Common Sense in the Household," writes, February 5, 1892: "After long and careful trial of others, I prefer

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Marion Harland

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A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

Finding our present store space too small for our Holiday stock, we have removed the bulk of it up-stairs to the hall formerly occupied by the First Church of Christ. Here can be seen an excellent stock of first-class pianos. Agents for Chickering, Hazleton, Chase & Behning pianos, Story & Clark and Chase organs. The public is cordially invited to visit our rooms and examine these instruments. Open evenings. Tuning and repairing. Very respectfully yours,

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Y. C. A. rooms will be open as usual, Monday.

—Look at the holiday goods at 9 Park avenue to-day.

—Books, booklets, Christmas souvenirs of all kinds, at Estil's.

—Santa Claus will finish stocking up Christmas candies at Tier's to-night.

—The *Sabbath Recorder* republishes in full from THE PRESS Dr. Lewis's sermon on "Gambling".

—The offering to-morrow morning at the Crescent Avenue church will be for Muhlenberg Hospital.

—On Monday evening Christmas celebration by the Sunday-school of the German church will be held.

—Vanderbeek & Sattels, agents for Chickering, Chase, and Behning pianos. Everyone knows where their store is.

—Nothing is nicer for a Christmas gift than a selection from the silverware and jewelry at J. Hervey Doane's, 11 Park avenue.

—Last night was the coldest this season. At 6 this morning the thermometer was 10 above zero at North and Park avenues.

—Woolston & Buckle, the North avenue decorators, presented each of their twenty-eight workmen with a turkey this morning.

—The Jolly Three will give a grand ball in T. A. B. hall Monday evening. Admission will be 35 cents, and O'Reilly will furnish the music.

—People are commenting on the significance of the fact that snow and ice are permitted to remain so long in front of a local undertaker's office.

—The next regular meeting of the Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, will be held on Friday evening, the 30th inst., instead of Monday evening, the 26th.

—An old horse strayed into the yard at 46 Chatham street, yesterday. Marshal Pangborn put him out of his misery by knocking him in the head, and Jones & Co. did the rest.

—For the accommodation of their numerous customers, the United Tea and Coffee Growers' association will run wagons until 9 to-night. Leave your orders as early as possible.

—Children's service will be held in Grace church to-morrow at 3:30 p. m. The closing exercises, with distribution of gifts, etc., will take place in the chapel on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

—The class in singing at the Y. M. C. A. started last Friday night with a good attendance, and an opportunity is still offered to young men to join the class, which meets every Friday night.

—Vanderbeek & Sattels keep their store open evenings to accommodate the customers who do not find time during the day. They have the goods that are sure to please. At the same old store, 33 Park avenue.

—The primary department of Trinity Reformed Sunday-school will have their Christmas entertainment Thursday afternoon in the lecture room. Friday evening the main Sunday-school will have a magic-lantern exhibition, with slides loaned by the Camera club. The usual gifts will be distributed.

—The third class of the High school of which Miss Niles is teacher, is very proud of its Christmas decorations. The class room is trimmed with the class colors and evergreens. Over the door is a piece of mistletoe, and the boards are decorated with drawings. The members of the class are very energetic, and the class room is dressed prettier than any other in the building.

—The Woman's Auxiliary Board of Muhlenberg Hospital will make special efforts to render the Christmas celebration this year as joyful and memorable as possible for the unusual large number of patients and attendants. The tree will be lighted on Monday, at 2:30 p. m., and a cordial invitation is extended to the board of governors, the physicians, and everybody interested in the good work of the hospital.

—One of J. F. MacDonald's workmen turned the water supply into the steam boiler in the cellar the other evening, and then went away and forgot it. Fortunately Mr. MacDonald noticed a growing coldness and went down stairs to investigate. He found the boiler overflowing through the safety valve, the steam pipes full and the radiators just beginning to overflow in the second story. A half hour later the house would have been flooded from garret to parlor.

Bound Brook Joins in the Ecclesiastical Hegira.

The Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D., pastor of the Seventh-day Baptist church of Plainfield, preached at Bound Brook in the Congregational church, last Sunday morning. At the close of the service W. W. Smalley read the letter of resignation of the Rev. W. W. Jordon, as pastor of the church. During the perusal of it much emotion was visible in the audience, plainly showing the sorrow with which the letter was received.

Not Misinformed, But Ignorant.

(Bound Brook Chronicle.)

The Plainfield *News* on Tuesday informed its readers that "the first post-office opened its doors in America in 1810." Bound Brook's first postmaster, Joseph Mollison, was appointed on April 1st, 1805, so it would seem that our Plainfield contemporary is misinformed.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

EXTRA!

Latest News By Wire to THE PRESS.

A COLD CHRISTMAS.

Dunn Says It Will Be the Coldest Since 1875.

Christmas day (to-morrow) will break two records in a weather line, so Prophet Dunn promised this morning.

It will not only be the coldest day of this winter to date, but it will be the coldest Christmas since 1875.

This was what all the signs portended this morning, anyhow.

Up to this morning, to-day was the coldest day of the winter.

At 4 a. m. the prophet's thermometer stood at 12 deg. above. At 8 it was 13 deg.

By 11, however, it had jumped up to 15.

But, Mr. Dunn said, to-morrow morning early the thermometer would take a sudden drop and go at least as low as 5 deg. above, and most likely even lower.

That is all that is needed to make a record-breaker of the day.

MR. BLAINE'S CONDITION.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—"Mr. Blaine rested comfortably throughout the night and is better this morning," was the information given at his house to a reporter at 9 o'clock this morning.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Bishop Walker of Dakota will preach in Grace church on Sunday morning (Christmas Day) at 11.

Marshal Job Coddington, of North Plainfield was married at Somerville, last Saturday, by the Rev. Edward G. Read, to Anna C. Dodge of Hillsborough.

Dr. Carman performed the operation of bronchatomy on a grandchild of P. Casey the first of December. To-day the silver tube was withdrawn and the child's throat has resumed its natural functions.

The many friends of Joseph Beach will be pained to hear that he is ill at the residence of his granddaughter, Mrs. Harry Crawford, Williamsport, Pa. The nature of his illness is a light stroke of paralysis of the right side. He is the father of Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, of 45 East Second street.

Charles E. Doane, the builder, of this city, has been engaged by the editor of *Harper's Young People* to write a series of articles on carpentry. The first has been finished and submitted and will be published in the magazine early in the new year. These articles will be accompanied by diagrams and plans from accurate scale drawings made by Mr. Doane.

District Meeting of the Knights of Pythias.

District 13 of Knights of Pythias, which includes Plainfield, Elizabeth, Fanwood and Roselle, held its annual meeting in Perseverance lodge rooms, this city, last evening. District Deputy Johnson presided and all the grand officers were present.

During the evening brief remarks were made by P. G. C., Ulrich of Plainfield, G. C., Kilbourn of New Brunswick, V. C., Hayhurst of Lambertville, G. M. A., Donath of Jersey City, G. M. Ex., Wilson of Long Branch, G. I. G., Hiscock of Newark, and G. O. G., Rockafellow of Somerville.

The matter of most general interest was the appointment of the District Deputy for the coming year. A large majority hoped the honor would fall to Perseverance lodge and that that good Knight and popular fellow, Louis DeCamp, would be selected, but it is the turn of Goodwill lodge of Scotch Plains, and it was left in the hands of the Grand Chancellor to appoint whom he pleases.

A supper was served later in the evening.

Mr. Brown Leaves for the West.

Charles B. Brown started to-day on his long journey to Minneapolis. He will spend Sunday with friends in Buffalo. There is scarcely anyone who has left Plainfield in recent years who will be missed as much as Mr. Brown. Especially will this be the case in the First Baptist church. The scene last Sunday in his Bible class, as he bade them good-bye, was very affecting, and never will be forgotten. Of the 140 men present, nearly all were in tears.

As Mr. Brown's engagement in the west is only for one month, a strong effort in the meantime will be made to bring him back to Plainfield.

The people of Plainfield will wish Mr. Brown success in whatever work he may engage, and he leaves with the sincere regrets of all.

Language of Gems.

According to the ancients the stone which is sacred to December is the turquoise, its sentiment, "prosperity in love". The January token is the garnet, which stands for "constancy". This last sentiment, as meaning constancy to the principle of the best goods at the lowest prices, is reflected by all the precious stones at Collier's, where they can be had at bed-rock rates and in all varieties of artistic setting.

—Your gift to your friend will be a choice one if selected at Estil's.

The unprecedented sale of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup provokes competition; but the people cling to Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Desires to Bear Testimony.

Henry Thorne, traveling secretary of the Y. M. C. A., writes from Exeter Hall, Strand, London, February 2, 1888:

"I desire to bear my testimony to the value of ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS. I have used them for pains in the back and side arising from rheumatism and other causes never without deriving benefit from their application. They are easily applied and very comforting. Those engaged as I am in public work which involves exposure to sudden changes of temperature, will do well to keep a supply of ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS in their portmanteaus."

PLAINFIELD SPORTSMEN IN THE SOUTH.

Hunting for Game Among the Hills of Tennessee.

CAIN HOUSE,
MORRISTOWN, TENN, Dec. 20, '92.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Our little hunting party arrived here all safe and sound, Saturday, at 2:30 p. m., after a pleasant ride, although tedious. It was rather dull on Sunday, but we made some pleasant acquaintances in our walks about the borough, which has about 4,500 inhabitants. The authorities had an election for borough officers, Saturday—mayor, councilmen, etc. The town is Democratic, but that party "fused" and put up a "Citizens' ticket", which was the winner by a decided majority. Monday morning we started out in company with two local sportsmen, Joe Hill and Will Carnigar, and after driving some eight miles we found some fine shooting. We killed some 40 quail up to 3 o'clock, when it commenced to rain and we had to come home. That night snow fell to the depth of two inches. We ate some of the birds and gave the rest to the kind friends who had welcomed us to Tennessee. They are a very hospitable people here, and cannot do enough for you, when they once know you. Among our first acquaintances were Col. Tom Cain, former proprietor of the hotel, and his brother Jim, who promises us some good shooting. Col. Cain is one of the largest property-owners in the town, and is a power in politics. Of course he is a Democrat, like ourselves. We also met Col. Shields, who kindly takes us out to-morrow. This is a growing town, and is nicely situated. The roads, however, are not like ours. The soil is of sticky clay, and the land is very hilly and rolling. Of course we have had but little time to go about, on account of the weather, but expect to have a good time before we go back. There is one weekly newspaper here called the *Morristown Gazette*. I have met the editor and proprietor, and he is a gentleman and a live newspaper man. The Cain House, where we are stopping, is now kept by M. C. Thurman, and E. L. Johnson, manager, with Will F. Baker as clerk. To say that the house is run in a perfect manner is only to say that we Jerseymen are pleased and contented. The servants (colored) are obliging and attentive, and the fare is first-class.

W. L. F.

A Young Violinist Makes His Debut.

At the Christmas entertainment of the Crescent Avenue Sunday-school yesterday, Santa Claus and two of his children, through the instrumentality of C. Arthur Baynon, Miss Wilhelmina Patton and Master Harvey Fisk, appeared exclusively to the little folks in the afternoon. There was also a wonderful pump which pumped forth oranges. The rest of the entertainment was similar to what was given the older children in the evening.

At the latter performance Mr. Bryan of New York amused all with ventriloquism, Mrs. Alice Holmes-Faxon sang, and there was violin playing by some of the younger members of the school. These young men should be especially mentioned as it is their first appearance in public. They are Charlie Davis, Gilbert Lovell and Fred. Goddard, who with their teacher, P. Conde, played a quartette, the last three movements of which were well rendered. Charlie Davis played a solo, displaying considerable skill and decided taste especially in the little lullaby which he gave for an encore. He did credit to the careful instruction of his teacher.

By no means least worthy of mention were the packages of dry groceries, etc., ranging from a box of H. O. to a turkey whose legs protruded from his wrapper, which were brought by the scholars for Christmas dinners for those less favored than they. There were also bushels of fine potatoes which were the tickets of admission.

First Presbyterian's Christmas.

The First Presbyterian church programme for Christmas Day is as follows:

10:30—Sunday-school service.
Organ prelude.
Processional—School,
Invocation.
Hymn—"Hark the Herald Angels Sing."
Responsive reading.
Carol—"What Was It Long Ago?"
Prayer.
Carol—"Ring the Bells."
Carol—"Oh Star of Hope."
Children's sermon.
"Gold, Frankincense and Myrrh."
Carol—"Herald Star."
Offertory.
Hymn—"As With Gladness."
Benediction.

Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m., evening at 7:30. Christmas sermon by the pastor and special music. Young People's society at 7 p. m.

A Public Entertainment by the Children of Mary.

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J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

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D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

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Geo. R. Stillman, Secretary.

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H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

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DEATH OF AN OLD ENGINEER.

For 50 Years Employed by the Jersey Central, Till Within a Few Days of His Death.

Jacob S. Rockafellow, a resident of Dunellen familiarly known as "Strike", who died at Newark at his daughter's home, Monday, Dec. 19, and was buried there Wednesday at 2, was 68 years of age.

There is only one man older in the employ of the road—Peter DeCamp, who works in the Elizabethport shops. DeCamp helped to grade the road to Bound Brook, but has not run a locomotive as long as Rockafellow.

Rockafellow's first work for the original owners of the road, J. Stearns of Elizabeth, and Colket of Pennsylvania, consisted in unloading pine wood from cars brought in vessels from Virginia to Elizabethport. The road was at that time a horse railroad. When Stearns & Colket purchased it, they bought pine stringers and ties and spiked strap iron on the same. Sometimes these strap-irons became loose (called snakeheads) and ran up through the cars, killing passengers and throwing engines off the track. At one time Mr. Rockafellow assisted track boss Furman Campbell at Bound Brook, in 1843, to carry out a passenger who had been killed by one of these heads.

At the beginning there were but two engines, weighing about 10 tons each, and only two driving-wheels, one on each side. The passenger coaches had but two wheels under each end of the cars, and the cars were very short. The freight cars were painted green.

The steamboats at Elizabethport took the passengers and freight to New York. The steamboats were *Waterwitch* and *Cinderella*. They made four trips each day.

Stages ran from Easton to Plainfield to connect with the cars, but in the fall of 1841 they had the road completed to Somerville.

Mr. Rockafellow once worked at Greenbrook, handling ties, but in 1841 he went to work as wiper then as fireman; and, the engineer, Mr. Martin, soon leaving, he was promoted to engineer on the same locomotive, the *Philadelphia*, one of the only four owned by the company, the others were *Eagle*, *General Wall* and *Speedwell*.

Mr. Rockafellow met with many accidents and received injuries to such an extent that he was given the position of stationary engineer at Dunellen roundhouse, October 18, 1875, which position he held till his last illness.

If ever man deserved recognition from the company, he did. He died poor, and leaves a wife and three married daughters.

A diary was kept by Mr. Rockafellow till a short time before his death, containing a list of railroad accidents, including a number in which he was hurt. Mr. Rockafellow was a Democrat, and voted for Cleveland before he went to Newark to visit his daughter where he died.

AN OLD LANDMARK GONE.

Good-bye to the "Yellow Tavern"—How Our Daddies Used to Evade Paying Toll.

[Bound Brook Chronicle.]

The old Elm Park Hotel, otherwise known as the Yellow Tavern, is being demolished by Dr. Pierce, who bought it in connection with his other recent real estate purchases in the Eastern District. It is being torn down to make room for a coal dump which the Central Railroad company proposes to build there for G. DeWitt Garretson.

The Yellow Tavern is one of the old landmarks of Bound Brook. Our venerable fellow-citizen, John Bush, was asked about it yesterday and he said that the hotel had been there as long as he could remember, and his recollection goes back easily for seventy years.

In the good old days before New Jersey had railroad and canal facilities, fifty or sixty years since, Raritan Landing, just this side of New Brunswick, the head of tidewater navigation in the Raritan, was the favorite shipping point of farmers. Here they came with wagons laden with grain and other farm produce, drawn by four horses, and frequently teams from the vicinity of Easton would consist of six horses. That was the palmy age of country tavern keepers, and these taverns strung along the road between New Brunswick and Easton were often taxed to their utmost capacity to provide entertainment for all who required it.

To escape the toll fees between Bound Brook and the Landing many teams drove over into Middlesex, and in this way the Yellow Tavern came in for a large share of trade.

When the Delaware and Raritan Canal and the Central railroad were built they diverted the traffic from the highways and the usefulness of the country taverns became a thing of the past. The old "Yaller" has been a nuisance for years until it fell into the hands of Dr. Pierce, whom we may well thank for wiping it out of existence.

Since the above was written we have learned from the venerable Michael Garretson that the Yellow Tavern was kept about 75 years ago by Elijah Chamberlain. At that time it was a stopping place for Pennsylvania farmers who carted all their produce to New Brunswick. It was very common to see their covered wagons with four and six horses standing in a line for half-a-mile, over night. These teams were driven with one rein. Many teams consisted of four horses with a fifth horse as a leader. The drivers always slept in their wagons, each wagon being supplied with a watch dog that guarded the property while the drivers resorted to the famous Yellow Tavern to spend the early evening hours and sometimes the entire night.

At the gum spring, just below where Dennis Vermeule now lives, at or before this time a distillery and grocery were kept by Jeremiah Garretson, grandfather of Henry J. Garretson, now living near the Five-mile lock. This also was a favorite stopping place.

The farm now owned by the Rev. J. B. Cleaver of Plainfield was then famous for the races occurring there, it having a mile track where the best running races were held. The famous "Yellow" would receive the winners and the vanquished, who, standing by their steeds, would arrange new races. At that time the Harris Lane races were the talk of all this section of New Jersey.

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CHRISTMAS NIGHT'S TREAT.

The Grandest Drama Ever Presented in Plainfield, to be Given at Music Hall.

The Christmas attraction at Music Hall will be Walter Sanford's elaborate production of William Haworth's sterling, successful play "A Flag of Truce".

A play coming from the author of that glorious Naval drama "The Ensign" (a play which holds a place in the war literature of the stage side by side with "Shenendoah" and "Held by the Enemy") is undoubtedly an event of no ordinary occurence in the history of the American drama.

In the present play the very pinnacle of dramatic writing has certainly been reached.

The story told is one of love and war, the former elaborated, the latter merely suggested; the actual presence of the grim god of battle is done away with, and the murky smoke of musketry and canon forms but a martial frame for the prettier domestic picture of the quaint new England home where the action of the play is laid.

In confiding his drama to the experienced management of Walter Sanford the author has shown admirable judgment, for all of Mr. Sanford's productions have been marked for a liberality of scenic display and a perfection of artistic acting that has made his name a household word with our theater-goers, and in "A Flag of Truce" he has surpassed all his former efforts. He has so far encroached upon the realm of realism that he has robbed the stage of its artificiality and presented an actuality astounding in its realistic features. The great scene of the play represents a stone quarry in full operation, the hissing steam, the clank of the giant drills upon the actual stone, the muffled report of the mighty blast as it splinters the rugged rock into a thousand pieces, the ring of hammer, pick and spade, and such kindred sounds of sturdy, honest toil are all really reproduced in this thoroughly accurate picture of work-day life.

The genuine giant "Rand" steam drills are guided by the practiced hands of skilful quarrymen engaged especially for this scene, the powerful blast is handled by experienced blasters from the Rhode Island quarries, the ponderous hoisting derrick is one of actual size and power, lifting fully 20 feet from the stage a massive boulder weighing 1,800 pounds. Under this huge stone the hero of the piece is placed tightly bound and gagged, and as the mammoth derrick swings around with its chains alone holding the swaying rock, as the clank of cog is heard, as the chains pull taut under the suspended weight, as the lever in the hand of the revengeful villain begins to move and the neatly-balanced rock slowly descends bringing with it apparent death and annihilation to the suffering soul below—a mighty blast occurs obscuring the stage with dust-clouds of powdered stone and leaving the fate of the intended victim a point for the further story to decide.

The positive excellence of manager Sanford's other attractions "The Power of Gold", which had such an enormous success at Music Hall, last week, "The Struggle of Life", and "My Jack", is sufficient guarantee that in this production, both as regards mise-en-scene and a powerful interpreting company, he will protect that confidence which the theater-going public has already accorded him.

The Good Have Gone; the Unregenerate Remain.

[Bound Brook Chronicle.]

THE CHRONICLE office seems to be a good training school for those ministerially inclined. The Rev. T. S. Rush and the Rev. W. O. Cone, of Alamosa, Col., are two bright lights in the constellation, but upon inquiry we find that there is no immediate prospect of any of our present force following their excellent example.

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[CHRISTMAS DAY.]

Mr. LaBoyteax will lead the services to-morrow afternoon at 4 in Reform Hall.

Meetings will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms to-morrow at 9:15 a. m. and 4 p. m.

E. B. Clark will conduct the meeting at the Mt. Pleasant school-house to-morrow evening.

A meeting will be held as usual at the Memorial chapel at Washingtonville, to-morrow evening.

At Bethel chapel, to-morrow, there will be morning service at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8.

In the Park Place M. E. chapel to-morrow evening at 7:25 there will be a sermon by the Rev. C. E. Scudder, and singing by a large chorus.

Mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph's church to-morrow at 8:30 a. m., and High Mass at 10:30. Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m. and vespers at 8.

Seeley Edsall will conduct the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4:15. The meetings for some time past have increased each week.

Services will be held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest to-morrow at 11 a. m. The Rev. Mr. Appleton of New York will officiate and administer the Holy Communion.

At St. Mary's church to-morrow masses will be celebrated at 6, 7:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 a. m. Vespers will be held at 3 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

The services in Hope chapel to-morrow will be: Preaching service at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; song service and preaching, 7:45 p. m. G. Kennedy Newell, pastor, will preach.

Services will be held in the German church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. only, with Holy Communion after the service. There will be preaching by the Rev. F. Koechli, and Sunday-school at 9:15 a. m.

In the Methodist Episcopal church, to-morrow, the Rev. Dr. J. L. Hurlbut will preach morning and evening. The evening sermon, on the subject "Memories of Bethlehem" will be illustrated with the stereopticon.

In the Monroe Avenue M. E. chapel to-morrow there will be morning service at 11, with preaching by the Rev. C. E. Scudder; in the afternoon at 3 the school will meet with the home school. There will be preaching by James McGee at 8 p. m.

In Grace church to-morrow, the Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, will officiate. There will be early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a.m.; morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion at 11; Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 4:30.

In the Crescent Avenue church [the Rev. Wm. R. Richards, D. D., pastor], there will be, to-morrow, morning services at 10:30. The Crescent Avenue, Bethel and Hope schools will have a Union Christmas service in the church at 3:30 p. m. A praise service will be held at 7:30 p. m.

In the Church of the Holy Cross to-morrow the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector, will officiate. There will be celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 a. m., morning prayer, sermon and second celebration at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and special music at the afternoon service at 4:30.

In All Souls' church to-morrow services with Christmas music will be held at 10:45 a. m. The Sunday-school will unite with the congregation. The pastor, the Rev. Hobart Clark, will preach on "The Coming of the Christ". Evening service will be held at 7:45; subject of sermon, "Christmas Giving".

German Lutheran services will be held by St. Peter's congregation to-morrow in Warren Mission chapel at 10:30 a. m., and Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. The Rev. Edward Kionka, pastor, will officiate. At 7 p. m. there will be Christmas for the Sunday-school at 73 West Front street, Hulett's conservatory of music.

In the Trinity Reformed church, to-morrow, services appropriate to Christmas will be held. In the morning at 10:30 there will be special music and sermon by the pastor on the subject "The Great Christmas Gift". In the evening at 7:30 a Christmas service entitled "Hail to the King" will be rendered by the Sabbath-school.

In the Warren Union mission chapel to-morrow the Sunday-school and friends will meet at 2:30. The exercises throughout will consist of singing and recitations appropriate to Christmas time. The evening service will begin at 7:45, and will be a Christmas service also, conducted by Frederick Moon. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

In the Congregational church to-morrow the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor, will conduct morning service at 10:30 and preach a Christmas sermon. Christmas music will be rendered by a quartette. The Sunday-school will hold at 2:45 p. m. a Christmas service, and the Christian Endeavor society have arranged for special music at the evening service at 7:30.

In the Church of Our Saviour, to-morrow, the Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector, will officiate. There will be Holy Communion at 7 a. m., morning prayer, Holy Communion and sermon at 11, and evening prayer at 4. Two free stages will leave the railway station on North avenue in the morning, for the church, at 6:30 and 10:30, and return at the conclusion of the services.

In the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow, the Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor, will preach at 10:30: theme, "Christmas Star". Choir anthems, "Jubilate Deo" (Sudds), "Hark the Angels Sing" (Koffler), "And there were Shepherds" (Danks), will be sung. In the evening at 7:45, Sunday-school service, "The Prince of Peace", will be given, consisting of recitations and anthems. Mrs. E. Spicer of Brooklyn will render the solos.

Dr. Snowball Injured.

The Flemington *Republican* says Dr. J. W. Snowball, formerly of this city, was severely injured on the Pennsylvania railroad at Trenton, Tuesday. It is customary at that point to shift a Belvidere Division car to the rear of the Philadelphia train. It was while this was being done that Dr. Snowball was injured. The cars came together with great force, throwing the doctor violently to the floor, breaking two or three ribs and otherwise injuring him. Two or three other passengers were also injured. The ice on the rails is said to have caused the accident.

Dr. Snowball has many friends in Plainfield who will regret to learn of his mishap.

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Plainfield Loafers Abroad.

(Dunellen Weekly Call.)

It is reported that a most disgraceful fight occurred in a well-known unlicensed resort in town last Sunday afternoon, between two Plainfielders. The owner of the place was obliged to bring out a gun before he could stop the trouble. One of the participants was pretty badly done up and looked as if he had been through a threshing machine. If a person will take the trouble to go to the station any Sunday night to meet the down train at 7:02 they will find some pretty tough looking people who have perhaps spent a large part of the day in town drinking and carousing and having a lively time. These people are all ready to make a disturbance and have a fight. We are unprotected as far as patrol service is concerned, and this class of people know it. That is the reason so many come here. There should be some way provided to have this disgraceful habit stopped. Dunellen is composed of quiet, law-abiding citizens, and it is a shame for the good name of the town to be tarnished by some loafers from other places.

Christmas Music at Trinity Church.

There will be special music at Trinity Reformed church to-morrow under the direction of T. E. Hazell, as follows:

MORNING SERVICE.

TeDeum.....I. N. Metcalf
Gloria.....Danks
Hymn—Adeste Fideles.
Hymn—Herald Angels.....Mendelssohn
Anthem—Jesus Hail.....G. W. Warren
Hymn—It Came Upon the Midnight Clear, R. S. Willis
Anthem—He Shall Reign Forever....C. Simper

EVENING.

Sunday-school service—Music by W. L. Mason
Anthem—Sing O Heavens.....C. Simper

Christmas Tea To-Night.

Miss Rachel Mair, Mrs. G. H. VanNest, Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, Mrs. Jacob Voehl and Miss C. R. Yates, of the evangelistic committee, announce that the praise and song service in W. C. T. U. rooms this evening will be followed by a "Christmas Tea" to which a cordial invitation is extended to those interested in the meetings, and other friends. Recitations and music are on the programme, and a general good time is expected.

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DEATHS.

HETFIELD—Near Two Bridges, Fanwood township, Thursday, Dec. 22, 1892, Daniel Hetfield, aged 92 years, 1 month and 23 days. Funeral services at his late residence Sunday, Dec. 25, at 1 p. m. 2

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A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company from Algiers says that the French cardinal Lavigerie is dead. By the death of Cardinal Lavigerie the Roman church loses one of its greatest princes, perhaps the most widely known of any, and eminent alike for learning, for piety, and for devotion to the cause of liberty. Throughout his career he was famed as the aggressive, relentless and successful foe of the slave trade in the recent movement, for the suppression of which no one was more noted than he. He also distinguished himself as the friend of republican institutions, and upon him the monarchist parties of France lay the blame for the destruction of their hopes and the dispersal of their followers.

He was born in Bayonne in 1825 and was carefully educated at St. Sophia. So diligent and so brilliant was he in theology and in the classics that the archbishop of Paris urged his appointment to the distinguished position of professor of ecclesiastical history at the Sorbonne, and secured it from the minister of public instruction. His learning and his address won him many ecclesiastical honors while he held this office, and at last he became attached to the papal court in a comfortable position. In 1863 he became bishop of Nancy, and soon afterward Napoleon III. made him a member of the imperial council of public instruction.

About this time a number of eminent Frenchmen, taking up with the emperor's idea of increasing France's greatness by colonization, formed a league for promoting French influence in Africa and Asia. Bishop Lavigerie set out upon extensive travels in their interest, and, in Africa and Asia, saw the slave trade in all its horror. He set himself actively in opposition to it, and when he became bishop of Carthage and of Algiers he had the

CARDINAL LAVIGERIE.

opportunity of doing great work against it. Eloquent with pen and with tongue, insensible to personal danger, and careless of offending high persons if he felt sure that he was right, he made many enemies, but finally brought about the most radical reforms. The pope recognized his zeal and his talents by bestowing the red hat upon him.

In this position his influence was vastly increased and he set himself, when the republic was firmly founded in France, to offset the intrigues of the monarchist parties by withdrawing the sanction of the Catholic church from them. For many years the monarchists felt secure from him and relied firmly upon the ancient friendliness of the popes for the monarchical order of things in France. Pope Leo was himself in sympathy with the cardinal's ideas and destroyed the monarchists by his famous statement, which practically enjoined the Catholics of France, who were the monarchists, to yield to the new order of things and give in their allegiance and submission to the republic. This crowning triumph of Cardinal Lavigerie's life came just long enough before his death for him to realize how excellent his judgment had been.

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For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1 00, 6 57, 7 00 9 05, A. M., and 3 28 P. M. On Sunday at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05 A. M., 3 39 P. M. or Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 52, 9 05, 9 35, 10 05, 11 57 A. M.; 12 55, 1 39, 4 04, 5 10, 6 37, 7 45, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 35, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 7 47 and 9 39 P. M.

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For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 56, 11 57 A. M.; 12 55, 1 39, 3 48, 4 04, 5 10, 6 37, 7 45, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 35, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 7 47 and 9 39 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M.; 2 54 and 5 15 P. M.

For Lambertville and Phillipsburg only, 1 39 P. M.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 54 P. M.

For Bordentown, Burlington and Camden via Trenton—7 59, 11 57 A. M. 1 39, 2 54, 7 45 P. M. Sundays at 10 41 A. M. and 7 47 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 38, 6 05, 6 29, 6 59 7 26, 7 55, 7 58, 8, 9 15, 9 27, 9 51, 9 48, 9 52, 10 04, 10 27 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 20, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 43, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 9 32, 10 12, 11 25, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 6 01, 8 02, 11 16, 11 43 A. M., 12 28, 1 43, 3 20, 5 16, 7 01, 7 10, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 30, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1 night, Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 46 9 33, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02 2 20, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 43, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 12 11 25 P. M. Sunday—6 01, 8 02, 11 43, A. M., 12 28, 1 43, 3 20, 5 16, 7 10, 8 32, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 18, 7 50, 8 55, 10 05, 11 36 A. M., 1 05, 2 20, 3 36, 4 05, 4 33, 5 05, 5 35, 5 50, 6 20, 7 12, 7 35, 9 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 48, 9 50, 10 25, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 20, 4 10, 5 40, 6 08, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 43, 11 a.m. 12 27 1 59, 3 22, 4 45, 4 56, 5 05, 5 30, 5 54, 6 04, 6 20, 6 38, 7 13, 8 20, 9 37, 11 13, 12 43 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28, 9 34, 11 18 A.M., 2 03, 5 28, 6 14, 6 35, 10 16, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 50, 7 08, 7 25, 7 55, 7 48, 8 20, 9 05, 9 47, 11 05 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 3 05, 3 25, 4 50, 5 22, 5 35, 5 41, 5 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 3 25, 11 15 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 08, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 8 17, 9 43, A. M., 1 59, 4 20, 6 38, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M. 2 03, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 39, 11 18 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 5 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 43 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

9 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 5 58, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 57, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 20 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 20, 9 43, 10 45, a. m., 1 59*, 3 04, 4 56*, 6 20* 8 07 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 46, 11 16 a. m., 2 09*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 20, 9 43, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 59, 3 04, 5 34, 6 55, 8 07 p. m., 1 17 night; Sunday—9 34, 11 16, a. m., 2 09, 5 14, 6 55 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 43, a. m., 2 14, 4 18, 5 34* (6 30* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 night. Sundays—9 43 a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 14* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 17, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,

Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 30, 11 05, a. m., 1 30, 3 15*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 8 02, 8 45, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—2 55, 9 20, 9 20, 11 18, a m 2 22*, 6 20, 8 15, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 3 15 a m., 3 23*, 6 20, 8 18*, p. m

1 Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 00, 9 02, 10 12, 11 09, a. m. 3 08, 4 09*, 4 40, 5 54, 6 59, 8 02, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m. 4 10*, 8 13, 7 07, 9 09* p. m.

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Being independent of any beer brewery, and acting upon the advice of my numerous customers to make a change for a better quality of beer, I was compelled to refuse to sell or handle any more of the Ballantine brand and decided to introduce Bartholomay's Rochester beer, which I am pleased to state has given the best of satisfaction. Many of my best patrons objected to receive the Ballantine beers, and in a great many instances it was returned. My relations with Ballantine & Co. have been the most pleasant, I having to-day received a check from that firm for $225.47 that was due me from them, and I am indeed very sorry that my old friends are forced to go up country to get some one to handle their goods.

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8 4 y-t t s

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The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man. Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

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9 19 6m

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IS SULLIVAN INSANE?

His Late Backers of the Opinion That He Is.

CORBETT MAKES A FEW REMARKS

Says That John L.'s Talk of Being Doctored at New Orleans Is All Bosh, and That He Can Whip the ex-Champion in Four Rounds.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Jim Corbett's angry reply to John L. Sullivan's allegation that he had been drugged and duped at New Orleans when he fought the Californian, had its effect on the ex-champion, for he immediately began to drink heavily and to make things unpleasant around the Vanderbilt Hotel. Last night, though, his spirit seemed to be broken entirely, fyr he sat down and cried like a child over his defeat. He exclaimed:

"Corbett licked me when I was a physical wreck and the shadow of John L. Sullivan of six years ago. I have been wronged and treated dirty because my good nature permitted it. Give me another chance! Give me another chance and I'll show the world what I can do!"

It is the general opinion among most sporting people here that the backer he accuses of drugging him and then betting on Corbett, is Jimmy Wakely, but there is no evidence which warrants such a statement. Wakely, when seen last night concerning Sullivan's statement and the reflections it casts on his character, was very indignant.

"Sullivan is going crazy," said he, "for I am sure that if his mind is not weak he would never make such awful remarks. I have been told that, although he mentions no names that I am the person accused. Heaven be my judge, I never injured that man in my life, but instead I treated him like a brother. Drink has been the cause of his ruin and nothing else."

Charley Johnson, his other backer, was in an angry mood over what Sullivan had said. He refused to talk at length on the subject. He believes, too, that Sullivan is losing his mind and fears the future.

All the talk has arisen from what he said shortly after he arrived from Washington. Taking a locket from his watch-chain, he said to a reporter:

"See that locket? Well, I'll open it and show you my mother's hair. Well, I swear by that bit of hair that I was foully treated in New Orleans when I fought Corbett.

"He never defeated me. No, never. Others did win the battle for him, I wasn't John L. Sullivan that night. After the first two rounds I couldn't see Corbett. I didn't know where he was. I was in a trance.

"That leg," continued Sullivan, pointing to his left, "has never been the same since I fought in New Orleans, and the other is little better. Corbett didn't knock me out, he knocked me down, but I couldn't get up. My legs would not hold my body. They were powerless and had evidently been doctored.

"I was treated badly, yes, shamefully. One man who pretended to be my friend and backer, I have found to be an enemy in disguise.

"The ex-Champion Must be Insane."

"He is responsible for my defeat. He is supposed to have had a part of my stake.

"As God is my judge, that man did not have a cent to bet on me. He backed me with money belonging to another man while he posed as my financial ally.

"The combination in New Orleans at the time of the Olympic Club's carnival was McAuliffe, Dixon and Sullivan. I was the biggest favorite of the three and was beaten for the benefit of the gamblers.

"Well, you can say for me I will be champion of the world again. Corbett can't beat me. I will fight him once more. I can get lots of backing. Notwithstanding reports to the contrary, I am just as strong as ever I was in my life, with the exception of my legs. I admit that I cannot fight as fast as I used to, but I can fight well enough to beat Corbett.

"I intend to fight Corbett after my theatrical engagements are over. I will go to Hot Springs and train there for two months. I will boil all the bad stuff out of my system, harden my muscles, and be as fit to fight for the championship almost as well as ever in my life."

CORBETT'S ANSWER.

He Says John L. is a Baby and that He Can Whip Him in Four Rounds.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Corbett is in this city. The Sullivan interview made him boiling mad. He said: "Say for me that I think it very unkind of Sullivan to try to take away any credit which I have gained and which I am entitled to.

"If he thinks he can lick me why don't he fight? I will fight him for $10,000 a side, or as much as he likes, next October, when our theatrical engagements are closed. If he hasn't got the backers I will fight him without the backing.

"We will settle it for the purse. I feel sorry for the man. Send word to Sullivan that I say that I can lick him in four rounds. He is very lucky that I did not knock him out quicker than I did.

"Why, it is a fact that when I sparred with him at his benefit he sent just five men to me asking if I would go light with him. Up to the present time I have had nothing but kind words for him, but now I must say he is acting like a big loafer and is playing the baby act.

"It makes me tired to read his snivelling interviews. Sullivan is now fighting with his mouth, and that is about all he will do. I say now, without swearing by my mother's hair, that Sullivan will never be champion as long as I am able to walk. I'm done saying pretty things about him.

"As far as being drugged is concerned, I don't believe it. But that talk is all well enough to create sympathy. Why, that man had simply mesmerized the people of this country before I met him. People thought he was a great fellow. If I had known that he was made of such flimsy stuff I would have done him quicker than I did.

"Please convey my compliments to Mr. Sullivan and tell him that I say I am willing to fight him in October.

"I want to convince him once and for all that he is no longer champion and isn't going to be. If he wants to fight now is the time to sign papers and make arrangements. If he doesn't mean to fight then he will please shut his mouth and retire to his proper place."

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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TRIAL OF THE VESUVIUS.

The Dynamite Cruiser and Her Guns to be Severely Tested.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Not quite appropriate to the season of "peace and good will," the Navy Department gives out a statement that it has mapped out a most exhaustive programme for the trial of the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius and her guns.

It is the desire of the department to determine once for all just what may be expected of this craft in time of need.

Shots will be fired at moving and stationary targets and with the vessel herself moving at varying degrees of speed.

The most interesting feature of the trial will be the six shots, each loaded with 500 pounds of high explosives, fired at a moving target, consisting of a condemned hulk.

This, it is supposed, will give a practical illustration of the ability of the Vesuvius to carry out the purpose for which it was built, viz., to sink the ship of an enemy at the distance of a mile.

Eighty-four shots in all will be fired, sixty-six blanks and thirteen loaded with emmensite and gun cotton.

Emmensite is supposed to be the high explosive of the future. The success which has attended experiments with this explosive has prompted the naval ordnance bureau to construct specially a seven-inch rapid fire gun for further experiments.

The expectation is that with the application of the rapid-fire type of breech-mechanism, now used on the five and six-inch rapid-fire guns, to this new weapon it will be entirely safe and practicable to fire four or five rounds per minute with shells loaded with from 50 to 60 pounds of emmensite.

It is expected, too, that with smokeless powder as the propelling force, the shells fired from this weapon will be given a velocity of 2,500 per second, thus affording the highest degree of penetration expected of unloaded shells fired from high-powered guns.

If these shells burst detonatively at will, as claimed, a few minutes' fire at the rapid rate estimated would mean destruction to any unarmored ship or any armored craft whose vitals are not covered by more than six inches of steel.

The new gun will be 20 calibres long, or just half the length of the latest type of 6-inch guns built by the naval ordnance bureau.

Nickel steel will be used, and its construction will be practically the same as that proposed for the new 8-inch weapon of special design, which is to be assembled by a means proposed by William Sellers of Philadelphia. It will have only three principal parts, a tube, an inner and an outer jacket.

The high explosive shells will be put up in metallic cases in the same manner as the fixed ammunition used in all rapid-fire guns.

WYOMING'S BIG FIRE.

The Little Village Visited by a $100,000 Conflagration.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 27.—The village of Wyoming, in Wyoming county, was visited by the most severe fire in its history yesterday.

The fire broke out in a bakery at 5:30 o'clock and before its course could be stayed, it had burned the Methodist Episcopal Church, six stores, seven dwellings and three barns.

The village was entirely without fire protection and finally a building was blown up with gunpowder and the fire was stopped. Nine families are left homeless.

The loss is estimated at $100,000, almost entirely covered by insurance.

$1,000,000 LOST ON WHEAT.

E. S. Corser & Co., Minneapolis Real Estate Men, Go Under.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 27.—The failure of the old real estate firm of E. S. Corser & Co., is announced. The liabilities will reach $1,000,000, but it is thought the assets will more than cover all obligations. The cause was speculation in wheat.

The firm could readily have obtained abundant assistance if they had been willing to accept it.

E. S. Corser is president of the Real Estate Board and has just declined a re-election.

Freycinet Not to Resign.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily News says: "The report that M. de Freycinet will resign from the Cabinet is unfounded, or at least premature. M. de Freycinet is incapable of fingering bribes, yet he shuts his eyes to the doings of those around him, but he is careful not to give offense. If he had been as exacting of morality in others as in himself, he could not have worked seven years with Rouvier, hating nobody and nothing. M. de Freycinet's worst weakness is his incapacity for righteous indignation."

Long Island City's Election Dispute.

LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Assistant City Clerk Hayes, in compliance with the order issued by Justice Bartlett in Brooklyn on Saturday, compelling him to return the election returns of the last election to the election inspectors for correction, went to the city clerk's office and found some of the returns were missing. The police deny that any of the returns have been taken away, and further complications in the election dispute will now likely arise.

To Establish Free Catholic Schools.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 27.—Bishop Maas, of the Roman Catholic church in Covington, Ky., caused to be announced in the churches in that city that hereafter one of the Roman Catholic parochial schools would be free to pupils. The cost of the school has been made by private contributions. It is said that an effort will be made to put all the parochial schools on the same footing.

VARNUM'S AWFUL DEED

He Was Out of Work and Had Become Despondent.

THE MOTHER-IN-LAW STILL ALIVE.

Not Thought That She Can Recover—The Machinist Had Always Borne a Good Reputation—Details of the Double Murder and Suicide at Worcester.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 27.—Henry C. Varnum, the man who committed the terrible murders discovered yesterday, came to this city from Sharon, Vt., early in September. He had kept a blacksmith shop in Sharon, where, besides doing all sorts of odd jobs, he had manufactured kitchen utensils.

He had an attack of the grip last winter and since then had been subject to fits of despondency and melancholia. His relations in this city, fearing that he would commit suicide and thinking the change would benefit him in mind and body, induced him to come here.

He soon found employment as a machinist in the shop of L. L. Pollard and then hired the tenement on Taintor street and sent for his family, which consisted of his wife, an adopted daughter, Florence, and his wife's mother-in-law, Mrs. Wright.

Varnum appeared more cheerful until five weeks ago, when he left his employment owing to some dissatisfaction on the part of both his employer and himself. He has since that time been more and more despondent and his brooding over his troubles resulted in the tragedy.

The family lived quietly and to all appearances happily. Mrs. Varnum was a regular attendant at Hope Congregational Church where she sang in the choir. Her husband and daughter often accompanied her.

Mrs. Varnum was not present at any of the church services Sunday and the pastor, Rev. W. W. Phillips, remarked the absence and expressed some surprise, saying that Mrs. Varnum was not the sort of a woman to stay at home because it was cold.

Mr. Phillips had occasion yesterday to make a call near Taintor street and in passing the house thought he would find out if anything was the matter. He rang the Varnum bell but received no answer and called up the lower tenant and later the occupant of the middle dwelling, Mrs. F. F. Hall, who said she had not heard anything from the Varnums and that she felt nervous about them. She also said that the door upstairs was open.

Mr. Phillips went up stairs immediately and entered the apartments through the parlor. The rooms were very cold and the furniture undisturbed. He passed through the parlor into the back parlor and then into the kitchen. He then pushed open the door of the bedroom leading off from the kitchen and a terrible sight met his eyes.

Lying on the bed, covered with blood were Mr. Varnum and his wife. The man was quite dead but the woman was breathing heavily. In a cot in a corner of the room lay the child, turned over on her face also dead. Mr. Phillips waited to see no more but rushed down stairs to the office of the Knowles Loom Works, where he telephoned for the police.

When the police arrived the mother, Mrs. Wright, was discovered in an adjoining room. She was conscious but not able to speak though she understood what was said to her and made several ineffectual attempts to articulate.

The bodies of the man and child were removed by the undertaker and the two women were carried to the hospital. The younger woman died just as the ambulance stopped at the hospital door.

The weapon with which the awful deed was committed was an iron door hanger, an iron strap about fifteen inches long headed by a cylindrical knob. The instrument weighed fully four pounds. Varnum himself was killed by a stab from a knife, identified as his own. He was cut in the region of the heart.

There were no other marks upon his body. Medical Examiner Keefe, who examined the bodies, says that the deed was done early Sunday morning. The bodies of the man and child when found were stiff, and water in the kitchen was frozen.

There was no sign of violence about the house outside of the bedrooms. Mrs. F. E. Hall, who lives in the tenement below, says that she heard a slight sound from the child about 5 o'clock Sunday morning and a moment later the sound of footsteps. The noises ceased immediately and she thought nothing of them.

The aged mother, who is the only one who could possibly give the exact details of the madman's work, is still unable to speak on account of the injuries to her face and jaw. She is resting comfortably at the hospital, but is not expected to recover.

Father Henrici's Successor.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 28.—The body of Father Henrici, the dead leader of the Harmonists, was laid out in the "Great House" at Economy yesterday and viewed by many hundreds. The remains will be interred this afternoon in the Economite cemetery with simple service. John Duss, the Junior Trustee, is in charge of the society and will be elected successor to Father Henrici.

Ex-Consul General to Hawaii Dead.

CHILLICOTHE, O., Dec. 27.—Capt. J. H. Putnam, who was Consul-General to Honolulu under President Cleveland, is dead. He was an ex-State Senator, was private secretary to Gov. Allen, and was a well-known newspaper man.

Drunken Man Burned to Death.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 27.—John Purdy, an employe of the Westinghouse Air-Brake company, arrested for intoxication, was burned to death in the lockup at Wilmerding, Pa., before help could reach him.

TO CONFER WITH MR. CLEVELAND

Speaker Crisp Expected to Come to New York To-day.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Speaker Crisp will arrive in New York to-day, and whatever else may be assigned as the motive for his visit his chief reason for going is to see President-elect Cleveland. He has, it is said, been much disturbed of late by the stories which have come to him of opposition to his re-election as Speaker. Mr. Cleveland's alleged expressed admiration of W. L. Wilson, of West Virginia, indicates him as the man to lead the movement against Mr. Crisp, and the latter, when he sees the President-elect, will not only discuss the question of an extra session of Congress, but will endeavor to find out Mr. Cleveland's views regarding plans for the next Congress.

Mr. Crisp believes that the policy of Mr. Springer, the present chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, has been not altogether in accord with Mr. Cleveland's views and his friends in the House of Representatives, and that the support of Mr. Wilson, who is a radical tariff reformer, is based more on Mr. Crisp's chairman of the Ways and Means Committee than on personal hostility to the Speaker himself.

It is understood that Speaker Crisp is willing to reorganize that committee, placing Mr. Wilson at the head, and associating with him any gentlemen Mr. Cleveland may select, so that the framing of the new tariff bill can be accomplished in a committee which is in entire harmony with Mr. Cleveland's views.

In regard to the question of calling an extra session, Speaker Crisp, though himself quoted as favoring a spring meeting, is willing, if Mr. Cleveland so desires, to use all the influence of his position in defeating the schemes of those members of the present House who threaten to make an extra session unavoidable by placing some obnoxious rider on one of the great appropriation bills and thus insuring its defeat in the Senate.

PARDONED BY GOVERNOR FLOWER.

Broker White to be Released After a Month's Imprisonment.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Governor Flower, who is spending the Christmas holiday in this city, has issued a pardon and restored to full citizenship Cumberland G. White, who was recently sentenced to two years imprisonment on Blackwell's Island. Mr. White has been for many years a member of the New York Stock Exchange.

He lost two bonds of the value of $2,000 belonging to a female customer, and failing to pay the balance due her, he was adjudged guilty of constructive larceny. About a month ago he was sentenced to two years imprisonment as above stated.

The application for his release was made to the Governor in person by Deacon S. V. White, supported by a petition signed by the entire New York Stock Exchange. Governor Flower endorsed the petition with the statement that the punishment given was excessive, and because from an intimate knowledge of the way business was done, it was evident that no larceny was intended.

MR. BLAINE'S CONDITION.

He Continues to Hold His Own and His Family Are Greatly Encouraged.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Mr. Blaine continues to get along quite as well as could be expected. He passed a fairly good night, and this morning is as well as he was yesterday, though the little excitement which was unavoidable on account of Christmas naturally resulted in a little more exertion than was good for him.

At the house this morning everything was as quiet as if the Blaine residence was out in the suburbs of the city instead of within a stone's throw of the White House.

Only a very few callers came to inquire about Mr. Blaine's health.

The family are in much better spirits now that Mr. Blaine has passed a whole week without a recurrence of the severe attack whose renewal is dreaded. They moved about the house freely this morning, and passed some time in attending to letters and other matters.

DR. M'GONIGAL DYING.

The Aged Physician Attacked by Pneumonia at Sing Sing.

SING SING, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Dr. Henry G. McGonigal, the aged physician who was sent to prison a month ago for manslaughter in causing the death of Annie Goodwin, a pretty cigarette girl, by a criminal operation, is dying in the prison hospital from pneumonia.

He was taken ill a few days ago and was sent to the hospital for treatment. His condition soon became alarming, and yesterday the prison physician gave up all hopes of his recovery and telegraphed for his wife to go to the prison.

A Woman Smoker's Fate.

WEST NEW BRIGHTON, S. I., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Mary McGovern, 97 years of age, was badly burned in her apartments on Davis avenue yesterday morning and died from her injuries in the afternoon. She was an habitual smoker and it is believed that she had attempted to light her pipe while in bed and set fire to the bedding.

Miss Gould's Generosity.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Miss Helen Gould made a big household of children happy in a quiet and unostentatious way. She provided a free Christmas dinner for the little people who live under the roof of the Home for the Friendless on East Thirtieth street, near Lexington avenue.

Toledo Strikers Losing Ground.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 27.—The striking linemen are still out, but they seem to be losing ground. The wire cutting seems to have stopped. The Toledo Electric company, which supplies most of the city, is still at the mercy of the strikers.

Fulford Again Defeats Elliott.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 2.—E. D. Fulford defeated J. A. Elliott at the traps at Island Park yesterday afternoon, which gives him four of the five matches. Elliott declared that the championship was not involved in these matches.

An Asylum His Funeral Pyre.

MCARTHUR, O., Dec. 27.—Pearl Dutro, an inmate of the insane asylum, set fire to his cell last night and the asylum and the sheriff's residence were destroyed. Dutro perished, but all the other inmates were rescued.

Seven Horses Burned to Death.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A fire in the basement of 437 Fifth street yesterday caused the death of seven horses, and a total loss of $8,000.

FIERCE WINTRY GALES

Vessels Making Port Resemble Masses of Ice.

THE UMBRIA FOUR DAYS OVERDUE

Thought That She Has Gone Out of Her Course to Avoid the Storm—The Compasses of a Bremen Steamer Frozen and the Captain Obliged to Make His Course by the Stars.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Incoming steamships report fierce storms and bitter cold weather at sea. Every vessel that comes into port is a mass of ice from water line to masthead. Several steamships had deck work smashed and members of the crew frostbitten.

The tramp steamship Laurestana, from Bremen, Dec. 3, came in with deck and side, covered with ice two feet thick in places and with huge icicles hanging from her yards. Her captain says the weather was so severe that all three of the ship's compasses froze in their alcohol baths and he was obliged to make his course by the stars.

When the particulars of his tempestuous voyage were made known many old seamen hurried to his vessel to inspect the compasses which had broken all records and refused to work in a hurricane. The brass instruments were lying on the table of Captain Gavin's cabin, a coat of ice topping the head of each. The steering compasses, of which there were two, were still caked with ice, while the standard compass was just thawing out.

The Prins Maurits, from Venezuelan ports, met a hurricane on December 24. A high cross sea broke over the vessel and masses of water were frozen by the intense cold until the ship was a floating mass of ice. The deck railings were broken, and the rigging damaged.

The steamship Archimedes, from St. Lucia, was covered with icicles. Several of the crew had hands and feet frozen.

The City of Berlin also met the hurricane. She was over eleven days making the passage. The steamship Croft came in six days late from Leith.

The tramp Strathleven, which started from this port Sunday for China, put back yesterday to readjust her cargo of case oil.

Ordinarily, the Cunard steamship Umbria, Captain McKay, is due here on Saturday. Up to this morning, however, she had not been reported. No fears are felt for her safety, as it is believed that she has gone to the northward to escape the storm. The agents of the company are confident that the steamship will be reported during the day.

GEN. SNOWDEN'S REPORT.

He Praises the Troops for Their Good Service at Homestead.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 27.—Major General Snowden, in his annual report on the National Guard, says of the Homestead affair:

"There is no doubt that the presence of so large a force, so startling in its sudden and unexpected appearance, preserved that part of the State, perhaps the country at large, from disturbances such as we have not heretofore witnessed, and the First Brigade contributed its full share."

Referring to the service at Homestead he says: "The good faith of the Amalgamated Association might well be doubted. While open resistance ceased, their scouts and forces were drawn in, the censorship of the press stopped and the false government erected by them came to an end, yet for some time they kept up their system of intimating.

"Large crowds assembled suddenly and as promptly dispersed, but not without abuse and insult heaped upon the soldiers. That these affronts were borne with forbearance, and such discretion, self-possession and strict obedience to order by so great a number of troops, is worthy of the highest praise."

Of the Iams episode he says: "The admirable military spirit displayed by all the troops, 8,615 in number, was kept up throughout except by one man, Iams, of the Tenth." He then tells the story of Iams' conduct and punishment, justifying the latter on the ground that the former amounted to mutiny.

Miss Anderson Identifies Her Assailant.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Dec. 27.—Bob Harper, the negro who has been in jail here for a week as the assailant of Miss Kate Anderson some time since, was identified by her last night. Great excitement prevails and the mob that has several times tried to hang him again demanded him of the jailer. Miss Anderson requested that the negro be not lynched, as each recurring Christmas would be an awful memory to her, and the request was so stated to the mob, who finally decided to let the law take its course.

Narrow Escape of Six Families.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 27.—A fire early this morning in the double flat buildings on the southwest corner of 7th avenue and 12th street, a three-story structure, caused the loss of $10,000 to the building and contents. There were six families, including 25 people, asleep in the building when the alarm was given, and all escaped in their night clothes.

Electricity as a Motive Power.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 26.—A company is organizing to utilize the immense water power of the Big Kanawha River, twenty-five miles above Charleston, W. Va., in generating electricity for the operation of the many coal mines in the valley, and supplying the towns along the Kanawha and Ohio rivers with light power.

Mattena Harrison Doing Well.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Mattena Harrison, the President's five-year-old granddaughter, who is ill with scarlatina, is reported as being as well as could be expected, and there is every indication of a favorable termination. The other children are now believed to be entirely beyond danger of contagion.

Pistol Loaded, Schmidt May Die.

WILKESBARRE, Dec. 27.—Joseph Minka fired several shots at a hat and, thinking the revolver empty, pointed it at Louis Schmidt. A bullet struck him in the back and passed near the stomach. Schmidt will probably die.

The Constellation at Havre.

HAVRE, Dec. 26.—The United States vessel Constellation, which has on board some of the art treasures of Italy for exhibition at the World's Fair at Chicago, has arrived here.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For New Jersey, Snow; Northeasterly Winds, Backing to Northwesterly During Wednesday; Temperature Rising This Afternoon, Falling Temperature Wednesday Evening.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A butcher's wagon was damaged by collision with a street car yesterday.

—The city common council will conclude its year's business this evening.

—The Christmas tree at the Children's Home will be lighted on Thursday afternoon at 4.

—A rehearsal of the Choral society will be held to-morrow evening at 8 in the Y. M. C. A. hall.

—An intoxicated individual, taken in to save him from freezing, was fined $2 by judge Codington this morning.

—Martin Holmes, intoxicated, fell into marshal Pangborn's clutches, Saturday night, and after a Sunday in jail paid $5 fine.

—Plainfield Building loan shareholders will meet this evening in Mr. Liefke's room, at 7:30, for the payment of monthly dues.

—There were more packages of registered mail received at the Plainfield postoffice, yesterday, than ever before in its existence.

—Chief Grant gives warning in an official advertisement elsewhere that if you do n't clean off your sidewalk, you 'll be arrested and fined.

—The Christmas service for the Sunday-school children of the Church of Our Saviour, Netherwood, will be held to-morrow, Holy Innocents Day, at 6 p. m.

—It is said by those who have seen them, that the Newark slides are a fine lot. The Plainfield Camera club show them at their entertainment on Thursday evening.

—There was n't standing room left in Music Hall last night and one thousand people enjoyed the fine cast, scenery and plot of Walter Sanford's great play, "A Flag of Truce".

—The fire-gong was out of service today, undergoing repairs to a valve, A similar operation will be performed next Monday. The boxes will work as usual, and in case of fire during repairs the gong at Spicer & Hubbard's will be used.

—The New Year's reception of the Y. M. C. A. will be held Monday, Jan. 2, and will be in charge of J. W. Gavett, who with the reception committee and "Ladies Nine" will seek to make the occasion a great success. All men are invited to be present between 3 and 10 p. m.

—Christmas was quietly and happily observed throughout Plainfield. The services of the churches were as previously outlined in the programmes in THE PRESS. The weather was superb—clear, dry and crisp. There was snow enough to make it a white Christmas, and some few ventured out sleigh-riding. The skating was excellent, and merry young people crowded the neighborhood streams and ponds.

An Octogenarian's Sudden Death.

An old man named Boutle, age 84, was attacked with heart failure while descending the stairway at Frank W. Miles's home, 356 Somerset street, at 10 Saturday night. He was within two steps of the lower floor, and so his fall was not serious, but the heart trouble caused his death within two hours. Boutle was an assistant to Mr. Miles.

Disgraceful Row.

A row is reported by the police as having occurred in Goff's saloon last night. Policeman McCue found John Garrity being pounded by the gang. Garrity was fined $2 this morning. Warrants for the others are out.

Brutality of a Husband.

Stephen Howard, colored, is sought for by the police. Last night at his home on East Fourth street he threw two blazing lamps out of doors, wrecked the furniture, and jammed his wife's head through a window, completely wrecking the sash and panes, but fortunately not harming her seriously.

The Order is Already Established.

The *Courier* stated that a lodge of the International Association of Machinists, is about to be started here and at Elizabeth. There has been a lodge of this order in this city nearly two years, and it now has a membership of about 100, with some $400 in their treasury. Their election of officers for the ensuing term takes place Saturday evening, Dec. 31. At Elizabeth the order was started over a year ago by J. T. Vegiard of this city, and is now in first-class running order. The *Courier* is as ever behind the times.

I find Salvation Oil the best cure for rheumatism I have ever known. Joshua Zimmerman, Wetheredville, Md.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease, Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Ave., opposite railroad station. 5-16-y

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Gershom Frazee (Gep 49er) is very ill at his lodgings, Smith & McNeil's New York.

City judge W. A. Coddington presented his wife a Steinway "Baby Grand" piano, Christmas eve.

Mrs. William K. McClure and Miss McClure will hold a reception Saturday afternoon of next week from 4 until 7.

Mrs. William C. Stanberry, senior, of Scotch Plains, is very ill with pneumonia. She was taken last Thursday with a chill.

Ida, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Frazee, died yesterday aged 18 years and 16 days. Funeral services will be held at her late home, 61 West Second street, to-morrow afternoon at 2:15.

The Misses Lillie E. and Flora Miller, of 245 West Third street, left town this morning for a New Year's visit with friends in Philadelphia and Harrisburg, Pa. They will be missed in Pondville circles.

The many friends of the sons of Col. and Mrs. Mason W. Tyler, were tendered a reception at their home, West Seventh street, Friday evening, upon the occasion of the return of the young men from college and school.

Dr. L. S. Pocock, W. H. Warner, and L. R. Blackford left Plainfield for Philadelphia where they will visit the annual communication of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M., of Pennsylvania, which begins on St. John's day, to-morrow. They will also make a fraternal call on Mount Moriah lodge, No. 155, of which Mr. Warner was a member, and attend a banquet in the evening.

Special Christmas Music.

The special Christmas music at the Seventh-day Baptist church, Saturday, was very beautiful. A chorus of young people sang, and the soloists were Mrs. D. E. Titsworth, soprano, Miss Nan Randolph, alto, L. S. Bond, Tenor, and D. E. Titsworth, bass, and choristers. Miss Utter was the efficient organist.

The programme was as follows:

Organ Voluntary.
Old Hundred.
Invocation (all standing).
Chant—Lord's Prayer.
Anthen—Good Tidings.....Danks
Responsive Readings—Gloria 408.
Quartette—Sleep, Baby, Sleep.....Pfleager
Hymn 236—Joy to the World.
Scripture Lesson—Response 1062.
Prayer.
Hymn 238—Hark, the Herald Angels.
Offertory.
Anthem—Hark, Hark My Soul.....Shelley
Announcements.
Sermon.
Prayer.
Anthem—Hosanna to King David's Son..Waud
Hymn 251—God with Us.
Benediction.
Postlude.

Old Nick to Visit the First Church of Christ in Plainfield.

The Christmas entertainment of the Sunday-school of the First Church of Christ, will be held in their chapel on Friday evening. The school has been engaged for some time preparing for the occasion, and a pleasing programme consisting of singing, recitations, tableaux, etc., will be given.

The old-time Christmas tree with St. Nick in attendance will gladden the hearts of the little ones at the close of the exercises. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

A Niagara Scene in Plainfield.

The intense and steady cold of last night was responsible for the bursting of a number of water pipes in town. The main running through the folding room of THE PRESS burst and flooded the place. This morning the room looked like Niagara in winter. Everything was coated in masses of ice gracefully arranged by the hand of the master poet-painter, Nature. The frost-work was very beautiful. The water was still shooting and spraying from the pipe, and the current of icy air generated was like a North Pole blast.

They Will Talk About Church Fairs.

The subject of discussion at to-night's meeting of the Plainfield branch of Unitarian and other Christian women will be "Social Activities". The divisions of the topic are:

"What social pleasures are proper within the walls of the Church?"
"How can this Society best promote the welfare of the Church?"
"Are Church fairs expedient?"
"Women's Clubs."
"Co-operation."

Died of Grief at Her Husband's Death.

In THE PRESS of Saturday was an extended sketch of the death and life-history of Jacob S. Rockfellow, the Jersey Central's oldest engineer, of Dunellen. Yesterday morning the news came to this city that his wife also had died, of grief, at Newark, where she had been nursing Mr. Rockfellow during his last illness.

Back to His Old Quarters.

Charles White was sent to jail Thanksgiving Day for 30 days, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was released Saturday morning, and within five hours was so full that justice Crosley gave him a Christmas present of 30 days more in jail.

Youthful Depravity.

James McCann, age 16, was drunk, profane and abusive in the North avenue station last night. He said that Martin Geoghan's hard cider caused it. Judge Codington fined him $8.

Desires to Bear Testimony.

Henry Thorne, traveling secretary of the Y. M. C. A., writes from Exeter Hall, Strand, London, February 2, 1888:

"I desire to bear my testimony to the value of ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS. I have used them for pains in the back and side arising from rheumatism and other causes never without deriving benefit from their application. They are easily applied and very comforting. Those engaged as I am in public work which involves exposure to sudden changes of temperature, will do well to keep a supply of ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS in their portmanteaus."

"THE PRINCE OF PEACE."

A Christmas Arranged by the Rev. Mr. Richardson, Was the Programme at the Park Avenue Baptist Church, Sunday Evening.

The audience room of the Park Avenue Baptist church presented a beautiful appearance, Sunday. Palms, callas, and festoons of evergreens were used in good taste about the pulpit and choir loft. A large bell of green, a brilliant star and an appropriate motto added to the general effect.

At the morning service, the pastor, the Rev. J. W. Richardson, preached on the Christmas star. He spoke of the star of eighteen hundred years ago as a present as well as a past blessing. His thoughts were clothed in impressive language and were eloquently expressed. The selections by the choir were fitting to the occasion and were rendered with fine effect under the leadership of A. S. Roe. The anthems were Jubilate Deo, Budds; "Hark the Herald Angels Sing", Kofler; "And There Were Shepherds", Danks.

The time of the evening service was occupied by the Sunday-school exercises. The congregation was large and gave the closest attention as the programme proceeded. It was entitled "The Prince of Peace", and was arranged by the pastor. The superintendent, E. W. Runyon, had charge of the service. In their carols, responsive readings and recitations, the children did well, several in the audience afterwards saying that the school had never acquitted itself more creditably. The musical part of the programme was listened to with pleasure. As in the morning, it opened with a voluntary by the organist, Miss Alice Coard, whose careful attention to expression and time render her playing so pleasurable. The service was materially strengthened by the presence of Mrs. E. Spicer of Brooklyn and Mrs. Ryder, whose well-trained voices were used to excellent effect in several solos. To say that the day was one of rare profit and one long to be remembered would only be expressing the sentiment of those who listened to the services.

Christmas at Holy Cross.

The Christmas day services at Holy Cross church were attended by large congregations. The decorations were beautiful and appropriate, and the musical programme the most elaborate of any in the city. At the morning service the Rev. T. Logan Murphy preached an eloquent Christmas sermon and announced that the new liturgy of the church, adopted at the recent convention in Baltimore, was used for the first time on this occasion. The choir of men of men and boys sang the programme previously printed in THE PRESS, including Tours' "Sing O Heavens" and Gounod's "Messe Solenelle", rendering everything in the admirable manner that characterizes all their work. At the special musical service in the afternoon the church was crowded and the music splendidly given, the principal selections of the morning being repeated with some additions. The excellence of the music was a subject of general comment and many words of praise was spoken for the choristers and their trainer, W. H. Miner. The annual Christmas festival of Holy Cross Sunday-school will take place in the church Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Magnificent Christmas Display.

Trinity Reformed church had a very pretty Christmas celebration. At the morning service the sermon of the pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, was a grand discourse, and the exercises of the Sunday-school in the evening were greatly enjoyed by those crowding the edifice. The singing of the choir was a credit to the leader, T. E. Hazell, and the playing of the organist, A. L. Titsworth, was as usual that of an accomplished artist. The trimming of the arches and church with evergreens and the pulpit platform with blooming plants and cut flowers was the work of committees who deserve much praise for the many hours of labor expended and the beautiful effect produced. The pulpit arches of the church were gracefully decorated with evergreen so that three beautiful green arches were displayed. Depending from the middle of each arch was a shapely star of snow-white cotton. In the heart of each the two lesser stars was a bright electric lamp. The larger star contained 13 lights. In the three arches were 21 other lamps, and "Merry Christmas" showed in large white letters under the center of the middle arch. Supt. McClurg donated the electric current used. The material for electrical effects were loaned by A. D. Phillips, and the wiring was done by F. S. Dunn, the electrician, assisted by Augustus Searing and A. M. Higgins. It all worked perfectly, as does all work done by Mr. Dunn, and the effect was most pleasing. The officers of the church have acceded to the many requests made, and will allow the entire decorations to remain up over next Sunday, giving those who have not seen the beautiful sight another opportunity to do so.

Calendar for 1893 Free.

The Chicago and Northwestern railway has just issued an attractive calendar for 1893, which is one of the best for practical use in the business office as well as the home. A copy of this desirable calendar will be mailed free upon sending your address with a two-cent postage stamp to W. A. Thrall, G. P. & T. A., Chicago.

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D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis B. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

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Geo. B. Stillman, Secretary.

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F. S. Green. Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

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618 BEATS 385.

A REMARKABLE RUN ON THE RAILS FROM PLAINFIELD TO ELIZABETH.

It Would Have Been 97 an Hour, Perhaps 100, Jerry Creeden Says, if It Had n't Been for Slippery Rails—Mile After Mile in Forty-six Seconds or Thereabouts—Seventy-five Miles in 75 Minutes and a Conclusive Demonstration that Something Fast Can Come Out of Philadelphia.

Ever since THE PRESS and other papers throughout the world published the account of engine 385's wonderful time on the railroad between this city and New York, other engines have tried to beat it but without success until last week when the following feat, as told by a reporter who boarded 618 at Philadelphia, was accomplished. This is the story in his own words:

Between Bound Brook and Plainfield the track is generally up grade. This gave the "old lady" a chance to get within her schedule. She had been carrying on outrageously. No one approves of a train that is billed to appear at a certain hour and is so eccentric that it comes in all out of breath fifteen or twenty minutes before any one is ready to receive it. So Engineer Jerry Creeden reined her in until a fast accommodation would have been able to keep abreast. It was evident that she did not like it. She began to bang and rattle again in a grumbly sort of way, and she gave vent to long whines and wails, with an angry toss and snort at intervals.

It does not take long to lose time on such a fast schedule. And when the train started down the gentle grade between Plainfield and Elizabeth, Jerry let the "old lady" have the bit. She quit snorting and grumbling straightway. She saved all her wind for the race. She fell to quivering and rocking. And when she came upon a station she gave four quick, wild whoops as if she were saying "Just see me get a move on myself".

No doubt she would have beaten her record of ninety miles if it had not been that each time she got down to her best pace Jerry had to check her in for a curve or because a station with complicated switches was at hand. As it was she did well, even if the track was slippery. Here is the record for six miles of the run between Plainfield and Elizabeth:

Miles.	Time.	Miles per hour.
1	47	76⅘
2	46	78⅓
3	47	76⅘
4	50	72
5	54	66⅔
6	58	62

The distance between Wayne Junction and Elizabeth is 75 miles. We got to Elizabeth at 2½ o'clock, having averaged for the 75 miles a mile a minute. The fast miles were never anything near that slow, while the slow miles were much slower, as there was a lot of time to lose.

During this latter part of the journey the cab windows were closed. We had got used to our seats in the queer saddle, and the jolting, if jolting there was, no longer troubled in the least. There was no dust, no smoke, no cinders. The parlor cars were not so clean, so comfortable, so pleasant as those two cosy seats beside the great, warm body of the engine, with the splendid outlook, the ever widening, swiftly flying panorama to the left and ahead.

The motion of the engine, as we were accustomed to it, was like a gentle, drowsy rocking. From the first there had been no sense of danger. To the last there was the same exhilaration, calm and subdued in the slow miles, rising to a tumult of exultation when the "old lady" took the bit in her teeth and made the mile posts crowd together.

And the time flew like the miles. Those stations which pass with such wearisome slowness, no matter how fast the train is going, when one is sitting in the coaches, fled by one upon another, so that Trenton Junction and Elizabeth, half a hundred miles apart, seemed next-door neighbors. All sense of time and distance was lost. There was only the consciousness of the wild, free, forward motion, unceasing, irresistible, and the machine that was doing it was not a lifeless construction of iron and steel, but a living, breathing thing, a quiver with nervous energy, responsive to the curb and to the driver, sympathetic, mighty, and not at all terrifying.

We came into the Jersey City station at 2:46, two minutes ahead of time. The "old lady" slowed down gradually and came in as quietly as if she were always well behaved and slow going as becomes a Philadelphian born and bred. She came to rest and stood panting, pouring out great clouds of steam like any racer blown with a mad gallop on a frosty day. Creeden stood beside her, loving but regretful. Creeden was full of apologies, and this is the reason:

There has been a story afloat in railroad circles that 385 of the Royal Blue Line service did one mile at the rate of 97 miles an hour one day in November. Her engineer and fireman stoutly maintain that this was so, although they had no stop watch for the sure test. Some railroaders believe them. Others think they are mistaken. Jerry Creeden of 618 feels sure that nothing of the kind was done. He believes in 618, and he believes 618 can make a rate of 97 or even 100 miles an hour on the right kind of a day. He hoped for 97 at least on this particular run which was made last Monday.

So he was not satisfied with his engine's record. He felt that fate had been against him. Not that he blamed "her"—oh, no. It was the slippery track and the overcast sky that made it necessary to slow up now and then to get a certain look at the signals ahead. When one of us said "And you think you can beat forty seconds?" he set a determined look in his eyes and answered; "I am not the one to boast. But give her a dry track and a clear day and a wind back of her, and I know she can knock off five seconds or thereabouts. I know what she can do. Did n't you see how easy she took forty seconds to-day?"

And we who rode at forty seconds the mile astride of her believed what he said. For 618 is a performer that knows how to perform.

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FUNDS FOR THEIR LIBRARY.

Women Bestow a Gift of Gratitude on Their President.

The women of the Church of the Heavenly Rest Friendly society recently gave a fair to raise funds for the purpose of erecting an adjunct to their church in which to have a free reading room and for Sunday-school purposes. They succeeded in raising $118, and now have a fund of $170. For their success they felt that they were indebted to their president, Mrs. C. S. Lewis, and as a sequel on Thursday last at their Christmas gathering, presented to Mrs. Lewis a fine picture and easel.

The presentation speech was made by Mrs. J. T. Vegiard, of North avenue, as follows: "Mrs. Lewis, on behalf of the ladies of the Friendly society, I take the greatest pleasure in presenting to you this beautiful picture and easel. While looking at them we hope it will be a gentle reminder of the esteem we have for you as a lady and companion, and may you live long to keep up the noble work in which you are engaged." Mrs. Lewis, although taken completely by surprise, managed to reply befittingly.

The children were then treated to a view of Santa Claus, who distributed appropriate gifts.

Mr. Kirkner of Plainfield Bearing Reading.

The depressing rumors about Reading railroad stock are so numerous and so thoroughly circulated and the trading elements so unanimously bearish on the stock as to make shrewd operators rather suspicious of the movement. From Boston Saturday came reports that the year's interest on the Reading second income bonds had been offered by a speculator at 4½—on what amount was not stated—and Mr. Kirkner of West Seventh street, this city, a well-known trader on the door of the New York Stock Exchange, is said to have bid ½ per cent. for the right to deliver 10,000 shares of the stock at 50 at any time next week. Simultaneously with these incidents are rumors questioning the ability of the company to pay interest on the income bonds and declaring that it will have to borrow the money to do it with, and latest of all reports of the discovery of new mines of anthracite near Easton, with the Pennsylvania road negotiating for control of them. The bears insist that there will be a lot of shares thrown on the market after they are voted on at the annual meeting on January 9. On the other hand the few who suspect the present bear movement declare that many of these shares have already been unloaded on the theory that as the election is so near at hand present purchasers will not have them transferred on the company's books and that there will be no opposition to voting the proxies issued by their late holders in favor of President McLeod. If any strong interest desired to oust the present management the scheme might be assisted by the opposition attending the meeting with a block of these shares and preventing the proxies on them from being voted.

A Jewel to a Veteran Noble Grand.

The regular meeting of the Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., last evening was one of unusual interest. A pleasant feature was the presentation of a veteran's jewel to N. G. Calvin H. Rugg, who has been an active member for the past twenty-five years. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

N. G.—T. C. Smith.
V. G.—H. O. Hance.
Rec. Sec.—Lewis R. Blackford.
Per. Sec.—Lewis S. Pocock.
Treasurer—J. P. Allis.

Plainfield Presses for the World's Fair.

At the Scott Printing Press works they are getting out some fine presses for "The World's Fair" at Chicago, and to protect the same from the dust while painting have erected a tent in the middle of the shop. The men call it their sideshow.

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"FIGHTING DAN" STILL ALIVE.

The Man Who Died at Fanwood on Thursday is Another Daniel Hetfield.

Daniel G. Hetfield, of Rahway, called at the newspaper offices Saturday afternoon to deny the report that he is dead. He is still between 50 and 60 years old, and says that it is regarded as a disgrace in the Hetfield family to die a natural death under 95. The Hetfield family is the New Jersey branch and the Hatfield family the West Virginia branch of the decendants of Mathias Heathfield, who came over from Yorkshire in 1660. Both branches are fighters, in the law courts if nowhere else.

The Hetfield, whose death gave rise to the report that fighting Dan Hetfield of Rahway was no more, was also named Daniel, and died at his home on the old Lee farm, near Fanwood, last Thursday, at the age of 93. He was not feeling well and fell down stairs, thus upholding the family tradition that no Hetfield must die a natural death before '95. "He was good for ten years if this had n't happened," said the surviving Daniel. He lived in the old farmhouse, perched upon the hill overlooking "The Two Bridges", years before the rebellion, and was a well-known figure every day about Plainfield. His widow is a hale woman of 86, and he has three grown children, but no grandchildren. In fact there are only a few of the New Jersey Hetfields left, scarcely more than there are of the West Virginia Hatfields. Fighting Daniel said yesterday that twenty-five or thirty years would see the last of them. "There are only a few of us left," said he, "and only a few of them few are what we used to be." Fighting Dan is a mighty cock fighter, and generally has a suit at law.

—The Y. M. C. A. class in arithmetic will meet this evening as usual.

Undeniable.

"Ah, my son, when are you going to settle down? Remember that a rolling stone gathers no moss."

"No; but it gets a tremendous polish."—Harper's Bazar.

USEFUL, BUT NOT ORNAMENTAL.

"Dey ain't much for beauty, but dey saves me from totin' a sun umbrell'."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Only a Matter of Endurance.

"You are standing on my foot ma'am," said a big, good-natured man in the crowd at the corner of State and Madison, to a lady in front of him.

"Sir!" she replied, haughtily, turning her head. "I haven't moved in my tracks for half an hour!"

"I know it, ma'am," he rejoined. "But the foot you've been standing on all that time has begun to get tired. Would you mind occupying the other one awhile?"—Chicago Tribune.

His Opposite.

Strawber—There are some men whose clothes never fit them, no matter how they try, and others with whom it is natural to dress well.

Singerly—Yes, that's so. That makes me think of a friend of mine. A fellow I think everything of, but who is quite my opposite.

Strawber—Comes natural to him, does it, to dress well?—Truth.

He Knew the Signs.

"We're going to move again," said a little boy to the grocer on the corner.

"No, you're not. When I called with the bill your father said he was going to stay all winter."

"Well, we ain't. Ma's throwing the ashes and sweepings down cellar, and that means business every time."—Texas Siftings.

Might Have More Cause.

Maud—He was really hopelessly in love with me. When he proposed he declared that if I did not marry him he would commit suicide.

Marie—How perfectly dreadfull But do you suppose your marrying him will really save him from it?—N. Y. Herald.

The Ladder of Preferment.

First Lawyer—Young Blackstone has political aspirations, hasn't he?

Second Lawyer—Why do you think so?

First Lawyer—I notice he calls all the barkeepers by their first names.—N. Y. Weekly.

The Explanation.

"'Tis strange, 'tis very strange!" so X complains,
"That I so seldom meet a man of brains."
Poor X! 'tis melancholy, yet 'tis true,
That men of brains avoid to chat with you.
—Life.

Not His Fault.

Jones—You have been at my wine again.

Sambo—No, sah; you does me an injestice. De cork wouldn't come out.—Texas Siftings.

The verdict of the people is that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is the best remedy for coughs, colds, sore throat, asthma, etc.

I have been a sufferer from catarrh for twenty years. I found immediate relief in the use of Ely's Cream Balm. Since using it I have not suffered a moment from headache, sore throat or loss of sleep, from which I previously suffered, caused by catarrh. I consider your Balm a valuable remedy. R. G. Vassar, 56 Warren st., New York.

Ely's Cream Balm is worth its weight in gold as a cure for catarrh. One bottle cured me. S. A. Lovell, Franklin, Pa.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

VICTIM OF A PRACTICAL JOKE.

A Chicago Man Badly Burned By the Pranks of a Fellow Boarder.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Charles Fields is in the hospital here horribly burned about the legs and lower part of the body.

He is the victim of a practical joke.

Fields had gone to sleep on a sofa clad in a uniform not exactly fitted for street wear. Under the table was a pan containing several lumps of tar.

Thomas Files, a funny man, who boards in the same house with Fields, came into the room and conceived the idea of tarring the legs of Fields.

He melted the tar and deftly smeared it on.

Then he awoke Fields and waited to hear him say "ha ha," but he was sadly disappointed.

An acrimonious debate ensued and then Files was invited to get the tar off or something would happen to him.

He rubbed Fields' legs with kerosene to loosen the tar and after scraping awhile, brought a lighted lamp to survey the progress made.

He put the lamp too close to the legs and an explosion followed.

Fields danced around the room like a madman.

Files, after gazing at the blazing contortionist for a few seconds, fled to the outer air.

Other boarders in the house put out the fire, but not until Fields was frightfully, though not fatally, burned.

The tar is off, but most of Fields' hide went with it.

PROBABLE MURDER AT ROXBURY.

Shocking Case of Depravity Discovered by the Police.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—A shocking case of depravity has been brought to light at No. 22 Mindora street, Roxbury.

Reports that a row was in progress in the house brought officers to the place. On the floor of one of the barely furnished rooms was found a woman in a beastly state of intoxication.

A man in an unconscious condition was lying on the floor in another part of the room, and two other intoxicated men were half lying in chairs.

Five small children, the eldest but seven years of age, were huddled about a stove in which there was scarcely a vestige of fire.

The unconscious man, whose name was John Tusther, was found to be suffering from a fractured skull, and was sent to the hospital. The two other men, John and Michael Gately, were arrested charged with assault and battery on Tusther with a brick.

The woman, Tusther's wife, was also removed to the station, and the five children to the Marcella Street Home.

Tusther is not expected to live.

SEVENTY-FOUR LOST AT SEA.

Details of a Collision and Explosion on the Coast of Japan.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—The steamship Oceanic brings details of the loss of the Japanese man-of-war Chishima Kan, which was lost in the inland sea by collision with the steamship Ravenna.

On the morning of November 9, the man-of-war Khishima Kin was run into by the Ravenna off the shore of the district of Ito and went to the bottom immediately.

Out of the crew of ninety, only sixteen were saved.

The Ravenna, which was also badly injured, transferred her passengers to the Empress of Japan.

An explosion followed the collision and all of the rescued were severely injured. The Chishima Kan was a man-of-war dispatch vessel of 750 tons, and was built in France. Both vessels were going at full speed when the explosion occurred.

Interceding for Convicted Men.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., Dec. 27.—A petition is in circulation praying Judge Peters to deal leniently with C. B. Welton and Dr. Randall in the graveyard insurance case, and asking that a short term of imprisonment be substituted for the sentence to the Dorchester penitentiary. Many business men have signed it, but there is a very strong feeling in the community against it.

Cold Weather at Lyon Mountain.

PLATTSBURGH, N. Y., Dec. 27.—The thermometer registered 28 degrees below zero at Lyon Mountain, this county, yesterday. At Saranac Lake it was 21 below.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—The knitting mills of John P. Shepard at Salem, N. J., were burned yesterday. The loss is estimated at about $20,000, with $7,000 insurance.

—John Miller and Simon Blankenhiller were examining a revolver in a Reading, Pa., saloon, when the weapon exploded killing Muller instantly.

—The bank building, the Opera House and nine small business houses in Norbome, Mo., were burned last night. Loss about $40,000, with only small insurance.

—John McCormick and William O. Cowan, employed in the yards of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Philadelphia, were struck by an express train and instantly killed.

—Ex-Senator Thomas W. Ferry, of Michigan, Hiram V. Reed and Allen W. Fowler have entered suit in Chicago for $300,000 damages against the Grand River railroad and J. W. Boynton, its president, for alleged breach of contract.

—Patrick Griffin, a stair builder, and formerly a private in the 87th Royal Irish Fusileers, died at the City Hospital, at Newark, N. J., from the effects of laudanum taken with suicidal intent. He was despondent over a love affair.

—Edward Wright, a freight conductor on the Delaware railroad was run over and killed at Delmar yesterday, and two hours later Benjamin Brittingham and his brother Edward, farmers, were struck by a train and instantly killed at the same place.

—Mary Bachman, thirteen years old, was struck by the cars near Melrose on the New York and New England Railroad yesterday and instantly killed. Lena Raymond, a companion, was also struck and badly injured. Emma Webber, a third girl, saved herself by jumping from the trestle on which the accident occurred.

A Nice Way of Putting It.

Lawyer—Now, sir, you say the burglar, after creeping in through the front window, began to walk slowly up the stairs; and yet you did not see him, although you were standing at the head of the stairs at the time. May I venture to inquire why you did not see him?

Principal Witness—Certainly, sir. The fact is, my wife was in the way.—Puck

The Unexpected.

Judkins—I saw Sommers drunk last night. What's the matter? He's going to the dogs.

Mudkins—He proposed to two women this season.

Judkins—Ah, yes. Got rejected, of course?

Mudkins—No; accepted by both.—Judge.

Making Him Thin.

Great Physician (cheerfully)—Yes, sir, I can reduce you at the rate of five pounds a week.

Fatman—How often shall I come around to see you, doctor?

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SONS OF THE REVOLUTION.

They Commemorate the Anniversary of the Battle of Trenton.

The annual meeting of the New Jersey Sons of the American Revolution, of which some well-known Plainfielders are members, was held in Newark yesterday. The sub-committee on consolidation reported that at a meeting in New York Thursday a plan for the consolidation of the New Jersey and New York societies had been essentially agreed upon. The full committees of the two societies will meet again in New York on Feb. 16, when it is expected final arrangements will be made. There was a discussion upon the advisability of admitting to membership persons not lineal descendants of Revolutionary fathers, but it was generally disapproved. Upon consolidation the word "American" will be dropped from the name of the society, and it will be called "Sons of the Revolution".

The following officers elected: President, John Whitehead, Morristown; vice-president, Theodore W. Morris, Newton; secretary, Henry Elias Hatfield, Newark; treasurer, Paul Revere, Morristown; registrar, John Jackson Hubell, Newark; historian, Andrew D. Mellick, jr., Plainfield.

In the afternoon there was an elaborate dinner well attended and in the evening the 116th anniversary of the battle of Trenton was celebrated in the first Presbyterian church. The programme included an address by Gen. Bradley T. Johnson, president of the Maryland society, and an original poem written by Sarah M. Davey, a great-granddaughter of Ann Halsted, a Revolutionary heroine.

DEATHS.

SWAIN—At her late residence, 204 Monroe st., Brooklyn, Dec. 24, Mary, wife of Mr. James Swain, in her 73d year.

"Her children rise up and call her blessed."

FRAZEE—In this city Dec. 25, 1892, Ida H., youngest daughter of Samuel D. and Eleanor L. Frazee, aged 18 years and 16 days.

Funeral services at the residence of her parents, 61 West 2d st., corner Central ave., Wednesday, Dec 28, at 2 15 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

FOR SALE—Cheap, good work horse, sound and kind. Apply 19 Muhlenburg place. 12 20 2w

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

To all to whom these presents may come, greeting:

Whereas, in the judgment of the board of directors of The Carolina Company, a corporation organized under the laws of this State, it has been "deemed advisable and most for the benefit of such corporation that the same should be dissolved before the expiration of the time limited in its certificate of organization as appears by a duly authenticated record of the proceedings of said board of directors of such corporation held in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An Act Concerning Corporations," approved April 7, 1875, and the several supplements thereto, which said record, including the consent in writing of "two-thirds in interest of all the stockholders" of said corporation that such dissolution should take place, as by said act required having been by said corporation deposited in my office:

Now therefore, I, Henry C. Kelsey, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, being satisfied by due proof that the requirements of "An Act Concerning Corporations," approved April 7, 1875, and the supplements thereto, relative to the dissolution of corporations, have been fully complied with by the said corporation, do hereby certify that the Carolina Company did on the nineteenth day of December, 1892, file in my office a duly executed and attested certificate of consent to the dissolution of said corporation by two-thirds in interest of all the stockholders thereof, which said certificate or consent, and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file and of record in my said office, as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton this nineteenth day of December, A. D. eighteen hundred and ninety-two.

(SEAL) HENRY C. KELSEY, Secretary of State.

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Sidewalks Must Be Cleaned.

An Ordinance to provide for keeping street sidewalks and gutters free from snow, hail, slosh and ice.

SEC. 2. If in any case such snow, hail, slosh or ice shall be so congealed that the same cannot be so removed without injury to the sidewalks or gutters where the same have fallen or been formed, it shall be the duty of the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, occupant or occupants, and person or persons having charge of every such lot or parcel of land severally to cause the snow, hail, or slosh or ice which shall have been so congealed, to be strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after such congelation shall have happened, excepting in cases where such congelation shall have happened during any night, in all which last mentioned cases such snow, hail, slosh and ice shall be so strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning; and in all cases mentioned in this section all snow, hail, slosh and ice which shall have been so congealed shall be so removed from the sidewalks and gutters aforesaid to the respective widths aforesaid, within four hours after the same shall have become thawed to such an extent as to render such removal practicable with out injury to such sidewalks or gutters, save in cases where the same shall have become so thawed during any night, in all which last mentioned cases the same shall be removed within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning.

SEC. 3. For each violation of this ordinance every person violating the same shall be subject to a penalty of five dollars, recoverable for the use of the city.

Anyone failing to comply with this ordinance will be dealt with as law and justice may require. GEO. W. GRANT, Chief of Police.

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The results of the play during the term of Herr Lasker's engagement at the Manhattan Chess club of New York would not of themselves, perhaps, be a conclusive proof of the young German's title to the rank of a great master in the "royal game." They are sufficient, however, to show that he is a player of remarkable skill, says Harper's Weekly. Out of twenty-four games, against eight of the strongest players of the club, he won twenty-one, lost two and drew one. Of the three games each played against him, Mr. A. B. Hodges scored one, Dr. Simonson one and Mr. Delmar secured one draw. But if this performance alone does not of necessity stamp him as a master, Herr Lasker's European record is brilliant enough to entitle him to a place among the two or three foremost living players. He has won all the tournaments he has entered during the past year; he has beaten Mr. Blackburne, who is about the strongest player in England, by five straight games to one draw in a set match; he has won a tournament from Blackburne, Mason, Bird and Gunsberg; and last, but certainly not least, he has beaten the best German players with one exception, in a decisive manner. Herr Tarrasch, M. Tschigorin and Mr. Steinitz are, we believe, the only players of the first rank whom the young champion has not met and fairly vanquished. This is a wonderful record, and certainly justifies a high estimate of the ability of the man who has made it.

Herr Lasker's style of play shows that he belongs rather to what is called the modern school than to the school of Morphy, of which M. Tschigorin is now probably the best living example. In other words, he trusts rather to the accumulation of small advantages than to any sudden and decisive coup. His

HERR LASKER.

pawn play is exceptionally strong, and his end games are models in their way. Given a knight against an opposing bishop, with equal pawns, and Herr Lasker will win where most players, even of high rank, would secure only a draw. He plays to win, and plays like a professional. He is generally cool, apparently almost to the point of indifference, never loses his head, seldom makes a slip. Chess playing is a business, and to it he devotes all his powers.

In view of his youth—for he is not yet twenty-four years old—and his rapid rise from obscurity to the rank of a chess star of the first magnitude, Herr Lasker is sometimes compared with that phenomenon Paul Morphy, who carried everything before him over the board a generation ago. It is idle to discuss the question whether he could have held his own with Morphy if the latter were now alive. The brilliant American never met a player like Lasker, and it is pretty safe to say that the German has never yet met a player like Morphy. Notwithstanding all the research that has been devoted to the game of chess, mastery of it is not so much a matter of hard study and constant practice as of individual genius.

It is to be hoped that during his stay in this country a match may be arranged between Herr Lasker and Mr. Steinitz; and, if the rather precarious health of the latter will permit it, such a meeting will no doubt take place. At all events, the visit of the young German master will enhance the popular interest in chess, and will lead to a more general cultivation of this noblest of all games of intellectual skill.

Marriages in Prussia.

Some interesting statistics on marriages in Prussia show that the marriage rate has risen from 8 or 9 to 17 in the 1,000 inhabitants during the last years; this rate is as high as that in the "good old times" from 1846 to 1870. The average age of marrying men remains at the former figure of twenty-nine and one-half. In 1881 it was twenty-nine and two-thirds, in 1886 twenty-nine and two-fifths. So that men marry neither less often nor at a later age than formerly. On the other hand a great difference has taken place in the class of men who marry. Only 40 per cent were independent, that is, either with private means or tradesmen, officials or officers; 60 per cent. were laborers, servants or factory hands. The latter form the majority.

Couldn't Be Too Sure.

A West Washington young lady, says the Post of that city, who has been married but a few weeks, had her first experience a "going to market" the other day. After she had succeeded in making several laughable blunders a young wives are apt to, she approached a poultry dealer and asked the price of chickens. Being told by the dealer who also handed her a fine pair of live birds to examine, she quieted their fluttering as best she could, and then applying her nose to them, and giving them an audible smell, said, in the most innocent manner: "Are you sure they are fresh, sir?"

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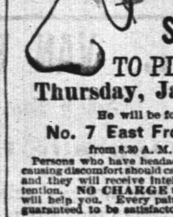

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 23, 6 05, 6 29, 6 39, 7 20, 7 50, 8 05, 8 15, 8 27, 8 51, 8 48, 9 22, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 05, 2 05, 2 29, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 09, 9 02, 9 38, 10 13, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 01, 5 53, 11 42, A. M., 12 53, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 8 38, 8 52, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 30, A. M., 1 00, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 32, 6 29, 8 09, 7 20, 8, 8 45, 9 25, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 25, 3 12, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 6 37, 6 54, 7 09, 9 02, 10 13, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 53, 11 42, A. M., 12 53, 1 42, 3 30, 5 16, 7 10, 8 38, 8 52, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 54, 10 05, 11 35 A. M., 1 05, 1 55, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 55, 5 05, 5 54, 6 50, 6 30, 7 15, 7 25, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 10 35, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 15, 5 40, 6 08, 7 20, 8 15, 10 09 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m. 12 27, 1 59, 3 22, 5 45, 6 26, 6 05, 6 20, 6 54, 6 04, 6 20, 6 28, 7 12, 8 20, 9 27, 11 13, 12 48 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 25, 9 34, 11 19 A. M., 2 05, 5 20, 6 16, 6 35, 10 13, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 50, 7 03, 7 25, 7 55, 7 40, 8 50, 9 05, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 2 05, 3 35, 4 50, 5 32, 6 35, 6 45, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 11 15 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 03, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 3 20, 5 35, 6 20 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 9 25 A. M. 2 05, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 8 20, 11 15 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 5 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 A. M. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua. Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 35 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 03 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 07, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 9 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 8 55, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 37, 7 09 p. m. Sunday—9 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 6 29, 9 45, 10 45, a. m., 1 39*, 3 04, 5 24*, 6 39*, 8 20, *9 27 p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays—9 45, 11 18 a. m., 3 09*, 5 14*, 6 53 p. m., 1 17, night.

For Trenton 5 15, 8 29, 9 45, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 39, 3 04, 5 24, 6 39, *9 27 p. m., 1 17 night, Sundays—9 45, 11 18, a. m., 2 08, 6 14, 6 56 p m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 45, a. m., 2 16, 4 13, 5 24* (6 38* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 Baltimore only) p.m., 1 17, night.

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Ninth and Green streets, 8 30, 9 20, 11 05, a. m., 1 20, 3 15*, 4, 5 15, 6 15, 8 05, 8 45, p. m. 12 01, night.

Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 2 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 9*, p. m., 12 01 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 8 20, 9 20, 11 15, a m 2 33*, 6 20, 8 15, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 2 33*, 6 20, 8 15*, p. m

From Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 00, 9 02, 10 12, 11 30, a. m. 2 02, 4 (05*, 4 40, 5 54, 6 59, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—2 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m. 4 05*, 5 02, 7 07, 9 00* p. m.

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OPPOSED TO MURPHY

Mr. Cleveland Does Not Favor Him For U. S. Senator.

THE PRESIDENT - ELECT SPEAKS

He Does Not Think the Election of the Troy Man Would Help the Democratic Party—Believes the Office Should Be Filled By One Who Can Originate and Promote Policies.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—That Mr. Cleveland is opposed to the election of Edward Murphy, jr., to the United States Senate to succeed Mr. Hiscock was settled yesterday by a direct statement from the President-elect.

Mr. Cleveland at first said that he saw no reason to make any statement. He had not, he said, made any secret of his opinion on the matter. He consented, however, to discuss the question again, and said:

"It ought not to be necessary for me to repeat for the public what I have so often expressed to many gentlemen in private conversation. Among these have been Mr. Murphy, himself, Mr. Croker and gentlemen who have been prominent in the party from every part of the State of New York.

"It must not be forgotten, however, that the party has a hard task to perform if we expect to keep the word we have passed to the people of the country. They have given us a phenomenal majority, one showing that they expect us to do much. In doing this a great deal depends upon New York and its great metropolis.

"The interests of the State and of the party demand, it seems to me, the selection of a Senator who can not only defend the principles of our party, but who can originate and promote policies that may be presented for consideration in the Senate. In order to insure this, the Senator from New York should be a man not only experienced in public affairs, but who has a clear conception of the vital issues with which we must deal during the next few years.

"Speaking frankly, as I have already done to those entitled to know my views, it does not seem to me that the selection of Mr. Murphy shows a desire or intention of placing in the Senate a man of such a type.

"This first use of our power would, I fear, cause much disappointment, not only in New York, but in the country. This the party ought not to be called upon to face when it is considered how much there is to do and what serious difficulties have to be surmounted before it can be done."

OVERCOME BY COAL GAS.

Fifteen Men in the Iron Works at Medina, N. Y., Drop Insensible.

MEDINA, N. Y., Dec. 28.—Fifteen men in the moulding room at the A. L. Sweet Iron Works dropped insensible last evening from the effects of coal gas escaping from a newly relieved cupalo.

The men were carried to the outer air as quickly as possible, and the effect, it is thought, will not be lasting.

It was necessary for many of the men to go to their homes, so overcome were they.

Workmen Soule, Rand and Cheney are in a most serious condition.

JOHN SMITH'S SAD LOT.

Diphtheria Threatens to Wipe Out His Entire Family.

LAMBERTVILLE, N. J., Dec. 28.—John B. Smith, who lives near here, is experiencing a sad time.

Christmas Undertaker Stockton buried Smith's eldest son, 19 years of age, and the next day two more of Mr. Smith's children were buried.

His last remaining child and his wife are very low and are not expected to recover.

Diphtheria is the scourge that is destroying Mr. Smith's home.

A Man Puffed Up Like a Balloon.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 28.—Frederick Otte, aged 48 years, had the end of a rib driven into one of his lungs by being crushed against a wall. Since then the air from the lung has escaped and pumped among the tissues between flesh and skin. The result is that the sufferer has assumed the shape of a balloon and is liable to burst at any moment. He is conscious, but cannot live.

Sentences Aggregating 50 Years.

DEDHAM, Mass., Dec. 28.—George J. Green, the notorious colored burglar and house-breaker, has been found guilty of being an habitual criminal and sentenced to the State prison for 25 years. This sentence, added to sentences for breaks made in various places, will make his aggregate term of imprisonment over 50 years.

Deny the Story.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—The officials of the Government Toxicological Bureau deny the truth of the story about the death of Baron de Reinach. They say that the examination of the organs removed from the Baron's body will require another fortnight at least.

For the Dublin Explosion.

DUBLIN, Dec. 28.—Patrick Kevans has been arrested at Nenagh, County Tipperary, on the charge of being connected with the Dublin explosion. Kevans is a stranger to the townspeople and is unable to give a satisfactory account of his recent movements.

Two Probably Fatally Hurt.

YORK, Pa., Dec. 28.—While F. B. Harrison, a prominent groceryman, and his clerk Wilbur Golden were crossing the Northern Central tracks their team was struck by a train. Both men were severely and probably fatally injured.

His Forgeries are Numerous.

MIDDLEBURG, Vt., Dec. 28.—M. A. Brown, in jail here for forging a check for $400 on J. L. Hicks of Chicago, also forged checks at Albany and North Adams for $400 and $600 respectively.

More Cholera at Hamburg.

HAMBURG, Dec. 28.—Four more cases of cholera and two more deaths were reported to the health authorities in this city yesterday.

Every Business House Destroyed.

SNOW HILL, Ala., Dec. 28.—Fire broke out here last night and destroyed every business house in the town.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

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CANADA'S LAKE GUNBOATS.

Said to be Formidable Midgets With Six-Pound Gun Each.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Dec. 28.—The Curlew one of the Canadian lake gunboats which have been exciting some of the Washington correspondents so much, is now in this port. She has been employed in the Bay of Fundy in fishery protection service for about four months.

The Curlew is about equal to a fifth rate yacht in size, carries a crew of 17 men and her sole armament is one six-pound smooth-bore brass gun. The torpedo tubes, which some of the correspondents saw in her, are her hawse-pipes, which are carried through her turtleback bow.

It is understood that the two other gunboats now in the lakes are similar to the Curlew in every respect.

It is known in Canada that these vessels were photographed while being constructed at Owen Sound, and that these photographs are now in the War Department at Washington, so that the government of the United States cannot be under any apprehension as to their true character.

WHO'LL BUILD A CUP DEFENDER?

Generally Conceded that Gen. Paine Will Not Race the Valkyrie.

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—It is generally conceded among Boston yachtsmen that Gen. Paine will not build a cup defender for the international yacht race next year.

Henry Briant also seems to be disinclined to take the lead. He says the cost is too great, and furthermore makes the very reasonable objection to building a boat which is good for nothing but racing.

The Adams boys, then, must be persuaded to head a syndicate, and thus give to Boston a representative, which she so richly deserves after the splendid showing made by her boats in 1885, '86 and '87.

The cost of an 85-footer has been placed at $70,000, but this is generally considered too high except for Herreshoff work.

A steel boat could be built and run for the season at a cost of $55,000. The Volunteer cost $36,000 to build.

FAMINE IN FINLAND.

Many Villages Snowbound, and it is Feared Whole Communities May Perish.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 28.—The famine in North Finland is increasing, principally among the agricultural classes. Many villages are snow-bound, and it is feared that the sufferings of the people are intense, as they have no means of breaking through the great drifts on account of the weakness of themselves and their cattle.

It is feared that whole communities have perished, as nothing has been heard from them for a number of days.

It is believed that the survivors will abandon the country by wholesale during the coming spring and summer and remove to some part of North America.

LIEUT. PEARY'S VOYAGE.

Numerous Applications to Join His Arctic Party Already Coming In.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—Lieut. Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, when interviewed by a reporter, said that he had already written to St. Johns, N. F., to engage a ship for his proposed expedition to the North next summer.

Application to join his party, he continued, are coming in with every mail, and he had not yet been able to attend to any of them.

The Driebund Watching France.

ROME, Dec. 28.—The Driebund nations, Germany, Italy and Austria, regard the situation in France as menacing the peace of Europe, and are exchanging frequent notes on the subject. They have decided to hold themselves in readiness to act promptly, from a military point of view, in the event of a revolution in France. Their embassies in Paris have received special instructions on the subject.

If Dr. McGlynn Goes West.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 28.—It is believed that if Dr. McGlynn comes to the Northwest a new parish will be carved out for him, as all of the priests in charge of parishes are in high favor with the archbishop, and none of them are likely to be removed to make way for the restored priest.

Pleaded Not Guilty to Manslaughter.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 28.—John A. Kruisell, charged with manslaughter in shooting James Cornell early Friday morning in this city, pleaded not guilty, and has been held in $1,000 for the grand jury. Oscar Hultgren, his companion, was discharged.

4,000,000 Florins Stolen.

VIENNA, Dec. 28.—Two members of the Trefort Ministry are accused of concealing frauds in the Department of Education and Public Instruction to the extent of 4,000,000 florins, on account of the high positions of the parents of the embezzlers.

Kitchen Boiler Explodes.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 28.—A kitchen boiler in the apartments of a tenement occupied by Albert Parks, exploded while breakfast was being prepared, blowing the stove to pieces and burning Mrs. Parks and her infant, but not seriously.

White Will Contest Compromised.

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—The litigation growing out of the will of the late Fire Commissioner Edward A. White, has been settled by a compromise. The contest involved the disposition of an estate valued at no less than $350,000.

Garza's Father-in-Law Dead.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 28.—It is reported here that Alexandro Gonzales, the father-in-law of Catarino Garza, has died at his ranch at Palito Blanco, Nuecos

WITH IMPOSING CEREMONIES.

The Corner Stone of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine Laid.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The corner stone of the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine was laid yesterday afternoon by the Rt. Rev. Henry Potter, D.D., D.C.L., of the Episcopal Diocese of New York, in the presence of a host of clergymen and dignitaries of the Protestant Episcopal Church from all parts of America.

The ceremony took place at 3 o'clock. The site of the Cathedral is at West 110th street, on what is known as the Leake and Watts Orphan Asylum property. The elevation commands a fine view of the Hudson river, and many miles of city and country surrounding.

The scope of the Cathedral, as enunciated by Bishop Potter in reconvening the trustees, was declared to be that of a church for the people—all people—and his aim has been kept constantly in view in the six years of revivified work, which has just culminated in the laying of the corner stone, the first step in the work of actual construction.

It is to be noted, in this connection, that the design for the Cathedral includes seven "Chapels of Tongues," in each of which there will be a service, at least, every Sunday, in seven different languages.

In its national aspect the Cathedral project commands attention on account of its aim and scope.

It will, when completed, have cost fully $10,000,000, and no doubt will be America's greatest church.

The ceremonies of yesterday were witnessed by an immense throng, which filled and surrounded the temporary cruciform tent over the foundation.

Invitations had been sent to the President of the United States and his Cabinet, the Governor and his staff, Mayor Grant and Mayor-elect Gilroy, Bishops of the Episcopal Church and other dignitaries.

Over a thousand guests were seated under the tent, from the central staff of which floated a banner with the arms of the ancient diocese of New York embossed on blue silk with a gold border. Two bright silk American flags floated from poles at the main entrance.

The procession of clergy and guests escorting the Bishop of New York formed at the Orphan Asylum and marched to the site.

The programme of the exercises which was carried out was as follows:

Processional.

Reading from the psalms.

Special office, prepared for the occasion by Bishop Potter.

Address by the Right Rev. Dr. W. C. Doane, Bishop of Albany.

Laying of the corner stone by Bishop Potter.

Recessional hymn.

In the corner was placed a large pewter box containing church books and publications and a brick from the first church in America, the church erected by Columbus in 1493 on the island of Hispaniola.

The procession of Bishops in their robes, doctors in scarlet and blue hoods, choir boys in surplices and divinity students in cap and gown was striking.

The music included a special anthem written by Choirmaster Parker of Holy Trinity, and was sung under the direction of Richard Henry Warden of St. Thomas.

PLOT AGAINST THE CZAR.

Numerous Arrests of Nihilists, Including Officers Holding Positions of Trust.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 28.—Numerous arrests continue to be made at Kieff of persons suspected of Nihilism. Nine more officers are among those imprisoned either under suspicion or direct charges of connection with a conspiracy against the Czar.

The Russian authorities believe they have unearthed a widespread plot in which a number, not only of the lower officials, but also those of higher rank are involved, and several officers having positions of trust and confidence near the person of the Czar have been put under surveillance.

The extent of the plot is not yet known, and there seems no doubt this time of its genuine character, although it is not certain that the motives of the plotters are Nihilistic.

AN EVVNGELIST SENTENCED.

Assaulted His Wife Because She Allowed a Servant to Wash Potatoes on Sunday.

HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 28.—Joseph Best, the Evangelist, has just been fined $10 and sent to prison for two months for assaulting his wife. It appears that Best remonstrated with his wife for allowing a servant to wash potatoes on Sunday. Mrs. Best claims that her husband struck her, and shoved her into a closet.

Rebels Seize Two Towns.

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 28.—The rebels of Corrientes, Argentine Republic, have defeated the provincial troops in a number of skirmishes, and have seized the towns of Mercedes and Caseros and the railway lines of the district.

Servant Girl Stabs a Burglar.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 28.—Anna Crouse, a domestic, found a masked burglar in the house and stabbed him three times in the arm and shoulder. The burglar proved to be Charles Jaycock, Miss Crouse's cousin.

Orange Judd Dead.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Orange Judd, the widely known editor of the "Orange Judd Farmer," of this city, and a pioneer Western journalist, is dead. He was 70 years old.

Big Steamer Disabled.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The steamer reported from Broadhead as being towed by the Ohio is the Belgian steamer Noordland from New York for Antwerp.

Taken to Providence for Burial.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The remains of Park Commissioner Albert Gallup have been taken to Providence, R. I., for interment.

UMBRIA STILL MISSING

The Overdue Steamship Has Not Yet Arrived.

CONSIDERABLE ANXIETY CAUSED.

Agents of the Cunard Liner Believe That Some Mishap Has Occurred to Her Machinery—Others Think the Severe Gales Responsible for Her Non-Arrival.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Fickle fortune allowed the crack Inman steamship City of Paris to be beaten by the Cunard steamship Etruria, which has never fallen below the six day record. The same fortune has allowed the Umbria, a sister ship and much faster vessel, to be outrun to this port by the nine day steamship La Normandie.

The Umbria and Normandie both sailed for this port on Dec. 27, the former from Liverpool via Queenstown, and the latter from Havre. The Normandie is tied up to her pier, while so far nothing has been heard of the Cunarder.

The delay in the arrival of the Umbria has caused considerable anxiety even to the agents of the line, who believe that some mishap must have occurred to the machinery. The steamship has always made the most regular trips, reaching the this port Saturday afternoons or Sunday mornings. Only on one occasion has she been later, and that was three years ago, when her machinery gave out. Since then the record of the vessel has been free from accident.

The severity of the weather is believed by many to be the cause of the non-arrival of the steamship. All the vessels which have arrived since Wednesday last have been delayed from twelve hours to two days, and the more recent the arrival the greater the delay, except in the case of the Normandie, which was only 24 hours late. The vessels were all delayed by the storms, some having been compelled to go far to the southward, and others to proceed under reduced speed.

Captain McKay, commander of the Umbria, is a most thorough seaman, having been 25 years following the sea. He may have been compelled to go the southward, and in order to save his supply of coal may have run at twelve instead of 19 knots, which would save 200 tons of coal a day.

The Umbria carries 375 passengers and a crew of 250 officers and men. The passengers are divided into 130 saloon 125 second cabin and 120 steerage.

In November, 1888, the Umbria cut down and sank the steamship Iberia four miles off Long Beach in a dense fog.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The officials of the Cunard line say that they have no doubt that the Umbria's delay is due to the breaking down of her engines. The rate of reinsurance paid on the Umbria's cargo is ten guineas premium.

MR. CASSATT DENIES IT.

Says Cleveland Has Not Offered Him the Secretaryship of the Navy.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—The mention of A. J. Cassatt's name in connection with the Secretaryship of the Navy in Mr. Cleveland's Cabinet is the cause of considerable speculation in political circles.

A reporter called upon Mr. Cassattt at his home and asked him whether the President-elect had tendered him a Cabinet portfolio.

"Oh, no," Mr. Cassatt quickly replied.

"Has Mr. Cleveland, through his intimate friends, intimated making you such an offer?"

"Not at all; you must remember I am not in politics and have no aspirations whatever for a Cabinet office."

WASHINGTON STRIKE OVER.

President and Treasurer of the Union the Only Ones to Get Work.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 28.—The strike of the pressmen and gatherers of the Crescent Glass works, which was inaugurated ten days ago, for the reinstatement of a discharged employe, has been broken by the president and treasurer of the union returning to work.

All the old hands at once made a rush to secure their old places, but so far only the two men have been successful, the other places having been filled with new men.

American Academy of Science.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—The American Academy of Political and Social Science has set aside its session of the 12th of January, 1893, for the discussion of the much vexed question of National and State banks of issue. This is the first of a series of important conferences on public questions to be held under the auspices of the Academy.

Cleveland Gets Eight Votes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 28.—One Republican and eight Democratic Presidential electors is the result of the general election in this State. The proposition to elect U. S. Senators by direct vote of the people was favored by 187,958 voters, while 11,342 cast their ballots against it. California will have three Republican and four Democratic congressmen.

Fusionists on Top in North Dakota.

BISMARCK, N. D., Dec. 28.—Judge Rose has decided the famous Solz Precinct case against the Board of Canvassers who refused to canvass the returns. This gives the Fusionists all three electors from North Dakota.

Gen. Karge Dead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Gen. Joseph Karge, a professor of Continental Languages in Princeton University, died suddenly yesterday of heart disease in this city.

Unconstitutional Apportionment.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 28.—The Supreme Court has declared unconstitutional the apportionment act passed by the last Legislature.

Lasker Still Winning.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—In the chess game last night H. G. Voigt, of this city, surrendered to Herr Lasker at the forty-sixth move.

The Fourth Diplomatic Dinner.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Secretary of State Foster last night gave the fourth of a series of diplomatic dinners.

More Smallpox in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Four cases of smallpox were received at the Riverside Hospital yesterday.

One rounded teaspoonful of Cleveland's Baking Powder does more and better work than a heaping teaspoonful of any other. A large saving on a year's bakings.

The best known writers on domestic science, as Marion Harland, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. Parker and Ruby Hayes, and teachers of cookery, as Mrs. Rorer, Mrs. Lincoln and Mrs. Dearborn, use and recommend Cleveland's Baking Powder.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Navigation on the Hudson has closed for the season.

—The thermometer registers 12 degrees below zero at Corning, N. Y.

—Mrs. Liri Leszynski, a Russian, is dead at New York, aged 124 years.

—Augusta, Ga., was visited by the heaviest snowstorm in five years.

—Havre striking dockers accepted increased wages and ended their strike.

—John Rasmussen, his wife and child, were asphyxiated by coal gas near Bardley, S. D.

—J. J. Gibson was shot and instantly killed in Chester county, S. C., by J. H. Barnes.

—Hane's Hotel at Montvale station, near Roanoke, Va., has been destroyed by fire. Loss $10,000.

—At a dance given at the home of Walter Green, colored, at Dover, Ky., four negroes were shot, two fatally.

—The body of John Noble was found frozen stiff on the railroad tracks at Harrison, N. J. Foul play is suspected.

—There is to be a 25 per cent. reduction in the wages of iron workers at Wilmington, Newport and Marshalltown, Del.

—The colored editors of Georgia have organized a State Press Association and issued an address discouraging negro emigration.

—The jury in the case of Mrs. Anna Makepeace, who is charged with killing her husband, were unable to agree in Dedham, Mass.

—The Allegheney, Monongahela and Ohio rivers are frozen over and river traffic is entirely suspended for the first time in many years.

—On Jan. 9 the Pope will personally receive New Year's greeting from 1,000 Roman children. He will give each child a little present.

—Professor Andrews, of Brown University, one of the American delegates to the Monetary Conference, left Paris on his return to New York.

—The house occupied by Mrs. McClaire at Tresckow, Pa., was destroyed by fire. The charred body of the aged occupant was found in the ruins.

—Charles Gardner, a Pennsylvania railroad engineer, slipped from the step of his engine at Sayre, N. Y. Both arms were severed and he died from his injuries.

—Attorney-General Miller is somewhat disturbed by the report that Bill Dalton, the notorious outlaw, has been appointed a deputy United States Marshal of Coffeyville, Kas.

—Frederick H. Frisch, who misappropriated $16,000 while New Orleans manager of the cotton firm of Gassner & Co., of Liverpool, Eng., has been convicted of embezzlement.

—John D. Rockefeller, of New York, has made another huge gift to the University of Chicago. The sum is understood to be over $1,000,000, but the exact figures are not given out.

—The First National Bank, of Appleton, Minn., capital $50,000, and the First National Bank, of El Reno, Oklahoma Ter., capital $50,000, have been authorized to begin business.

—It is said at the Treasury Department that the drafts for $356,500 in souvenir coins which were supposed to have been lost in transit from Washington to Chicago, must have been received there.

—The entire management of the commercial affairs of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron company, including its finances, will in future be conducted by the Finance company of Pennsylvania.

—The body of Robert Cutts, after whose disappearance from Ardmore, I. T., a week ago a delinquent postoffice accounts was discovered, has been found near his home. He had evidently committed suicide.

—John Jackson, colored, who eloped with Jessie Hinkle, a pretty white waitress, was taken from the jail and tarred and feathered at West Liberty, O. The girl claimed that she had been held against her will.

—A tenement near Greensburg, Pa., in which about 12 Italian families lived, was burned. James Anglico, an old man, was burned to death, and it is feared several small children will die from their injuries.

—While Mrs. Arthur Rivard was sitting in her chair at Manchester, N. H., one of her children dropped a lighted piece of paper in her mother's lap. The latter's clothing took fire immediately and she was so badly burned that she died.

—The Postmaster-General has concluded a convention to establish an exchange of postal money orders between the United States and the colony of Bermuda and one for a similar exchange between the United States and the colony of South Australia.

Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—For New England: Occasional snow, north winds, slightly colder in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut.

For Eastern New York: Occasional light snow, winds becoming northerly, slightly colder.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Light snow, northerly winds, slightly colder except in central portions.

For New Jersey, Maryland and Delaware: Generally fair; northwest winds, except light snow flurries in New Jersey.

For Western New York: Fair, except occasional flurries of snow in the lake region, light northwesterly winds, slightly colder along the lake.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For New Jersey, Generally Fair; Northwesterly Winds, Becoming Variable; Colder Thursday Morning.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Lederer is having a great clearing sale after the holidays.

—F. E. Marsh said last night in open council, "We do n't know who will be the next city clerk".

—You can buy fine table butter for 25 cents a pound, at the United Tea and Coffee Growers' store.

—The fire-extinguishing apparatus used at Scotch Plains is loaned by the Plainfield department.

—Councilman Marsh, of the freight-house removal committee, asked for his final report last night, said "The freight-house is still there".

—Patrick Boyle, for being implicated in the Goff saloon fight, was held in $100 bail by judge Codington to-day for trial to-morrow morning.

—The First Church of Christ will have its Christmas entertainment Friday evening, with Santa Claus and all the other features of the occasion.

—The annual New Year's entertainment of the Boys' club will take place Monday afternoon at 2:30. The programme is to be made up of home talent.

—City clerk F. W. Runyon has transferred to the city treasurer as a trust fund $66 that is due as license rebates to people whom he can't find.

—Pharmacist Leggett is coming to the front rank as a judicious and effective advertiser. His new ad to-day will remind you of a New Year's duty.

—Corporation counsel Marsh has charge of the case against the Central railroad of Mrs. F. W. Vail of this city who was so severely hurt in the recent collision near Greenville.

—Miss Katie Noonan of Bergen Point was struck by a train at Elizabeth on Saturday night and fatally injured. She was on her way to her aunt's house to spend Christmas. She was 20 years old.

—The iron curbing at the southeast corner of Front street and Park avenue is worn so smooth that the moisture of frost and snow makes it very slippery and decidedly dangerous. Falls there are numerous, and some of them quite serious.

—The ferry boat Fanwood ran into her slip at the foot of Liberty street, New York, at 12:15 Monday morning with terrific force, driven by the northwest gale that sprang up just about that time. The force of the blow was such as to drive in the bridge and throw up the paving stones from their places in West street.

—One of the most amusing specialties incidental to the nautical melodrama "Held in Slavery" which is to be produced at Music Hall, on Friday evening, is a pickaninny dance by Nip and Tuck who are presented to the audience as dancing automatons. They are greeted nightly with shouts of laughter and compelled to repeat their eccentric act many times.

THREE MILES OF CURB.

And Nearly a Mile of New Flagging, Done by Commissioner Meeker in a Year.

The following is the highly creditable year's record of street commissioner Robert A. Meeker in the matter of sidewalk improvements:

	No. ft. curb laid.	No. ft. flagging laid.
East 5th st....	3,510	50
East 4th st....	1,540	
Broadway....	2,000	
East Front st.	60	
Crescent ave.	304	
Park avenue.	420	
East 7th st....	380	110
West 7th st...	800	
Madison ave..	1,040	340
West 9th st...	180	265
Richmond st.	405	350
New street...	10	440
Plainfield ave	110	230
Liberty st....	150	250
West 5th st...	1,536	395
Arlington av.	690	380
West 6th st...	650	625
Central ave...	1,480	290
West 3d st....	250	
Sycamore ave	20	350
East 6th st....		405
West 8th st...	361	
	15,850	5,070

Ready to Face His Accusers.

The ex-salesman of the United Tea and Coffee Growers' association who has been accused of dishonesty says that on investigation he finds that no warrants have been issued for his arrest, but that the warrants thought to be against him are for people who seek to evade payment of goods obtained on the installment plan of the Sherman Outfitting company. He adds that he can prove that he bought of Caleb Dickinson the clock he is accused of stealing from his former employers' store and selling to a woman.

Rivalry for Post-Offices.

The Westfield *Standard* says that there seems to be some contention for the postmastership both at Fanwood and Scotch Plains. In the former place, it is said, there are five looking for the position and in the latter nine. The office in either place—remarks the *Standard*—is hardly worth looking after, but there seems to be some strife among the local politicians for the position.

The American Catarrh Cure

Is the result of twenty-six years' study and treatment of the disease. One bottle convinces the most skeptical. It is always ready for use, needing neither douche nor atomizer. It restores the hearing, cures the hawking cough and expectorating, removes the headache and nose bleeding, increases the appetite, produces sound sleep, invigorates the whole system and increases the vitality. Prepared only by W. B. Jones, M. D., No. 1336 South Eighth street, Philadelphia. For sale by J. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.

FIRES OF THE YEAR.

Chief Doane Reports and Recommends Improvements in the Department Service.

Thaddeus O. Doane, chief engineer of the Plainfield fire department, submitted a long and edifying annual report to the Plainfield common council last night, which report was accepted and filed. He thanked his assistants and the firemen at large for their faithful work of the year, and corporation counsel Craig A. Marsh for his valuable advice; congratulated the department on such greatly-needed improvements as the new 65-foot Hayes turnable truck, which is to be ready Feb. 1, and the two new hose wagons; recommended that Alert Hose company, now occupying inconvenient station rented at $275 a year of the Rogers estate at 11 Madison avenue, be moved to better quarters; advised that the engine and hook and ladder house on Second street be thoroughly remodeled and repaired; and spoke of the great need of a chemical engine, already referred to in these columns, stating that in other places 80 per cent. of the fires were put out at a saving of from 50 to 75 per cent. He further recommended that all the fire department horses should be owned by the city; and spoke strongly on the need of fire escapes on hotels, public schools and theatres. In this connection he said:

"I would respectfully call your attention to the lack of fire protection in our public buildings; not one of our opera houses has anything in the shape of apparatus for fire protection and at times not even a bucket, or water to put in a bucket. Our hotels with one exception are in the same condition, and not one of them has fire escapes, and persons sleeping in the upper stories simply take their lives in their hands. Our schools should also have proper fire escapes placed upon them and I think the people would think it was money well expended. This should be remedied, even though it should be necessary to go to the Legislature to do it."

As fire marshal and fire inspector he reported that the calls for his advice and services were increasing. The advisability of making the fire-alarm electric circuit into three or four loops was referred to. The total fire department expenses for the year were reported as $13,950 22.

The following list of fires and alarms was given:

FIRES AND ALARMS.

Number of alarms 32, a decrease of five over last year, with a loss on buildings of $8,305, covered by insurance to amount of $72,300. Loss on contents to amount of $1,851.50, covered by insurance to amount of $32,600. Total amount involved, $104,900. Total amount of insurance collected $10,056.50.

From causes as follows:

Unknown, 5; smoke from chimney, 4; lighting lamp, 2; defective flue, 2; furnace, 1; spark from chimney, 1; spark from locomotive, 2; matches, 1; gasoline stove, 1; explosion of benzine, 1; burning out of converter, 1; called by committee, 1; called out of town, 3; oil stove, 1; brush heap, 4; still, 2; back draft, 1.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Mary Beckmaf of Hoboken is visiting friends at 59 East Third street.

It was under the management of George Wotherspoon of this city, that the play to be given at Music Hall, Friday evening, was this season launched on the road.

Councilman V. L. Frazee's Christmas gift to his wife was a handsome English walnut upright piano, purchased from the popular firm of Vanderbeek & Sattels.

William G. Brett and Charles H. Lyman have purchased a choice plot on Washington avenue corner of Mercer, 150 by 200, on which they will erect three handsome houses.

Bochia Leurseen, of Washingtonville, after 25 years of service with J. B. Sargent in New York, will go to Reading, Pa., Jan. 1, in the employ of the Reading Hardware company.

Bachelor Matthews and Benedick Evans of the Park club announce that the second bowling contest between the married and single men will be rolled this week Saturday evening at 8.

Miss Carrie Baldwin, daughter of ex-mayor Theo. F. Baldwin, of Keokuk, Ia., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. VanEmburg of East Second street. She is finishing her education at Mt. Vernon Seminary, Washington, D. C.

The Scotch Plains public library has recently received a donation of thirty-nine books, many of them of especial value. These are the gift of Wm. Dean Howells, the distinguished novelist, to whom the library is already indebted for several gifts of books.

A prominent musical critic writes of the artist who is to give morning recitals at the Casino, Jan. 3 and 10: "Mr. Tidden recalls the wonderful delicacy of Gottschalk, with the dash, power and orchestral fullness of Rubinstein, and is regarded by many well informed musical authorities as probably the ablest and most promising among America's younger artists."

The spacious parlors of Dr. Ollif were crowded, Monday, Dec. 26, while Gerald Ollif entertained his many friends in honor of his first Christmas at home since his return from Japan. Among the chief attractions of the evening were the recitations given by Miss Suydam of New York. A fine collation was served, after which dancing was indulged in until the last strains of a waltz, familiar to all, echoed the good-bye sentiment as the friends started for the 2:14 train.

Samuel R. Valentine, for thirty years a resident of New Providence, died Friday last of pneumonia after a few days' illness. His funeral was appointed for Christmas day. The day he died his wife was taken sick of the same disease and died Sunday. Yesterday the funeral of both occurred, and was largely attended. Mrs. Valentine was a cousin of Caleb Dickinson of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson were present at the funeral. Mr. Valentine was a Republican ex-postmaster and a Royal Arcanumite.

—It is stated that a foot-race will take place on New Year's day from this city to Elizabeth and return. The race is to be between Luther W. Sloan of Elizabeth and F. H. Haines of New York.

A YEAR WITH THE POLICE.

Plainfield's Criminal Record for the Past Twelve Months.

The following interesting report was received and filed by the common council last night:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Plainfield:

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith beg leave to present my annual report as Chief of Police for the past year from Dec. 24, 1891, to Dec. 27, 1892. The total number of police is 37—10 regulars, 27 specials, and the entire force during the past year have performed their duties in a manner worthy of commendation.

The total number of arrests was 395, 300 white, 35 colored; of these 338 were men, and 57 women. They may be classified as follows: for being drunk and disorderly, 173; for drunkenness, 46; for disorderly conduct, 86; for larceny, 5; for riding on trains, 17; for fighting, 12; for violation of the hack ordinance, 13; for violation of liquor ordinance, 6; for violation of bicycle ordinance, 18; for violation of Sunday ordinance, 1; for fast driving, 3; for burglary, 1; miscellaneous charges, 3.

Of the above prisoners, 216 were fined; 63 sent to county jail for periods ranging from 10 to 60 days; 68 had sentence suspended; 34 were discharged; 11 were held for the grand jury; 3 were sent to State Prison. The amount of fines collected was $1,297.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. GRANT,
Chief of Police.

ALL ACCOUNTS SQUARED.

In Spite of Expensive Improvements, the City Hasn't Exceeded Its Appropriations.

The Plainfield common council completed its year's work and adjourned without day last night. The councilmen unanimously thanked president Ginna for his able and kindly administration, and he in turn expressed his appreciation of their uniform hearty co-operation. The gratitude of the members was similarly made known to the city clerk and janitor. Most of the business transacted was routine in nature, such as paying bills, and hearing reports. Chairman Fisk of the finance committee showed that after all claims were settled there would still be balances in the several funds. No bills were left for the new council to pay. President Ginna congratulated and complimented the committee on so clean and excellent and favorable and unprecedented a financial showing.

Look to Your Cellars, and Avoid Similar Fires.

Box 25 called the firemen last night to W. D. W. Miller's house, occupied by Benjamin A. Starr, jr., at Franklin place and LaGrande avenue. The ceiling overhead the furnace was unprotected from the intense heat, and took fire. The flames were extinguished with hand chemical apparatus, at a damage of $75, just as they were eating into the partitions overhead.

Some one sent in a second round from the box immediately after the first one, making it seem as though the mechanism had broken loose. Council was in session, and it was jocosely suggested to add to chief Doane's report, just read, "Box 25 has broken loose, and is running away, and we can't stop it."

Friends' Christmas.

The Christmas anniversary of Friends' First-day school was observed in their usual quiet manner in the Peace street meeting-house, Monday afternoon. The exercises were opened by superintendent Harper, who read as appropriate to the occasion a portion of the fifth chapter of Matthew, which was followed by the school's repeating in concert the Lord's Prayer. After that came a number of recitations and readings by members of the school, selected readings by Anna R. Powell and Chillie Vail, and an interesting address from Aaron M. Powell. An abundant supply of refreshments, the generous donation of Catharine R. Webster, with gifts of candies and fruit, closed another pleasant annual event.

New Scheme at the Casino.

A novel entertainment, and one sure to be delightful, will be given in the Casino the 12th of January. The idea of "a magazine" will be carried out to a thorough degree. First will be given a representation of a frontispiece. Then perhaps a poem, and a short story. A play with four characters will be rendered, familiar advertisements will be exemplified, and in every way there will be most clever and complete picture of a popular magazine.

The Rectory society of Grace church will have charge of the event.

Engine-House Plans Accepted.

The plans submitted by Blanchard Fosgate for the new engine-house at 29 and 31 East Second street were accepted by the Plainfield common council last night, provided the house could be built for $7,000; and construction bids were ordered asked for. Mr. Fosgate's success was in opposition to several bids.

Sues for $5,000 Damages.

A suit growing out of the recent smash-up on the Central railroad at Greenville was filed against the railroad company yesterday by Mrs. Frank W. Vail, of this city, through her attorney, Craig A. Marsh. She asks for $5,000 damages for injuries.

For rheumatism and neuralgia use Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain. It is an infallible cure. 25c.

Checked — the frightful inroads of Scrofula and all blood-taints. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies and enriches the blood, cleanses the system of all impurities, and restores health and strength. It cures all diseases arising from impure blood. Consumption is one of them. It's simply lung-scrofula. In all its earlier stages, the "Discovery" effects a cure. It's easy to see why. The medicine that masters scrofula in one part, is the best remedy for it in another. It *is* the best. It's warranted. It's the only blood and lung remedy that's *guaranteed* to benefit or cure, or the money will be refunded. No other medicine of its class does it. How many would be left if they did?

It's the *cheapest* blood-purifier, sold through druggists, (no matter how many doses are offered for a dollar,) because you only pay for the good you get.

That's the kind of medicine to try.

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Can you ask more?

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Such are the FLORAL POWDERS (or sachet powders) prepared at REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY. Even those persons who don't care for Handkerchief Essences strongly approve our Floral Powders, because of their truth to nature and their richness. Especially worth mention is **Reynolds's Jacqueminot Rose**, the best in all the world. It may sound boastful but it is a fact, nevertheless. Then come our **Heliotrope, Jockey-Club, Violet** all very fine. These powders are sold by the ounce, and are much in demand for Holiday Fixings. By the way, we are showing the completest stock of Perfumery ever offered in Plainfield—fine quality, elegant styles, low prices.

Reynolds's Pharmacy, Corner Park and North Avenues.

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STILLMAN MUSIC HALL,

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ONE NIGHT ONLY,

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30

Grand Realistic Production of Martin Hayden's Nautical Melodrama,

HELD IN SLAVERY

A Play Depicting Life in the Sunny South.

Elaborate Scenery, Wonderful Mechanical and Electrical Effects,
Original Music, New Novelties,
Pickaninny Grotesque Dancers, Serpentine Dance, Songs, Medleys, etc.
Everything presented exactly as advertised.

SEATS NOW ON SALE.

Great Closing-Out Sale

OF

CHRISTMAS GOODS!

AT REDUCED PRICES.

No "SECONDS" of any kind. The old motto, "The best goods at the Lowest Prices" upon which we have built up our immense business will always be maintained at

EDSALL'S.

CHRISTMAS FOOTWEAR.

We have only the space to enumerate a very few of the many styles of foot covering to be found only at Doane & Edsall's that are especially appropriate for Christmas Gifts:

Men's and Women's Russia Lea Fausts
" " Genuine Alligator Slips
" " Tan Ooze Calf Slips
" " Fine Goat Slips
Boys', Youth's and Child's Alligator Slips.

Ladies Ooze and Suede Oxford and Theo Ties in white, black, tan, gray. Corn and pink satin. Red Shoes in all styles for men, women and children. Don't forget the baby. Call and examine the finest line of infant's fancy Shoes at prices far below New York stores.

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The latest novelties in Jewelry—beautiful designs in Stirling Silver, 14 karat gold and roll plate. Largest stock; greatest variety in the city at

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Why not take a box of

Huyler's Candy

When calling on New Year's Day? Sold at

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ORDER YOUR OYSTERS

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NORTH AVENUE SEA FOOD MARKET,

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Choice Fish, Oysters, Clams, Lobsters, etc. The largest frying Oysters in the city.

OSCAR TERRY, Proprietor. 12 8 tf

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Evening Bonnets a specialty. Ladies' own material made up.

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Special Notice!

Those wishing to be served with Ballantine beer by the dozen or case can be accommodated by leaving their orders at
E. P. THORN'S,
12 14 tf No. 17 Park avenue.

HOLIDAY GIFTS!

The largest assortment of Paintings, Etchings, Mirrors, Albums, Oil, China and Water Color Boxes, Easels, etc., ever offered, and at very reasonable prices.

SWAIN'S,
23 East Front street. 12 10 3w

Arrival and Departure of Mails

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 9:40, 11 A. M., 2:30, 6:30 P. M.
Close—7:30 and 9:30 a. m., 12:30, 5:30 and 8 p.m.

SOMERVILLE AND RARITAN MAILS.

Arrive—8:40 A. M., 1:30, 6:00 P. M.
Close—7:30 A. M., 4:00 P. M.

Direct mail to Trenton and Philadelphia at 4:30 P. M.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 A. M.
Mail closes at 6:30 P. M.

H.B. FOUR P. M.

Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg, W. M.
D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis B. Blackford, Pres.
Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y. 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 68 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. B. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
F. S. Green, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Exeter Lodge, No. 8,542, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
Samuel J. Moss, Chief Ranger.
Samuel H. Lunger, Fin. Sec. 5-12-y

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Foreign and Domestic Cheese, Preserves, Fruit Butters, &c.
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We have a fine stock of correct Overcoats and Pea Jackets. All this season's goods. Also an extra line of separate Trousers and everything in the line of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothes.

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Fine China and Glass, Elegant Lamps.

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Hastily and repent it when they have more time.

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Men, Boys' and Children's Overcoats

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Thanks, I knew it would interest you. Imperial Flour only $5.00 per bbl.
And while you are interested I would call your attention to Canned and Dried Fruits of all kinds are in *now*, and the prices are low at

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THAT SEWER MUST GO!

What Will North Avenue Do Then?—Oh for a Proper Sewerage System!

The local health inspector, M. Marvin Dunham, has notified some of those whose property is connected with the North avenue sewer that they must disconnect their drainage altogether. He says this is the edict of the State board of health. Those so notified seem inclined not to heed the command till they see what the Jersey Central railroad people are going to do in the matter. The sewerage of the North avenue station empties into a huge seas-pool under the pavement of North avenue roadway, and thence overflows into Green brook, through the sewer. The company built the sewer and gave it to the city. All North avenue, and some others, use it, and pay an annual tax for the service.

The nuisance of the foul-smelling and disease-breeding sewerage stagnating at the mouth of the sewer in the brook has long been agitated in these columns. It is suggested by some of those using the sewer that proper flushing is all that is required, and J. F. MacDonald has a plan that seems very feasible; but there is no doubt that the State board of health will insist on the sewer being altogether abolished, as the sewage even floating down stream would be detrimental to health all along the brook.

The need of a general sewer system in Plainfield grows each day. Something must soon be done. What is the joint commission of citizens and councilmen doing in the matter?

BADLY HURT BY A FALL.

A Plainfielder Injured by New York's Icy Sidewalks.

Charles Cummings, of 5 Central avenue, who is employed by C. Schepflin & Co., passed his Christmas with relatives in New York. Monday evening he started to return to Plainfield, and had reached the sidewalk in front of his sister's house when he slipped and fell. His head struck against the iron railing, and a deep gash nearly three inches long was made on his forehead, while a number of severe bruises were inflicted upon the right side of his face. The force of the fall rendered him unconscious, and a policeman took him to a station-house to pass the night, as he was unable to remember where he belonged. Yesterday morning his relatives learned his whereabouts, and brought him to their house. Later in the day he insisted on returning to Plainfield. His head is very painful, and it is feared that he may lose the sight of his right eye from the effects of the fall.

Lost by Eight Pins.

The sixteenth league game was played on the Crescent alleys last night. The visiting team was the Y. M. C. L. A. of Elizabeth. The Crescent bowlers played in hard luck. They put up a good game, getting one more strike and three more spares than their opponents, yet lost the game by eight pins. The whole trouble is that the Crescents lack team practice. Individually, they can put up big scores, but when good results are expected as a team, they are snowed under every time. VanWinkle might have won the game, had he not been too anxious. At the end of the ninth frame his score was 138. In the wind-up he missed an easy spare. Had he made it, as everybody expected him to do, he would only have needed seven more pins to win the game. Here's the result:

Y. M. C. L. A.		CRESCENTS.	
Nolte	145	VanEmburgh	171
McCabe	148	Wood	139
J. Sauer	134	Lyman	140
Elibacher	181	VanAlstyne	162
McCloud	151	Haven	157
Collins	144	Teel	168
L. Sauer	153	Petrie	150
Brennan	172	Vail	147
W. Sauer	153	Davis	163
C. Sauer	171	VanWinkle	147
	1,552		1,544

BY FRAMES.

Y. M. C. L. A. 146, 314, 466, 630, 788, 954, 1116, 1247, 1436, 1552
C. L. 158, 309, 472, 648, 793, 939, 1081, 1242, 1394, 1544

The tournament record to date:

	Won	Lost	Percent.
Elizabeth Field Club	4	0	1.000
Y. M. C. L. A.	3	0	1.000
Arthur Kull Asso'tion	3	1	.750
Union County Roads'rs	2	1	.666
Alcyone Boat Club	2	2	.500
Pioneer Bowling Club	1	2	.333
Crescent League	1	4	.200
Roselle Casino	0	2	.000
C. Y. M. L.	0	4	.000

A Congregational Christmas.

The Congregational Sunday-school, of which Chas. E. Boss is superintendent, had its Christmas entertainment last evening. Delightful music was rendered by Mr. Conde on his violin, accompanied by Mrs. Dwight on the piano. Miss Apgar of Dunellen recited in a most pleasing manner "The Newsboy", "The Call" and "Van Bibber's Rock". After the programme was finished, the children were treated to confectionery and oranges, and indulged in the usual fun and frolic.

The religious celebration was held on Sunday afternoon and was very enjoyable.

Carpenters and Joiners Elect.

At the recent regular meeting of Local Union 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, the following officers were duly elected:

President—L. R. Blackford.
Vice-president—G. W. Terry.
F. S—P. A. Van Fleet.
R. S—Wm. H. Lunger.
Treasurer—S. P. Hoffman.
Conductor—F. Welsch.
Warden—L. C. Sheppard.
Trustee—T. S. Thorne.
Auditors—H. W. Force, W. H. Howe, P. T. Bogert.

Shiloh's Cough Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price, 50c. and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Avenue, opposite railroad station. 5-16-y

STREET RAILWAY TO WESTFIELD.

Gradual Extension of Rapid Transit Throughout the County—Water-Works Contract.

At the recent meeting of the Westfield township committee, Frank Bergen, counsel for the Union Water company, sent in a contract for the eight hydrants, and this resolution was passed:

"That the contract with the Union Water company be accept upon approval of the township counsel."

A petition was received from James B. MacGiffert and others, directors of the Elizabeth and Plainfield Street Railway company, asking the township committee for a location of the tracks of the said company in Westfield township and permission to lay the tracks. On motion the petition was placed on file. The clerk was instructed to notify Forster M. Voorhees, the company's attorney, to appear before the township committee at the next meeting and furnish further information in regard to the matter.

The electric railway company has secured rights of way from nearly all the property holders in the township, and has met with only one objection thus far. The route is along South avenue parallel with the railroad to Sussex street, thence to Elmer street to Ross place to South avenue to a point opposite the station. When this section of road between Elizabeth and Westfield township is completed the road will be extended to Plainfield.

THE MAYOR ASKS FOR ADVICE.

Plainfield Paupers Likely to Receive Better Attention.

At the request of mayor Alexander Gilbert, influential philanthropists met at his home last evening and discussed the matter of providing more adequately for Plainfield's poor. There were present Mrs. Benjamin Williamson of Elizabeth, president of the State board of charities, Dr. H. P. Reynolds, ex-councilman E. B. Clark, Mason W. Tyler, Mrs. Dexter O. Tiffany, Mrs. J. K. Myers, Mrs. Ruth Leonard, secretary of the relief association, and A. Vanderbeek, overseer of the poor. It was their unanimous opinion that the present system of boarding some paupers out, and grouping others into "Battle Row" without proper supervision, was very unsatisfactory. The plan of establishing a poor farm seemed to be most favored. The mayor listened carefully to all the propositions and it was left to him to make wise recommendations in his forthcoming annual message.

A Great Climax at Music Hall Next Friday Evening.

The climax of unconquerable success is attained in the American melodrama "Held in Slavery" during which play the most thrilling action ever conceived is carried out to perfection, namely: The storm at sea, showing lighthouse, a rainfall of real water, a mechanical sail boat at the mercy of the waves and moving about the stage, the whole scene illuminated by forked lightning, the newest electric effect. In addition to the foregoing the fire scene representing the interior of a burning cottage which collapses and falls in ruins, also a rocky retreat and beacon light are worthy of mention as above the average productions in scenic art. "Held in Slavery" does not depend upon the elaborate scenery to attract the theater-going public; the company engaged is competent in every respect and is composed of ladies and gentlemen of metropolitan reputation. Martin Hayden, a well-known star and author of the play, assumes the character of a young sailor, and Anna Boyle, late leading lady for Frederic Warde and Thomas Kenne, will play the part of Jenny, a white slave. The comedy element is sustained by Harry Sodley, Charles Robinson, Elsie Adair and Nellie Emmett who introduce many pleasing incidental specialties. It will be seen at Music Hall Friday evening.

An Automatic Flagman.

Rumor has it that the Central Railroad company is about to abolish the flagman's duty between Somerville and Phillipsburg. Between these two points the road has a number of curves and on the most dangerous for years there has been a flagman's house and the white flag was seen at the approach of every train when the track was clear. But now the company is about to erect an automatic signal to take the place of these men. Most of them are either old men or those crippled in the service of the railroad company.

Resigned to Move to Plainfield.

At the annual meeting of the Fanwood Firemen's Aid association David P. Hall, who has held the position of president for seven consecutive terms, declined a renomination in view of his intended removal to Plainfield, and the following officers were elected: President, Thomas J. Nicholl; vice-president, A. D. Beeken; treasurer, J. A. F. Simpson; secretary, Norman Dunn.

Next Year's Officers of Anchor Lodge.

At the annual communication of Anchor Lodge, F. & A. M., held last evening, the following were elected for the ensuing year:

W. M.—Henry H. Lowrie.
S. W.—C. C. Howard.
J. W.—Wm. A. Coddington.
Treas.—J. E. Turrill.
Secty—J. A. Demarest.
Trustees—W. A. Freeman, F. O. Herring, O. T. Waring.
Rep. to M. H. Asso.—O. T. Waring.
Proxy to Grand Lodge—J. M. Crane.

Take advice! Stop coughing at once by the immediate use of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. One bottle will cure you.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

LIVE CHURCH NEWS.

Items of General Interest from Dr. Hurlbut's M. E. "Visiter".

The Presiding Elder, Dr. C. S. Ryman, will preach in Park Place chapel Sunday evening, Jan. 15. This will be his first Sunday in Plainfield, and many will desire to hear him.

It was a happy thought to inaugurate the Mercy and Help department of our Epworth League in a "gift sociable" on the Friday evening before Christmas. Quite an array of provisions and groceries were piled up on the platform, and on Saturday morning brought gladness to many who needed them.

With the money made at the Thanksgiving entertainment the Park Place Ladies' Aid society has paid for two dozen children's chairs for the infant department and for crash to be laid in the aisles to protect the carpet. The society has still a fine balance in its treasury.

MONROE AVENUE WILL WANT A PASTOR SOON.

The Sunday morning service at Monroe Avenue chapel, begun as an experiment on Dec. 6, was so successful that it has been continued. James McGee has preached every Sunday morning, to the great satisfaction of many residents in that vicinity, who now enjoy the privilege of attending a morning service. The time is not far distant when Monroe Avenue will require a pastor. Even now, there is abundant work for a pastor in that growing portion of our city, and a church would have a good congregation.

A GREAT REVIVAL IN PROSPECT.

We propose to hold a special series of gospel services in our church during the opening weeks of the year 1893, beginning with the Week of Prayer. The arrangement of our meetings will be as follows: During the first week of the New Year, beginning Monday, Jan. 2, we will all meet every evening with the home church in Vincent chapel, and no meetings will be held in other chapels. On the second week, beginning Monday, Jan. 9, all will unite in Monroe Avenue chapel every evening. During the third week, beginning Monday, Jan. 16, all will unite in Park Place chapel, and no meetings will be held elsewhere.

THE REMAINING PASTORS TO THEIR DEPARTING BROTHER.

One of the most delightful institutions of Plainfield is its Ministers' association, a monthly gathering of all the evangelical clergymen in the city. It unites the churches, no less than the pastors; and promotes the true spirit of Christian brotherhood. There is no place in the land where the churches are in greater harmony and have less of the spirit of rivalry with one another than in Plainfield, and the Ministers' association has been a powerful factor in promoting this fraternity and unity. We are all interested in the resolutions adopted by this association on the departure of Dr. Mitchell from among us. They are as follows:

The Ministers' Association of Plainfield, New Jersey, having learned that the Rev. Dr. Charles B. Mitchell has resigned his pastorate of the Methodist Episcopal Church in this place, to accept a charge in Kansas City, Missouri, desire to express their deep regret on account of the sundering of the very pleasant relations and friendly intercourse with him during his pastorate here, and pray that God's blessing may rest upon him in his new field of labor.

TWENTY-FIFTH BIRTHDAY.

Review of The Constitutionalist.

January 1, 1893, will mark the twenty-fifth birthday of the Plainfield CONSTITUTIONALIST.

A quarter of a century!

Comparatively a brief period when measured with lengthened human life, yet how long as a journalistic record.

When we thoughtfully review the past twenty-five years, what a succession of changes and startling events crowd the aisles of memory?

How many who were familiarly known to us as prominent and worthy residents of Plainfield when this paper was first issued from the press, have passed onward to "that bourne from whence no traveler ere yet returned"; and what numbers have since grown to manhood, or become, either transiently or permanently, our fellow townsmen. Happily and thankfully we are still permitted to enjoy the cheering presence of scores of friends.

Change has followed change like storm-tossed ocean billows melting on the shore, but one thing stands rock-ribbed and unchanged, and that is the CONSTITUTIONALIST.

A quarter of a century ago we adopted and unfurled at the mast-head the Madisonian motto—"*Support the Constitution, which is the cement of the Union, as well in its limitations as in its authorities*", and today that flag is there flying. It has steadfastly waved in partisan defeat as in victory and never faltered as a loyal representative of the cause of Democracy. It has braved the smoke and turmoil of seven Presidential elections, besides a host of State and local contests.

The CONSTITUTIONALIST now, as at the first, is an outspoken Democratic journal and will so continue. It has boldly advocated the principles, measures and candidates of the Democratic party and combatted these of the opposition, but, we think, impartial public opinion will attest the fact that its editorial columns, although positively partisan, have been clear of vulgarity or personal defamation. Claiming the inherent right to be Democrats, we have ever yielded similar freedom to those of other political faiths, however widely different from ours.

The future no one can penetrate. The past is recorded history. We will strive to retain confidence by pursuing, without fear or favor, an honorable and honest course of action, and in conclusion, it becomes us to sincerely wish all, regardless of creed, class or condition, A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR!

I have been a sufferer from catarrh for twenty years. I found immediate relief in the use of Ely's Cream Balm. Since using it I have not suffered a moment from headache, sore throat or loss of sleep, from which I previously suffered, caused by catarrh. I consider your Balm a valuable remedy. E. G. Vassar, 56 Warren st., New York.

Ely's Cream Balm is worth its weight in gold as a cure for catarrh. One bottle cured me. S. A. Lovell, Franklin, Pa.

EXTRA!

Latest News By Wire to THE PRESS

EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE.

Two Killed and Many Injured in Long Island City.

LONG ISLAND CITY, Dec. 28.—A very severe explosion occurred in the yards of the New York and Long Island Tunnel company in this city this morning, by which at least two persons were killed outright and many injured. The explosion was a shocking result of workmen's careless use of cartridges at the tunnel yards. Houses were wrecked and burned, and dreadful injuries were sustained.

FIRE STARTED BY A BOMB.

Another Half-Million-Dollar Blaze in Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 28.—At 2 this morning a bomb was thrown into the main building of the South Side plant of the Milwaukee Street Railroad company. There was a tremendous explosion, and the entire plant was consumed, entailing a loss of $510,000.

ENGINE 319 IN THE DITCH.

A Big "Hog" Crashes into the Rear End of a Mixed Train Near White House—The Engineer Injured.

At an early hour this morning a bad crash occurred between two mixed coal and freight trains just west of White House station which completely blocked all tracks for five hours, wrecked three coal cars, one freight car filled with paint and powder kegs, a "cigar-box" caboose, and the big locomotive known as Hog 319. The engineer of Engine 319 while not seriously injured was badly cut and bruised about the head. Both the Hampton and Elizabethport wreck trains were hurried to the scene of the wreck in order to clear the tracks. All early morning trains were started from Somerville. The blame of the accident is at present attached to no one in particular, although someone was surely responsible for the smash. The place where the wreck occurred is just west of the station on a heavy grade coming this way and just around a deep curve. Both trains were bound east, and were therefore heavily loaded.

As the caboose of the leading train drawn by engine 356 rounded the curve near the station, engine 319, hauling a heavy train, crashed at full speed into the rear end. The big 319 went completely over the small caboose and fell at right angles down the embankment, which is about fifteen feet high at this point. Three coal cars, loaded, and one box car filled with kegs next to the caboose, were demolished, and their contents scattered all over the tracks. Most of the cars in both trains were derailed, thus blocking both tracks. Just why the engineer of the train doing the damage did not have his train under control when rounding this curve is not known, but with the speed he crashed into the other train he could not have been so. 319 is considered one of the unlucky engines of the Jersey Central. This is the engine that had the wreck at Westfield on the day of the big Greenville accident three weeks ago to-morrow.

By 10 this morning one track was clear, and the trains were running on time.

The Disposition of County Offices.

(*Rahway Democrat.*)

The Plainfield *Constitutionalist* thus summarizes the location of the Union county officials:

The City of Elizabeth glories in having among her citizens no less than six Union county officials, namely—two Common Pleas Judges, the Sheriff, County Clerk, Surrogate and County Collector. Rahway has one Judge, while Plainfield is left out in the cold.

The Senator should also be added to Elizabeth's credit. And Plainfield can more than offset Rahway as to emoluments as she has the County Attorney and Deputy County Clerk—Rahway only having the Clerk of the Board of Freeholders.

A Carpenter Injured.

A carpenter while at work on one of the new buildings at Garwood, Thursday, was struck on the head by a piece of falling timber. He was seriously injured. J. M. C. Marsh of Westfield, and one of the fellow-workmen, carried him to the residence of Mrs. MacQuoid. Dr. Harrison was summoned. His injuries are serious, but he is expected to recover.

Cranford Has Another Fire.

The livery stables of Stephen G. Emmons at Cranford were destroyed by fire at 3:30 this morning, with all their contents, including horses and vehicles. The loss is $2,000. The stables were directly back of the new opera-house block and near the big fire of two weeks ago.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease, Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Ave., opposite railroad station. 5-16-y

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely; it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

PLAINFIELD BARGAIN HOUSE.

Special Clearing-Out Sale

Throughout every Department.

CLEARING-OUT PRICES

On Ladies' and Children's Coats.

White & VanArsdale.

12 26 tf

The one chance of a lifetime to secure a charming location for a Summer Home is at

MIZZEN PEAK, WATCHUNG MOUNTAIN,

Twenty minutes' drive from Bound Brook station, and one and one-quarter hours from New York via. Royal Blue Line. Every one who has visited the spot pronounces it without exception the THE MOST DESIRABLE RESORT OF THE WHOLE RANGE; more natural advantages than at any other point. Do not fail to see it; first buyers can procure lots at very reasonable prices.

Also have other mountain property for sale at various points, viz.: near Washington Rock, 35 acres, house and barn; plots back of Plainfield, west of Somerset st., and on Johnston drive.

J. T. VAIL, Real Estate and Insurance Broker, Dealer in Blue Stone Flagging, etc., 49 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 11 1 tf

HOLIDAY GOODS!

Largest assortment. Greatest variety.

A. L. & M. D. GORSLINE,

14 WEST FRONT STREET, PLAINFIELD, N. J

R. W. Rice & Co.

Have a fine new assortment of

Jellies Jams and Preserves, Gordon & Dilworth's Mince Meat, Preserved Strawberries,

Also a fine line of Fancy Goods, Sliced Chutney (Bombay) Canadian Cheese, Anchvoiesin Oil, Edam Cheese.

Extra Fine Maple Syrup

In gallons, half gallons, quarts and pints. R. &S. Flemington Sausage.

Tel. phone 75 B Corner Emily and Duer Streets.

ROCHESTER BEERS

The success already attained by this brand of lager beer is beyond exp ctation. No other beer ever handled in this city has had such remarkable sales. Try it. You'll like it.

BOTTLED LIQUORS

And Imported Ales and Beers are having a very large sale at this season. My stock is first-class and it will pay you to investigate.

Frank Linke's Wholesale Liquor Establishment,

Telephone call, 157. No. 43 West Front Street

PROTECTION! PROTECTION!

No politics about this. The protection of the hour is a protection against the cold blasts of winter. For a supply of cold weather Clothing, such as Heavy Weight Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Leather Coats, at lowest cash prices, call on

COLYER & CO.,

815 BROAD ST., NEWARK, N. J. 11 1 tm

Alexander Willett,

7 Park Avenue, City

SLIPPERS For Christmas.

Large assortment of anything in the Slipper line. Romeo, Everett and Opera. Youth's, Boy's and Men's Patent Leather Oxford Ties.

Open evenings until 9.

STOVES. STOVES

The finest line of Heating and Cook Stoves in the city. Parlor Stoves from $4.50 up; Cook Stoves from $12 up.

Agents for the celebrated "Palace King" furnace, conceded by everyone to be the best furnace in the market.

Also all kinds of Hardware, Housefurnishings, Paints, &c.

ZIMMERMAN & RUMPF'S,

Successors to Pierson Hardware Co., 7 11 tf 42 West Front Street.

BICYCLES

Make excellent Christmas presents. The best are on sale at

The Wheelmen's Headquarters,

67 AND 69 PARK AVENUE.

FRANK L. C. MARTIN.

Bargains in Second-Hand Wheels.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. CASH MUST accompany ads.

FOR SALE—Cheap, good work horse, sound and kind. Apply 19 Muhlenburg place. 12 20 2w

WANTED—A young man to do waiting and make himself useful. 81 West Front street.

BARBER shop in Raritan, N. J., for sale cheap. Apply to Michael Ryan, corner Main and Hamilton stree's, Somerville, N. J.

LOST—A fox terrier. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 32 Sandford avenue.

FOR SALE—A good paying wholesale cash business; capital required under $1,000. Address X., care Press. 12 28 3

WANTED—A girl to do general housework; must have references. Inquire of Mrs. O'Brien, 8 W. 4th st. 12 28 2

LIBERAL REWARD—Lost between Plainfield and Fanwood, Tuesday, Alaska sable collar. Return to Press office.

WANTED—Two girls, one cook and laundress, other chambermaid and waitress. 71 Madison avenue.

FOUND—A pair of men's gloves. Owner can have them by calling on Wm. J. Nelson, 44 West Front street. 12 28 2

LOST—Gold eye glasses and chain. Reward by returning to Williams's pharmacy.

A CASH register for sale. Inquire at E. P. Thorn's, No. 17 Park avenue. 12 14 tf

GIRL wanted for general housework; small family. Apply 15 Craig place. 12 24 tf

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS pe 11 14tf.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

PHAETON as good as new, for sale at a bargain, 66 Park ave. 12 24 6

GIRL wanted, No. 9 Greenbrook road; light housework. 12 27 3

ENGAGEMENT wanted to read or write, or both, a few hours daily. Address Miss H, care Press. 12 27 3

AMATEUR THEATRICALS.

The Duchess of Dublin

—AND—

A Veneered Savage

will be given

AT THE CASINO,

Thursday, December 29,

At 8 p. m.

TICKETS $1.00.

On sale at Reynolds's, Randolph's and Central Pharmacies.

Doors open 7 30. 12 19 6 eod

Lantern Slide Evening. Exhibition of Slides

Made by the Newark Camera Club,

THURSDAY, DEC. 29, AT 8 P. M.,

In the rooms of the Plainfield Camera Club over post-office. Admission 25c. 12 27 3

Two Piano Recitals

By MR. PAUL TIDDEN,

At The Casino.

Tuesday Mornings, January 3 and 10

AT 11.

Patronesses—Mrs. C. E. Brooks, Mrs. Irving H. Brown, Mrs. Rowland Cox, Mrs. Charles J. Fisk, Mrs. Pliny Fisk, Miss E. E. Kenyon, Mrs. F. G. Mead, Mrs. J. E. Myers, Mrs. William J. Roome, Mrs. H. G. Runkle, Mrs. Wm. L. Saunders, Miss Emilie Schipper, Mrs. A. D. Shepard, Mrs. Mason W. Tyler, Mrs. Charles D. Wadsworth and Mrs. Wm. L. Wadsworth.

Subscription tickets $1.50. Single tickets $1. May be obtained of the patronesses and at the Central pharmacy and Reynolds's drug store. 12 27 6

Sidewalks Must Be Cleaned.

An Ordinance to provide for keeping street sidewalks and gutters free from snow, hail, sleet and ice.

SEC. 2. If in any case such snow, hail, sleet or ice shall be so congealed that the same cannot be so removed without injury to the sidewalks or gutters where the same has fallen or been formed, it shall be the duty of the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, occupant or occupants, and person or persons having charge of every such lot or parcel of land severally to cause the snow, hail, or sleet or ice which shall have been so congealed, to be strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after such congelation shall have happened, excepting in cases where such congelation shall have happened during any night, in all which last mentioned cases such snow, hail, sleet and ice shall be so strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning; and in all cases mentioned in this section all snow, hail, sleet and ice which shall have been so congealed shall be so removed from the sidewalks and gutters aforesaid to the respective widths aforesaid, within four hours after the same shall have become thawed to such an extent as to render such removal practicable with out injury to such sidewalks or gutters, save in cases where the same shall have become so thawed during any night in all which last mentioned cases the same shall be removed within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning.

SEC. 3. For each violation of this ordinance every person violating the same shall be subject to a penalty of five dollars, recoverable for the use of the city.

Anyone failing to comply with this ordinance will be dealt with as law and justice may require. GEO. W. GRANT, Chief of Police. 12 27 6

CRESCENT RINK.

New Year's Eve,

SATURDAY NIGHT, Dec. 31,

By request,

Skating until 10,

Dancing until 11.45.

NEW YEAR'S DAY,

Monday, Jan. 2,

TWO GRAND

SKATING SESSIONS

Afternoon and night.

Prepare for the great Columbus roller skating costume Carnival the latter part of January. Elegant prizes

11 28 tf

Go To Krewson's.

Billiards 40 Cents Per Hour.

Pool 3 Cents a Cue.

25 West Front Street. 11 17 tf

GREAT SPECIAL CLEARANCE SALE.

Preparatory to extensive alterations in our store we will sell our entire stock of Cloaks, Millinery, Furs and all Winter Goods at wholesale cost price.

We will also sell everything in all departments throughout our store at a discount. This will afford the people of Plainfield and vicinity a grand opportunity to purchase first-class goods at genuine bargain prices.

LEDERER'S,

9 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

DID IT EVER OCCUR TO YOU

That many men who spend less money than you do for Shoes, are better shod, and do

You Know the Reason?

The other man buys his Shoes of

SPRINGER'S SHOE STORE

32 West Front Street.

GEO. L. VAN EMBURGH & SON,

No. 9 East Front Street,

Opposite Park Avenue.

If you have not yet selected your Christmas Goods, we have a fine line to pick from.

We certainly believe we are showing the finest line of Dolls in the city.

Upside Down

With business. A big rush of

Christmas Shoppers,

To buy Slippers, Shoes, Rubbers, Rubber Boots, Arctics, etc., for presents.

SHERWIN'S,

23 West Front Street. Strictly Cash.

BONDED WAREHOUSES.

One in New York Is a Glaring Exception in Many Ways.

Guarded by a Ramshackle Fence on the Shore and a Big Derrick on East River—Never Visited by Burglars.

The places where "Uncle Sam" stores imported goods upon which the duty has not been paid are known as "bonded warehouses," and are generally regarded as big, gloomy, forbidding, frowning structures, with every window shielded by iron shutters, every door locked, barred and bolted, and the whole under the watchful guardianship of an officer armed to the teeth, and bound by oaths to deliver over to the stern hand of justice any wanderer who would dare to more than look at him and the treasure he is there to protect. This view is in the main correct, but there is one brilliant, glaring exception to this rule, says the New York Tribune. This statement is liberal as well as figurative, for the place is not shut in by high walls, there is no lock on the door which would bother a boy with a brick, let alone an expert burglar, for more than a minute. The roof of this bonded warehouse is the blue arch of heaven, and its custodian, lovingly called the "old man" by those who know him, has no more hard work to do than to sit at a window in his shanty in one corner of the "house" and smoke and watch the progress of work in his tiny domain. At night he can go home and rest, confident in the knowledge that, although thieves can break in and steal the goods under his care if they wish, the chance of their doing so is exceedingly slim.

The merchandise which is so accessible to those with predatory instincts and desires is delivered to the "house" by lighters and scows which receive it

MOVING BONDED GOODS.

from the big, black, grimy steamships which come to this port from the Mediterranean. At times a great part of their cargo is made up of huge blocks of marble. Sometimes the duty is paid at once by the consignee, and the marble shipped to the various factories where it is worked up into salable stuff. But much of it comes in "to order," or to be sold on commission, in which case it is transferred to lighters and by them taken to the "bonded warehouse," which is nothing more than a plat of ground bounded by the East river, and Corlears and Water streets, right at the point of Corlears Hook. This yard is strewn with blocks of marble weighing anywhere from two to twenty tons, all under bond to the government for the payment of duties.

Fastened to the East river side of the yard is an enormous derrick, worked by steam, and capable of picking up a load of over one hundred tons and swinging it in the air. The derrick, or crane, has steel wire cables half an inch in diameter run through two sets of blocks, one with two and the other with four sheaves, and with such nice adjustment of power that a block of marble weighing twenty tons can be laid on top of another without breaking a sheet of tissue paper placed between them. It was built after the model of one used at the government yard in Boston, and is the largest machine of its kind in the city, and when scows laden with four or five hundred tons of marble are hauled up to it and the powerful engines get fairly settled down to work, that boatload of stone meets a short shift, and its transference from sea to shore is a matter of little time.

Visitors to the yard will not wonder at the carelessness displayed by the keeper, for if anyone is anxious to prove to his satisfaction how futile would be the attempt to rob the place he is at liberty to try it.

The Palmetto of the South.

The graceful palmetto, that grows so profusely in the lower tier of the southern states, has recently become a factor in the industries of the south, for its wood is hard enough to carve and its fiber is strong enough to make excellent cordage and a useful substitute for sponges. In Jacksonville a factory has been started for the purpose of making brushes and brooms of the fiber, and elsewhere sink brushes are being made of the wood, half of whose thickness is being converted into bristling points. The young leaves of the tree make a salad that the people are beginning to appreciate, and the taste of it is likened to that of chestnuts. Bears knew about it long before the people did, and it is a favorite article of diet among them. the black bears climbing the trees and browsing on the fresh shoots as eagerly as they browse on watermelons.

Pay for Women's Work.

Why are women paid less than men for the same work? Many reasons have been given for this very formidable fact, from which we quote the following: "In the first place, the supply consequent upon the great numbers of women who apply for work, is greater than the demand. Then she is a new factor in the industrial system, and this tends to keep her wages low. Again, she lacks technical training and, unfortunately, she is not always willing to spend the time necessary to acquire the proper training, because she has not an appreciative idea of its value. Lastly, she has not the same physical endurance possessed by man, and she is constantly expecting assistance, which affects her standing."

School Ventilation.

Mamma—Is your new school well ventilated?

Little Girl—Our room isn't, but the room next to ours is.

"How do you know?"

"The children in that room all have colds in their heads."—Good News.

A Latter Day Proverb.

"Be sure you're right, then go ahead,"
As wise old Davy Crockett said.
But this will beat that out of sight—
Just get ahead, and you'll be right.
—Brooklyn Life.

The Ruling Passion.

"Come, Ethel! come quick! The hotel is on fire and the halls are crowded with people."

"My gracious! Is my hat on straight?"—Chicago News Record.

A WONDERFUL SHOT.

How Chantrey Astonished Himself and His Army of Friends.

The most memorable shot that is recorded in the annals of sport is that made by Sir Francis Chantrey, the sculptor, on the 20th of November, 1829, at Holkham, in Norfolk, England. On that occasion the famous artist while visiting his friend, Mr. Coke, of Holkham, brought down two woodcocks at one shot.

The whole shooting world was paralyzed for a time by this feat, and it has been more or less of a wonder ever since. The woodcock, it is hardly necessary to say, is a very difficult bird to shoot even singly. Its flight is rapid and twisting and it always keeps to

THE CHANTREY MONUMENT.

trees and bushes, making its detection a difficult matter. So when it was announced that Chantrey had killed two at a shot he was immediately made a hero and congratulations began to pour in on him in great multitudes. The sculptor himself, much elated by his good fortune, decided to erect a monument to the fallen game, of which he should be the designer.

Inscriptions were invited from the men of letters of the day, but in spite of the fact that some very celebrated writers were among the contributors none of their efforts was considered worthy of adoption.

Later in life Sir Francis acknowledged that the shot was a scratch and that he saw but one bird when he aimed. The carved effigy of the woodcocks which he made was a very poor work of art.

IN ARCTIC WATERS.

Remarkable Fate of the Whaling Ship "Helen Mar."

The whaler Helen Mar was crushed in the whaling grounds of the Arctic ocean and thirty-four men were lost. Only one of the five survivors reached San Francisco on the 9th of November, and he is now in the Marine hospital for treatment. The story which this survivor, named Koshan, told through an interpreter illustrates the perils of whaling in the far north. The Helen Mar was an old but staunch boat, which sailed from the Golden Gate on December 24 last. On October 6, when in latitude 71 degrees north, the vessel took two whales. The crew were so busy in trying out the catch that they didn't observe the swift cur-

CRUSHED BY AN ICE FLOE.

rent carrying them toward a great ice floe, in the center of which was a huge iceberg.

When they observed their peril there was no time left to escape wreck. The sharp edge of the ice cut through her hull as a knife cuts cheese. Two masts snapped off and fell on the ice, and the vessel went down as though the bottom had dropped out. Fifth Mate William Ward and four men leaped to the ice floe, and saved their lives. They saw the captain and the first mate struggling in the water, but could not lend any help. In five minutes the captain and thirty-three men had found watery graves.

The situation of the men on the ice floe was desperate, as they were at the mercy of the icy winds and without shelter. They hoisted a shirt on a fragment of a spar and waited for help from some passing vessel. They spent forty-eight hours on the ice before they were seen by the steam whaler Orica, which mistook them for walruses. Soon after the steam whaler Belaica came along and took the men on board. All except Koshan were left at Unalaska, as they were badly frozen. They will recover, but Mate Ward will be a cripple.

The Origin of Trousers.

By the patient archæological research carried on by one woman it has been provided, for the gratification of all women, that the bifurcated nether garment supposed to be specially distinctive of the masculine toilet rightly belongs to the feminine dress. The women of Judah, it seems, were the first wearers of the garment in bifurcated form, and man, perceiving the convenience and comfort of this article of dress, evolved by the superior intelligence of woman, appropriated the same for his own use, and doomed his womankind to encumber their limbs with flowing robes which render it impossible for them to cope with man in the useful avocations.

A Naturalist.

Philanthropist—What started you on your wanderings?

Weary Raggles—A good man told me to "go to the ant." I have been wandering through the country, studying the habits of the interesting insect, ever since.—Puck.

Consoling.

An invalid undertaker is visited by a friend who is in the same business.

Sick Man—Ah, my friend, this is the most terrible attack that I have ever had.

Friend—Yes, poor fellow, and I hope it will be your last.—Texas Siftings.

Invitations Always Accepted.

Mr. Hopeful (feeling his way)—I am the only one your sister goes to operas and theaters with, am I not?

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The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man. Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

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FIVE MET THEIR DEATH

Result of Long Island City's Dynamite Explosion.

TWENTY-THREE OTHERS INJURED.

Two of the Latter May Die—No One Knows Exactly How the Explosion Occurred—Houses in the Immediate Vicinity Wrecked—The Horror Intensified by Fire—Twenty Families Homeless.

LONG ISLAND CITY, Dec. 29.—The explosion yesterday was very disastrous in its consequences. Five persons are dead, two are fatally hurt, and 20 others are more or less seriously wounded. While the damage to property in the vicinity is not so great as at first reported, it will amount to many thousand dollars.

The explosion shook the length and breadth of the city, causing the most intense excitement, which continues, though in a quiter, but sadder, manner to-day.

The following is a complete list of the killed and wounded as far as can be ascertained up to 11 a. m. this morning:

DEAD.

MARY GRADEN, aged 21, a waitress.
HENRY O'BRIEN, grocer's clerk, aged 33.
MRS. ROCCO, the wife of Peter Rocco, a barber.
JOHN HOPKINS, aged 22, proprietor of a restaurant.
NICOLA LODANO, brother of Mrs. Rocco.

WOUNDED.

Mrs. Julia Henry, cut in the throat, head and hands by glass and received a severe shock.

Peter McEntee, foreman on the tunnel work, head, legs and arms terribly cut and several bones broken.

Mrs. Mary Maher, cut about head and arms.

Daniel Maher, cut about head and body and lost left eye.

Mary Creighton, lost an eye and badly cut about the head and body; will probably die.

Edward Delaney, skull fractued, both eyes injured; will die.

Petro Rocco, cut about head and body.

Joseph Way, back punctured.

Minnie Davren, serious injuries to head and body.

John Davren, badly cut about head and face.

John W. Davren, cut about head and hands.

Matilda Ryan, cut about head.

John Purcell, seriously injured by falling timbers.

William Johnson, cuts and bruises on head and body.

James Murphy, cuts on head.

Mrs. Mary Rogers and son John Rogers. Both badly cut about head.

Max Hayes, severely cut on back of head.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wildey, cuts on head.

Mrs. Kate O'Brien, face and hands badly cut.

William Krepp, head cut.

John Palmer, head and hands cut.

Mrs. Stein and daughter, three years old. Both severely cut and child lost one eye.

Alderman James Comisky, head cut.

The scene of the explosion is in the most thickly settled portion of Hunter's Point. Seventeen families occupied the buildings in the vicinity. The tunnel company's shaft is about 25 feet long by 12 feet wide.

No one has yet been found who can tell exactly how the explosion occurred, but the following facts have been learned.

Some fifty cartridges of powder had been brought from the storage house on the meadows to be prepared for sending down to the drillers working in the heading, which is being blasted out under Fourth street at a depth of 85 feet.

As the explosive was frozen, Foreman McEntee placed the cartridges in the steamchests to thaw them out. They had been there about 15 minutes when the explosion occurred.

The effect of the explosion on the houses was terrible. Every window sash in the rear was ripped out and the glass driven, pieces of all sizes, through the rooms, and those in the front were blown out.

No wreck was ever more complete. A strip of the rear brick wall, about ten feet wide, extending from basement to roof, fell in with a terrible crash.

Amid the confusion could be heard the cries of the wounded and the moans of the dying.

Mrs. Petro Rocco was the first victim whose body was found.

Then the body of Mary Graden, the waitress, was found on the floor of the restaurant kitchen and near her were the proprietor, John Hopkins, and his assistant, Edward Delaney.

Both the latter were unconscious, their faces being terribly mutilated.

On the floor of the barber's shop lay the body of a man who was too much disfigured to be recognizable at the time. The man was still alive. He was afterwards identified as Nicola Lodano, Mrs. Rocco's brother.

The ambulance of St. John's Hospital and a corps of doctors arrived simultaneously and the wounded were quickly removed to the hospital. Then the dead and dying were taken to stores near by. The last victim taken out was Henry O'Brien, the young grocer, who was carried to the station house, where he died a few minutes after reaching there.

While all this was going on the horror of the occasion was intensified by the bursting out of flames on the third floor of one of the apartment buildings. The flames spread rapidly and before the firemen got them under control, nearly the whole row of buildings were gutted.

The damage was not confined to the flats. For half a mile in every direction the window panes, large and small, in the stores and houses, were blown out, falling on the heads of many people passing along the streets by which means many were cut and otherwise injured.

At least 20 families were rendered homeless, most of them losing furniture, clothing and everything that they possessed except the few things on their backs.

For half a mile, Jackson and Vernon avenus present a peculiar sight. Hardly an unbroken pane of glass can be found within that radius.

Gary's refrigerator factory on Fourth street, opposite the scene of the explosion, is almost completely wrecked. A number of people were at work in the building at the time, but how many of them were injured it is not at present known.

Tin Plate Plant for Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 29.—Before the end of the present week a new tin plate plant will be put in operation in Baltimore.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

WAS TO HAVE BEEN A "FAKE."

Said to be the Cause of the McAuliffe-Burge Fight Fizzle.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—There is a sensational rumor going the rounds of the sporting fraternity of this city to the effect that the match between Jack McAuliffe and Dick Burge, for which the Coney Island Athletic club recently offered a $45,000 purse and subsequently withdrew it, was to be a gigantic fake.

The story has created no end of gossip here and is apparently based on sound facts and figures.

The supposition that the contest was to be a prearranged affair,is strengthened by the fact that Judge Newton, match-maker of the club, has intimated to some persons that Burge, he heard, was to lay down to the American champion and for these reasons he refused to have anything to do with the men.

Newton when interviewed by a reporter refused to either confirm or deny the rumor. He, however, spoke as though he had suspected that something was suspicious about Burge's actions and for these reasons alone he had withdrawn the purse to save the reputation of the club and the public from being imposed upon.

FOUR BURNED TO DEATH.

Destructive Fire to Life and Property at Ossawatomie, Ky.

OSSAWATOMIE, Ky., Dec. 29.—A most destructive fire to life and property occurred in this place late at night. Three large two-story dwellings on Ben Crouch avenue caught fire from natural gas and were entirely consumed, nothing being saved.

Four persons were cremated and several had miraculous escapes in their night-clothes.

The names of the dead are:
Mrs. Louis Kindle.
Miss Griffith.
An infant child.
Miss Flatcher, a servant.

Nothing but a portion of the bones of Mrs. Kindle and the infant remained. The unfortunate woman's husband was killed by a train at Holden, Mo., a few months ago.

ROYALISTS PROTEST.

Do Not Want to Commemorate the Execution of Louis XVI.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—The Municipal Council of Paris by a vote of 54 to 12, has resolved to erect a monument to commemorate the execution of Louis XVI., to demolish the Expiatory Chapel erected in 1820-26 to the memory of Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette, and to place on the site of the chapel a bust of Lepalletier St. Fargeau, with a suitable inscription referring to his action in voting for the death of Louis.

The Royalist members loudly protested against the Council's course.

The prefect of the Department of the Seine reserves his decision in the matter.

Rutland, Vt., in Trouble.

RUTLAND, Vt., Dec. 29.—The action of the voters of the village last Thursday in refusing to raise money to pay debts or necessary expenses from now until the new city Government comes into power will likely result in a shut off of the electric lights and a dismissal of the police force If this is done all the insurance companies in Rutland will withdraw their risks.

Funeral of Detective Synnott.

DUBLIN, Dec. 29.—The funeral of Detective Synnott, who lost his life in the explosion here Saturday, was very largely attended by officials and citizens. It was one of the largest funerals held in Dublin in many years. There are no new developments in the case, and to judge from the present outlook, the cowardly author of the outrage will go unpunished.

Two Schooners Ashore.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., Dec. 29.—The schooner Esther Ward (of Gloucester) from La Have banks with 75,000 pounds of fish, is ashore at Chatham. Cargo may be saved, but the vessel will be a total loss. The schooner Falcom (of Gloucester) with fish, is ashore at Ram Point. Crew saved. The vessel is high upon the bank.

Racing Association Reports.

ALBANY, Dec. 29.—Comptroller Campbell has received a statement from the Brighton Beach Racing Association showing its entrance receipts for the year to be $58,049, on which the department will impose a pool tax of $2,902.48. The Kirkwood Driving Park Association reported receipts of $3,112.50, on which the tax will be $155.62.

Change of Newspaper Owners.

BALLSTON, N. Y., Dec. 29.—G. Walbaum & Co., of New York, have purchased the Saratoga "Union" newspaper plant from Spencer Trask, to take possession January 7. They will continue it as a Democratic daily, and will add a job department for the season's printing of the Saratoga Racing Association.

In Favor of Immigration.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 29.—The North German Turnerbund, (gymnastic union), an organization of 450,000 German Americans, through its national executive officers, protested in a series of resolutions against the restriction or suspension of immigration from other civilized nations.

Crew Rescued By Life Savers.

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Dec. 29.—Fishing schooner Welcome of Gloucester is ashore near Race Point. The crew of sixteen men were brought safely to shore by the life saving crew. The vessel will likely be a total loss.

To Become a Western Newspaper Man.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Dec. 29.—Frank M. Rollins, business manager of the Manchester Union, has severed his connection with that paper, and it is understood will assume the proprietorship of the Denver, Col., Sun.

JIM DUNLAP PARDONED

The Northampton Bank Robber Will be Free Jan. 1.

MRS. ROWLAND SUCCEEDS AT LAST.

After Recommendation by the Massachusetts Pardon Board Gov. Russell Affixes His Signature—History of the Great Northampton Bank Robbery in 1876.

BOSTON, Dec. 29.—James Dunlap, the Northampton bank robber, was pardoned last evening by Gov. Russell and will leave the Charleston State prison Jan. 1. Fifteen years ago New Year's Day James Dunlap and Robert Scott began to serve a sentence of 20 years. Scott died in prison and his wife, now Mrs. Mary Scott Rowland, promised him on his death bed that she would devote her life to securing a pardon for Dunlap. The latter's sentence would have expired Dec. 29, 1893.

Gov. Russell's Council voted unanimously for the pardon, Lieut.-Gov. Haile, who has been opposed to it, withdrawing his objection.

For years Dunlap has been before the Governor and Council. The Executive Council of 1888 recommended that he be pardoned. The Councils of 1890 and 1891 recommended that a pardon be granted forthwith, and the Council of 1892 that he be freed in April, A minority dissented. The Governor refused in each case to grant the pardon.

The pardon will be held for Mrs. Rowland's arrival to-day that she be the first person to inform Dunlap of his freedom.

The "Old" Northampton Bank, at Northampton, Mass., was robbed on the night of Nov. 26, 1876, of $12,000 in cash and $1,500,000 in securities. The burglars, who had been in the vicinity several weeks, took the cashier from his house and forced him to give them the combination of the safe.

The gang included "Red" Leary, Billy Connors, Ed. Goodrich, "Shang" Draper, "Bob" Scott and James Dunlap.

The booty was concealed for a time in the belfry of the Church of the Redeemer, Astoria, L. I. It is claimed that Leary, Draper and Connors cheated Scott and Dunlap out of their share, and then betrayed them.

The two men were arrested in New York, taken to Massachusetts and convicted on the testimony of Goodrich.

Dunlap is believed to have been the tool of the other men, and Scott said as much before he died.

Dunlap has been a model prisoner, and would have shortened his term by good behavior even if he had not been pardoned. Gen. Sherman once interceded for him. Ex-Gov. Long of Massachusetts; George Abbott James and others helped Mrs. Rowland in securing the pardon. Dunlap was a soldier during the war and suffered much from an old wound in his leg.

In 1873 Mary B. Wood,a pretty fifteen-year-old girl in the Moravian Seminary at Bethlehem, Pa., fell in love with "Bob" Scott and eloped with him. They lived in New York, and the young wife did dot know her husband's true character until he was arrested. After Scott's death in prison Mrs. Scott married again. She is now a fashionable dressmaker on Fifth avenue, New York.

Leary, Draper and Connors escaped punishment by returning to the bank the bulk of the stolen securities. Leary was killed in New York some years ago. Draper and Connors are physical wrecks.

DEACON SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Proceedings Instituted in New York—Adultery the Grounds.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Edward Parker Deacon, who shot Emile Abeille, in the Hotel Splendide, Cannes, France, because of alleged intimacy with his wife, has brought suit in the Supreme Court in this city for an absolute divorce from his wife, Florence Deacon, through Coudert Brothers.

In his complaint, Mr. Deacon gives a number of occasions on which, he declares, he is informed his wife committed adultery with Abeille. He also makes general allegations that she has committed adultery with other men during the past two years, but no names are given.

After naming several places where Mrs. Deacon held alleged improper relations with M. Abeille, Mr. Deacon in his final allegation says he is informed, and has reason to believe, that his wife committed adultery at other places with M. Abeille during the past two years, and that during the same period she committed the same offense with divers other men whose names Mr. Deacon cannot at present specify.

AN UNEVENTFUL NIGHT.

Dr. Johnston Says Mr. Blaine Is Still Improving.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—"Mr. Blaine still shows improvement and the night throughout has been uneventful."

This statement was made to a reporter this morning and Dr. Johnson had just left the bedside of Mr. Blaine.

As long as Mr. Blaine holds his own the family are hopeful that his life may be spared for a long time to come.

Samuel J. Randall's Estate.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—The first and final account of the estate of the late Congressman Samuel J. Randall shows that he left property valued at $789.74, while the fees of physicians and undertakers who attended him were $1,194.15.

New Return Card.

BIRMINGHAM, Conn., Dec. 29.—Postmaster General Wanamaker has ordered a new international return card printed here. The card is to be of pearl gray color, and of finer board than any yet used.

MILWAUKEE'S FIREBUGS.

The Chief of Police Says Dishonest Owners Are the Incendiaries.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 29.—While the Common Council is passing a resolution calling for a grand jury investigation into the causes of recent fires in Milwaukee, while the insurance agents are threatening to make their rates for this city practically prohibitory, and while the business interests of the city are almost terrorized at the constant recurrence of heavy losses of life and property, Chief Janssen, of the Police department, states that he believes that the only firebugs at work here are dishonest owners.

Chief Janssen's investigation will be mainly along this line.

President Alfred James, of the Northwestern National Insurance company, believes with Chief Janssen that about half the fires have been purely accidental, perhaps one or two set by thieves or tramps looking for plunder, and all the rest started by the owners of the buildings burned.

The burning of the South Side street car barns has been fully accounted for by the testimony of a watchman, who stated that the fire originated in a car stove. He tried to push the car out of the barn and, failing, ran out to give the alarm. When he returned the building and contents, valued at more than a half million dollars, were hopelessly involved in flames.

The Street Railway Company's south side plant is located on Kinnickinnic avenue. It includes the immense storage stables for electric motors, the machine shops and the stables. In the barn were fifty new electric motors and nearly all the summer cars owned by the company.

The machine shops were built in the past season and were fitted with very fine machinery for the rebuilding and repairing of cars.

In the stable were sixty horses but they were gotten out alive.

The cars stored in the building were valued at $350,000, while the structure itself is worth at least $60,000. The machinery is valued at fully $75,000, while the stores of the company which were kept in the building were worth $25,000. The insurance carried was on the building, and amounts to $40,000.

The barns which were destroyed were the principal depot of the Milwaukee Street Railway Company, and the fire greatly cripples the company.

ESCAPED FROM A MAD HOUSE.

Hamilton Wood, Whose Case Recently Attracted Attention, is Now at Large

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 29. — Hamilton Wood, about whose confinement at the Danvers Lunatic Hospital considerable excitement was created about a year ago, has escaped from the State Lunatic Hospital at Worcester, and is now supposed to be located somewhere in New York State.

This information is conveyed by Wood in a letter to a friend in Boston. He gave no particulars regarding the methods which he adopted to free himself, nor what he intended doing for the future. He stated, however, that he was in the hands of friends.

Wood was formerly a dealer in art works in New York and Boston, and several years ago was sent to Danvers as insane.

While there he wrote letters to prominent persons asserting that he was not insane, and was unjustly kept in confinement through the influence of his wife, who is now in Boston.

The intelligence and clearness which he manifested in these epistles interested many well-known persons in his behalf, and he was granted a hearing in the Supreme Court, which, however, resulted adversely for him. He was then transferred to Worcester.

The officials at the Worcester Institution admit his escape but decline to give any information as to how he obtained his liberty.

REDUCING THE FORCE.

Decrease in Immigration Causes a Number of Inspectors to Lose Their Positions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The decrease in revenue from the head tax on immigrants caused by the partial suspension of immigration has caused the dismissal, among others, of the following immigration inspectors:

New York—Wm. H. Grogan, Chas. S. Morris, S. C. Osborn and Geo. G. Wanzer.
Boston—Henry T. Bingham, Samuel D. Edwards and C. H. Litchman.
Baltimore—James Massey.
Pittsburg—W. F. Eberhard.
Ogdensburgh, N. Y.—Wm. Furness.
Morristown, N. Y.—James Gilmour.
Charlotte, N. Y.—Samuel F. Tuomey.
Calais, Me.—Chas. R. McFadden.
Bangor, Me.—Daniel B. Savage.
Willimantic, Conn.—Wm. Sellew.

Closed Its Work.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — The Italo-American Board of Promotion of the World's Columbian Exposition has closed its work with the fulfillment of the object of its efforts, namely, to have Italy officially represented at the World's Fair. C. F. Y. Carnicristi and Prof. Fava, who have been at the head of the movement, are very jubilant over their success which has led to the appointment of a commission by the King of Italy.

Three Persons Accidentally Shot.

HIGHLAND CREEK, Ont., Dec. 29.—While acting to the sentiment of a song which he was singing at the house of Mr. Davis, near this place, a young man accidentally discharged a loaded rifle. The ball passed through the breast of Miss Davis and afterward passed through the fleshy parts of the legs of her sister and brother, inflicting serious wounds. Miss Davis is in a precarious condition.

New Spanish Minister.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Secretary of State Foster says he has not received any word from the Spanish goverament in regard to the change of their Minister at Washington, but he has received private advices from the American Legation at Madrid that Marquis Bandana has been appointed Minister to Washington in place of Sen. Dupuy de Some.

Barrett Won't Join in the Call.

BOSTON, Dec. 29.—Speaker Barrett has sent a letter to Messrs. F. P. Bennett and M. R. Leonard in reference to a call for a caucus of Republican members of the next House of Representatives, to be held on the evening of Jan. 5. Mr. Barrett says he has no desire to join in such a call.

Crew Badly Frozen.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Dec. 29.—The schooner Thomas W. Holden, from Gonaives for New York, has arrived at Tarpaulin Cove badly iced up and crew badly frozen.

NEWS OF THE UMBRIA

The Moravia Sighted the Cunarder on Dec. 21.

SHE WAS APPARENTLY ALL RIGHT.

That the Vessel Has Met With Accident Since Then Is Agreed in Shipping Circles—The Most Serious Mishap Would be Collision With a Derelict — She is Now Six Days Overdue, and Her Agents Are Seriously Alarmed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Conjecture as to what has happened the long overdue Cunarder Umbria is all that can be indulged in. That she has met with accident is agreed in shipping circles, but just the nature, extent and seriousness of that mishap will not be known until she is spoken by some ship which will bring the news to port, or until she arrives either on this or the other side of the Atlantic.

The Umbria is now nearly six days overdue. Whatever mishap has befallen her occurred after 10 o'clock on the morning of Dec. 21, when she was about seventy hours from Queenstown.

The first news of the sighting of the Umbria was brought into quarantine last night by the Hamburg-American steamship Moravia, Capt. Winckler, which left Hamburg on Dec. 12.

The chief officer reports that he sighted the Cunarder in latitude 49 deg., longitude 38 deg., 66 min., about three miles distant. She was in the regular westbound passenger track, and was going at her usual speed.

Two of the most serious accidents that could befall the Umbria would be the running down of one of the many derelicts now drifting aimlessly in the steamship lanes or colliding with another vessel.

Drifting wrecks are numerous, as is shown in last month's hydrgraphic chart. These silent and treacherous menaces to navigation fairly beset the paths of transatlantic liners. Some of them still retain their heavy cargoes, as is the case of the Wyer G. Sargent, which is loaded with logs of mahogany, and the bark Lady Gertrude, which carries railroad iron.

In striking a derelict a vessel like the Umbria would be injured at the most vulnerable point, namely, the bottom, which if the vessel were going at full speed, would be ripped open from stem to stern.

The breaking of her shaft or any part of her engines would be insignificant as compared with the danger the Umbria would be exposed to in the event of her running down one of these wanderers of the deep.

If the Umbria's engines have broken down there is no doubt of her ability to ride out or weather the severest storm while her corps of engineers are patching up the break.

ICE IN CHESAPEAKE TRIBUTARIES.

Bay Steamers Report Difficult Trips and Several Landings Closed.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 29—The bay steamers all report a heavy formation of ice on the tributaries of the Chesapeake Bay. Should the present cold weather continue for another day or two the Rappahannock, Patuxent, Chester, Upper Pocomok, Sassafras, Pataspaco and Susquehanna rivers will be rendered unnavigable.

Some of the landings could not be made yesterday.

Four steamers are reported fast in the ice. The Sue, from Washington, arrived several hours late, having had a rough struggle with ice in the Potomac river. She was unable to make her landings, and has been temporarily withdrawn from service. There does not, however, seem to be much fear of the harbor freezing up.

CHILI'S INDEMNITY LOCKED UP.

Government Officials Embarrassed Over the Distribution of the Fund.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The $75,000 accepted by this Government from Chili in settlement of all damages in the Baltimore riots in Valparaiso are now in the United States Treasury, to the credit of the Secretary of the Navy, but, judging from present indications, a long time will elapse before any part of the sum is drawn for the purpose of distribution among the claimants.

The government's legal advisers say that neither the Secretary of the Navy nor any other official has sufficient authority to disburse the fund in a way that would fully and effectually protect the government from the demands of such of the claimants as might be dissatisfied with their allotment.

Theodore Albert Sentenced.

NEWARK, Dec. 29.—Theodore Albert, who was arrested last week, charged with feloniously assaulting his 11-year-old daughter Olga, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to three years in State prison at hard labor.

A Relative of Bismarck Wounded.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—William von Putkammer, who it is alleged is related to Prince Bismark is in St. Vincent's Hospital suffering from stab wounds received during a fight with two burglars at his house on Abingdon Square.

Franklin Drake Dead.

CORNING, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Franklin N. Drake, one of the wealthiest and best known residents of western New York, is dead at North Adams, Mass., whither he had gone to receive treatment for a cancerous affection.

Peck to Begin Libel Suits.

ALBANY, Dec. 29.—It is reported that Labor Commissioner Peck is about to seek vindication through suits for libel against various newspapers which criticised his course in the last campaign.

To Become Cleveland's Coachman.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 29.—George Meserve, a well-known Adirondack driver, who for several years has been at Paul Smith's, will go to Washington as coachman for President Cleveland.

Potter Presents His Credentials.

ROME, Dec. 29.—Hon. William Potter, the newly appointed American Minister to Italy, presented his credentials to King Humbert at noon.

Pittsburg's Mayor Dangerously Ill.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 29. — Mayor H. I. Gourley of this city is dangerously ill with acute pneumonia, and it is feared may not recover.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For New Jersey, Generally Fair, but Increasing Cloudiness, Threatening Weather and Snow Friday Afternoon or Friday Night; Variable Winds, Becoming Southeasterly, Rising Temperature.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Tickets now on sale for "Held in Slavery."

—Ice on Tier's is 8 inches thick, ready for harvesting.

—A regular meeting of Plainfield council, Royal Arcanum, will be held to-morrow evening.

—There is a fascinating serpentine dancer in to-morrow evening's company at Music Hall.

—"A Veneered Savage" with "The Duchess of Dublin" may be seen at The Casino, this evening.

—Quartette and solo singing will be features of the Y. M. C. A. meeting next Sunday afternoon at 4:15.

—Patrick Boyle, for being concerned in the Goff saloon fight, was fined $8 by judge Codington this morning.

—The East Third street mission will hold its Christmas festivities, at the First Baptist church this evening at 7:30.

—Prof. George Davis will give his Christmas reception to the scholars of his class at Hulett's hall, West Front street, this evening.

—Owen Smith, a PRESS carrier, badly sprained an ankle skating on Tier's pond *yesterday. His route is capably delivered* by Gideon Hewitt.

—Alfred Cocks has given a coat of red paint to the hydrant and fire box near his premises at Netherwood. There's a tip *for the city* at large.

—There will be harp and saxophone solos and duets at the New Year's reception at the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Monday afternoon and evening.

—Thomas Ward, an intoxicated old man from Westfield, was picked up by sergeant Lynch yesterday afternoon. This morning judge Codington charged him $1.

—The trial of James Muldowney, accused of illegal liquor selling, was to-day adjourned to Saturday morning at 10. Craig A. Marsh will appear for the city, and George DeMeza is counsel for Muldowney.

—It is said that Wetumpka lodge, Knights of Honor, which took its advertisement out of THE PRESS with a great flourish of trumpets because it thought it was unduly criticised, is going to dissolve. Its best members will be received into Easter lodge.

—The Elizabeth city council awarded last night a contract for lighting the city streets for three years to John Kean's Elizabethtown Gas company for $17.50 per lamp to burn all night, which is $4 per lamp more than the city had to pay during the past three years.

—Don't fail to attend the lantern slide exhibition by the Plainfield Camera club to-night. The slides to be shown are those of the Newark Camera club and are an excellent collection. Among them are a number of views made on board the ill-fated cholera ships while lying at Quarantine.

—An attraction of unusual merit is booked for Music Hall, to-morrow evening. Martin Hayden's nautical melodrama, "Held in Slavery", which has been pronounced by press and public equally strong as "The White Slave" and "Octoroon", will be produced by a company of unusual excellence under the management of Walter N. Lawrence. The scenery is elaborate, painted by Clare at Niblo's Garden, New York. There are incidental novelties introduced including the serpentine dance and pickaninny grotesque dancers.

STALWART YOUNG MEN.

It Takes Them to Do Up the Boastful Roadsters.

The Catholic Young Men's Lyceum bowlers deserve great credit. Last night they defeated the crack Union County Roadsters, who are as nearly invincible as any team in the tournament. The Roadsters have been defeated but once before—and then by the Catholic young men of Elizabeth. Kenney, who was'n't good enough for the Crescents, was high man with a score at about his usual excellent average. The score:

C. Y. M. L.		UNION COUNTY ROADSTERS	
Lynch	153	Black	168
Butscher	136	W. Martin	154
Gallagher	138	Borgmeyer	119
Malone	115	Chamberlain	153
Foristel	114	J. Martin	104
Kenney	168	Holmes	114
Whelan	136	Spence	145
Hughes	137	Porter	131
Powell	139	W. Mooney	135
Reville	141	Mc Grath	143
	1376		1366

BY FRAMES.

C. Y. M. L....154,282,420,558,686,826,965,1112,1256,1376
U. C. R.....129,232,370,492,623,733,856,1072,1172,1366

The tournament record to date:

	Won	Lost	Percent.
Elizabeth Field Club	4	0	1.000
Y. M. C. L. A	3	0	1.000
Arthur Kull Asso'tion	3	1	.750
Union County Roads'rs	2	2	.500
Alagone Boat Club	2	2	.500
Pioneer Bowling Club	1	2	.333
Crescent League	1	4	.200
C. Y. M. L.	1	4	.200
Rosolle Casino	0	2	.000

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THE VENEERED SAVAGE TO-NIGHT.

He Will Appear Before the Duchess of Dublin.

To miss the amateur theatricals at the Casino, this evening, will be the greatest mistake of your life. The plays and casts will be as already published in these columns, and as here given again:

THE VENEERED SAVAGE.

Miss Dayton, a Chicago belle.....Miss Corlies
"Madge", her younger sister,
Miss Maude VanBoskerck
Dick Majendie, their cousin,
Clarence Murphy
The Duchess of Diddlesex,
Miss Elizabeth Stewart
Lady Fanny, her daughter, a silent young person.....Miss Lewis Timpson
Lord Algernon Penrybn, her son, a still more silent young person .....O. G. Waring
Robert, a butler.....Roger Erickson
Act I—Drawing Room in a London Hotel.
Act II—Drawing Room in Diddlesex Castle

THE DUCHESS OF DUBLIN.

A Farce in One Act.

Dr. Adam Aconite, a young physician,
William W. Runyon
Frank Friskey.....Edward F. Bloodgood
Oliver Oldbuck, rich and gouty,
Thomas R. VanBoskerck
Silas Sharpset, a speculator,
Laurens H. VanBuren
Dennis Doolan, a widower,
Howard Huntington
Peter Plumpface, with a bad cough,
John P. Munn
Annie Aconite, the doctor's sister,
Miss E. Massett
Lucy Linden, a milliner,
Miss Frances B. Hawley
Miss Abigail Allove, an autograph hunter,
Miss Jessame Harte
Maggie Mullen, the Duchess of Dublin,
Miss Florence Huntington
Scene—Dr. Aconite's office.

ORCHESTRA.

Mrs. F. A. Pollock.....Piano
J. Z. Petrie.....Violin
F. A. Pollock.....Flute

MUSICAL SELECTIONS.

Nocturne, Opus 110, Trio.....Kuffner
Finale de la Sinfonie in G, Trio.....Hayden
Nocturne, Opus 183, Trio.....Behr
Lieder ohne Worte No. 2, Flute Solo.....Popp
Serenade, Opus 4, Trio. .....Kuffner
Cavatina, Opus 314, Violin Solo.....Bohm
Angels' Serenade, Trio.....Braga

Lewis G. Timpson.....Business Manager
J. Parker Mason.....Stage Manager
Roger Erickson and L. E. Waring...Properties

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. T. S. Harris of Philadelphia is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. F. Meschutt, of 110 East Front street.

C. P. Ralli will entertain a number of his friends, this evening, in a novel manner, at his Netherwood home.

Gershom Frazee is at the home of his brother, A. M. Frazee, Peace street, corner of Second, very ill with inflammation of the bowels.

Mr. Tidden, who is to give two morning piano recitals at the Casino, recalls the wonderful delicacy of Gottschalk, with the dash, power and orchestral fullness of Rubinstein, and is regarded by many well informed musical authorities as probably the ablest and most promising among America's younger artists.

Eddy Pruden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pruden, died at the age of seven years, early this morning, of croup. Funeral services will be held from the residence of his uncle, Theodore J. Pruden, 28 East Second street, Saturday afternoon. The little fellow was a poor cripple, utterly helpless, and his death will be a relief to his parents and friends.

A delightful dancing party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Stewart, 66 West Seventh street, last night, in honor of their daughter's homecoming from college. The guests numbered nearly fifty, and included Larry Bliss the famous Yale half-back, who was quite a social lion of the evening. Westfield society was well represented by Messrs. Milton Ruggles and Harry Evans.

The Current Event club of North Plainfield, with a few other guests, were delightfully entertained at the hospitable home at Mrs. John Clapp, 84 Mercer avenue, Tuesday evening. The farce "Poor Pillicoddy" was rendered by Miss Keep of New York, the guest of H. P. Reynolds, and the Misses Henderson, Claude Henderson and Mr. Anderson of Philadelphia, *the guests of J. P. Henderson of Rock*view avenue. The amateurs performed their respective parts with marked ability, and won hearty and well merited applause from an appreciative audience.

That Clerk to be Arrested.

In an interview with a PRESS reporter this morning, the senior member of the firm of Bingham & Fulper, proprietors of the United Tea and Coffee Growers' association, was very emphatic in his contradiction of the story told in these columns yesterday by a former clerk. Mr. Bingham says that the clerk himself confessed in the presence of city judge Codington that he stole a clock. In consideration of such confession and his pleadings for forgiveness, a warrant for his arrest was then withheld, but it will now be served with others on different charges, next week.

Somerset County Courts.

The December term of the Somerset county courts began Tuesday, justice Magie presiding. The grand jurors include Henry N. Spencer (foreman) and John A. Thickstun, of North Plainfield. The following licenses were granted: Hotel—Richard A. Boyce and Joseph A. Blatz, North Plainfield; Charles A. Moore, Basking Ridge; George Schenck, Somerville; John C. Broach, Franklin Park. The case on trial is John McGuire vs. James S. Cawley, in tort. They are Bound Brook parties. The case is one of damages for assaunt. Craig A. Marsh appears for the plaintiff.

Desires to Bear Testimony.

Henry Thorne, traveling secretary of the Y. M. C. A., writes from Exeter Hall, Strand, London, February 2, 1888:

"I desire to bear my testimony to the value of ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS. I have used them for pains in the back and side arising from rheumatism and other causes never without deriving benefit from their application. They are easily applied and very comforting. Those engaged as I am in public work which involves exposure to sudden changes of temperature, will do well to keep a supply of ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS in their portmanteaus."

THE DUCKWORTH CHILDREN.

Catholic Mrs. Keating Awarded the Guardianship of Two, Protestant Mrs. Casner One, and Pythian Mr. Andrews None—The Contest Begun in February, 1891, Ended Yesterday.

It is pretty safe to say that there has been more time and money spent in litigation over the guardianship of the three minor children of John Duckworth, deceased, than in any similar contest in this State. The orphan children possess no property. Their parents did not leave over $100, and this consisted of tools and wearing apparel. Yet there has been litigation over their guardianship in four courts, and final decision was not rendered until yesterday, twenty-two months after the first paper was filed. The mother of these children was of the Roman Catholic faith, and their father was a Protestant. The father consented to the mother's request that the two older children be baptized in their mother's church. The youngest child received no baptism. The mother died several years before the father. The father at the time of his death was a member of a Protestant church choir and an attendant at Hope chapel. Amos Andrews, who had the custody of one of the children, first applied, through his counsel, Jackson & Codington, to the Somerset county surrogate, without notice to Mrs. Keating, an aunt of the children on the mother's side, and secured his own appointment as guardian of all three children. Mrs. Keating employed Craig A. Marsh to represent her and appealed the case. She succeeded in having the order annulled because the court decided that the legal residence of the children was in Union county, where the father died, instead of Somerst county, where the children happened to be living when Mr. Andrews applied. Nothing daunted, Mr. Andrews went before the Chancellor and obtained an order requiring Mrs. Keating and the other next of kin to show cause why the appointment of Mr. Andrews should not be made by the prerogative court. Mrs. Keating resisted this application and was *again successful, the court refusing to* make the order on the ground that the Union county court had jurisdiction and notice of intended application to that court had already been prepared. When the case came up in the Union county orphans' court, hundreds of pages of testimony were taken by the respective parties for the purpose of showing the wishes of the parents, the qualifications of the applicant, Mrs. Keating, etc. No similar case was ever more fully presented either in evidence or arguments of the respective counsel. The court is composed of three judges, two of whom are Protestants and one of whom is Catholic. The decision appoints Mrs Keating (Catholic) guardian of the two eldest children, and Mrs. Casner (Protestant), an aunt on the father's side guardian of the youngest child. Mr. Andrews will be required to surrender the child now in his possession to her aunt Mrs Keating. Mrs. Casner, who is to have the youngest child, originally requested the court to appoint Mr. Andrews guardian of all three. Mr. Marsh's Elizabeth clients now think they made no mistake in coming to Plainfield for a lawyer. Jackson & Codington have announced their intention of taking an appeal.

The Motorman Might Come Inside and Let One of the Passengers Run the Thing.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Will you allow me a small space in your columns to ask a question of the readers of THE PRESS?

Is it right to compel the motormen to stand out on the platform of the electric cars, through all the cold weather and cold storms, and severe winds, unprotected? Do you think the officers of the road would be willing to do as the motormen are required to do?

Will the officers and readers answer through your columns?

A FREQUENT PASSENGER.

Plainfield Women and the World's Fair.

A meeting is to be called in Elizabeth for the purpose of organizing Union county for woman's work for the Columbian exposition.

Miss Kean has consented to take the chairmanship of the county, and will hold a meeting Wednesday, Jan. 4, at 3 p. m., at her residence, "Ursino", Elizabeth, to arrange the work.

Those Plainfielders interested and who desire that New Jersey women shall make a creditable exhibit, are invited to be present at this meeting, when the work will be explained as clearly as possible by members of the board of women managers of New Jersey.

The Fight Is On.

R. V. Lindabury has been retained by the 19 North Plainfielders who are fighting the North Broadway project. He is a foeman worthy of counselor C. A. Reed's steel.

—The extensive livery stable and wagon house run by Stephen G. Emmons at Cranford was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Ten horses, twenty-one vehicles, and a lot of harness were burned up.

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Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Rugg, W. M.
D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 156, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres.
Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. R. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
F. S. Green Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Easter Lodge, No. 3,542, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

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PLAINFIELD PEOPLE IN STORY.

A More or Less Clever Play Upon Names, from the Latest Local Directory.

[CONTRIBUTED.]

One Day last Summer,—a Mundy I think,—a Hunter started out to have a Littell sport. He thought there Wood be a Sharp Frost that Knight, as it was so late in the Summer.

As he was crossing a Field in order to reach DeForest he noticed a Hawthorn bush, and also some Fish swimming in the Brooks that abounded them, on whose Banks, which were Green with verdure, Mills were placed, and some Giese and Ginnas walking about. He also noticed a woman Anderson.

Besides he noticed some Birds sitting in the Hedges, which he thought were Finches, Martins and a Robinson.

He raised his gun to shoot them but then thought they might have come from the "land of the Leal" and desisted.

As he was walking along,—and he was a good Walker, being a Hardy fellow,—he espied a Ladd, who told him that he—the Ladd—was a French Mann and a Freeman.

The Hunter asked to See his Hand and noticed it was very White. The Ladd told him he had had not much work to do and wanted Moore.

Whereupon he was told to go into the Vail yonder, where he Wood find some Lowe Walz, to scale these and then he Wood come to a Pond to Ford this, and then houses of all Stiles he Wood See, to go up to the first one and Pound on the door, if no response to Force it open,then if he saw a Wolff inside, to go on beyond these houses, till he should come to a Marsh, in which he Wood find some Wells and Waite there till he saw a Mann, and then to ask him for Moore work.

Our Young Friend started and found everything as the Hunter had told him. He came to the Wells, which were full of Brown water, and in the first was seen a Herring.

As it was quite warm he thought it Knott a bad plan to build some Beerbowers to lie down in. As he was going to sleep, the gentle breeze rocking his Bowers very nicely, and was saying to himself "this does Rockafellow", a Shepard entered, Waring a hat like a Miller, which exasperated the Ladd greatly.

The Shepard said he was an Abbott of a monastery over toward the North and West, the gates of which were guarded by a Griffin, with Long horne, and a Bull, covered with a heavy coat of Male, whose Hyde was very Strong.

All of a sudden our hero espied a Drake standing beside him, and the Abbott noticing its Foote, said "there are Tracys of these creatures everywhere".

Our Friends had a fight over the creature, but at last they decided not to Tiffany Moore, and they started off together.

Soon after starting they found an exceedingly wet Place, at which spot was seen a person Manning a boat. Through this Marsh they had to Wade, but having had experiences of this kind Daly they did not mind it much.

After a while they reached a house with a great display of Bunting in front of which was a Bowman shooting at a target that was not worth a Penny. There being a thick Hayes around the house, the main Hall and the Newhall which had just been added were exceedingly dark. In the door stood a pompous old Butler with a Darling Fairchild beside him.

The cellar had its floor all under water from a recent Flood and they heard there was a Weekly inundation of this kind. After leaving here our friends came to a Broadway bordered on the Wright by tall Reeds and on the other side mounds of earth in which were seen Burroughs.

The Abbott thinking the Way pretty Long took out a book, and Laing down his hat asked the Ladd, his Boone companion, to Reed a few Pages.

Soon they saw a Kirke in the distance where a boy was having a great Chase, catching some Cox. Farther on they came upon Tracys of certain tribes, such as Hunns.

Along a Lane they saw a Harper who was a great Coward, next a Pope with his pageant, then to a Taylor mending clothes, and then to a Cook busily cooking.

Beyond this they saw a Potter who was busily moulding some Clay in the form of a Harte, the point of which was very Sharpe, and humming a little tune "and the Potter said to the Clay 'beware' and it became Ware".

In the talk between the Ladd and the Potter, the former said, "My Ames are to kill as many Foxes as I can".

Our heroes left their newly found acquaintance and soon met a cloud of butterflies, about which the Ladd was discoursing. Among the things he said was, "when butterflies Hatch all you have to do is to Ketcham."

They traveled until they came to a bridge where they saw a Fisher with High Boutes on, and a Rodman at his side.

There being some nice Bass in the stream, our Friends thought they ought to Angle, which thing the Abbott was not willing to do until he was commanded by the Ladd with a Sharpe "Angleman!"

Soon after leaving here they met a Baker humming to himself, and he was a first-class Hummer too. After having passed him they came to a court-house where a Case was being tried and in the court room could be Hurd the cry of "Lynch him!"

The person in question was a Mann of Sterling worth, and after he was sentenced instead of a Black cap being used a Whiton was substituted. To their Utter astonishment they saw a Smith pounding away on his anvil.

The Abbott said he was hungry and wanted some Dunham which was procured from a restaurant, and after the proprieter was an awful Dunn for his money. He said he had made two Wills bequeathing to his Cooleys various things and that he was a Goodrich Mann.

Farther along they came to a Lamb with a Boyle on its leg. It was standing in the valley down which a horse was tearing along, minus a Byder. One better be careful not to get too near, for the animal was noted for being a great Biter. Next they came to an enclosure where a Gardiner was working, and then to a very Stillman!

Just here Talmadge came in the Way and stopped our hero's progress and also the story's. ANON.

MAC GEACHY AS A BOOMER.

He of "Dunellen Rock" Notoriety Bobs Up Serenely Once More.

At the New York theaters yesterday the announcement was made that Charles MacGeachy, founder of the erewhile great and only "Dunellen Rock" newspaper, but who of late has been the "boomer" of "The Isle of Champagne", had severed his relations with that organization and Thomas Q. Seabrooke. "All there is of it" —said Mr. MacGeachy—"is that Mr. Seabrooke and myself part on the most friendly terms. I had a contract at $150 a week to 'boom' him in 'The Isle of Champagne'. He wanted to be put on a level with DeWolf Hopper. I have put him there, and as our views differ as to the proper expenditures to continue the 'booming', I have thrown off eight or ten weeks from my year's contract and am to be paid until along in February, leaving Mr. Seabrooke and 'The Isle of Champagne' to revert to the management of George W. Lederer. The next time I undertake to 'boom' anybody or anything, I shall require my money in a lump sum with a percentage of the gross receipts, then I shall be enabled to follow out my own ideas and not be hampered as I have been ever since we came to New York. Yes, I have several offers already as a 'boomer'. I expect to close with one in a day or two."

COURTS A LIBEL SUIT.

A Scorching Opinion of the Clergyman Whom Drs. Rodman and Murphy and Others Are Investigating, Given by His Home Newspaper.

(Westfield Standard.)

If the Rev. J. B. Jennings wants to be good to Westfield and give the town an acceptable Christmas present let him hand it in in the form of his resignation. Divorced from his wife for his cruelty; successfully leaving former pastorates under a cloud, vide, Sag Harbor, Tarrytown, and Cranford, openly charged in this town and elsewhere with drunkenness and lying; refusing to resign when asked to resign by the Vestry of his Westfield church, and avoided for shame by his people, he insolently, if not blasphemously continues to occupy the sacred desk, not having sufficient self respect to stand aside till an examination, now in progress on charges of drunkenness and lying, shall have been settled.

In the name of common decency, to say nothing of the higher demands of his sacred office, let this man step down and out. He has scandalized our town long enough. THE STANDARD has been threatened with a lawsuit for refusing to give the name of the writer of a letter recently published in these columns. Perhaps a suit against us might bring out facts not within reach of an Ecclesiastical Court.

A New Marketer's Invention.

David C. Frazeur, of New Market, has invented a novel and useful power-transmitting mechanism. A shaft journaled in a suitable supporting frame carries a drive wheel or fixed gear, while on the shaft is mounted a tubular shaft having one or more toothed wheels arranged to mesh with the teeth on and traverse the periphery of the drive wheel, an internally toothed rim being formed on the peripheral edges of the toothed wheels. The invention also includes other novel features, the mechanism being designed to impart increased velocity and power to a rotary shaft with which it is connected.

Extension of Fire Protection.

(From Chief Doane's Annual Report.)

There are in place in the city for fire protection 210 hydrants, giving a pressure of seventy-four pounds throughout the city, with the exception of a few hydrants on Netherwood heights, which will average about fifty pounds pressure.

This is a very satisfactory pressure for fire purposes. There are also twenty-one fire wells distributed through the central portion of the city. The southwestern portion of the city is entirely unprotected with either hydrants or wells. This should be remedied as soon as possible, as there are now a great many valuable buildings there that are entirely unprotected.

Plainfield Commuters Will Endorse This.

(Westfield Standard.)

The Newark bay draw-bridge is becoming more and more a means of detention to trains. It is a little tough on a train load of impatient business men to hold them in check for a mud scow to pass. Navigation laws need looking after.

I have been a sufferer from catarrh for twenty years. I found immediate relief in the use of Ely's Cream Balm. Since using it I have not suffered a moment from headache, sore throat or loss of sleep, from which I previously suffered, caused by catarrh. I consider your Balm a valuable remedy. R. G. Vassar, 56 Warren st., New York.

Ely's Cream Balm is worth its weight in gold as a cure for catarrh. One bottle cured me. S. A. Lovell, Franklin, Pa.

Shiloh's Cough Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold; a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price, 50c. and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. D. Mallinson, 65 North Avenue, opposite railroad station. 5-16-y

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

LOOKING BACKWARD AND FORWARD.

The Revs. Richards and Newell to Give Anniversary Talks.

Hope chapel will celebrate its fifth anniversary next Sunday, with the following programme:

SUNDAY-SCHOOL EXERCISES.

Hymn No. 54. Hymn Book No. 6.
Lord's Prayer.
Hymn No. 31.
Address—"Historical".....Superintendent
Prayer.
Hymn No. 81.
Calling of the roll of 1888.
Hymn No. 284. Hymn Book No. 4.
By the school of 1888
Reading of the lesson for January 1, 1888.
Address—"God With Us".....F. H. Andrews
Hymn No. 360. Hymn Book No. 4.
Address—"Looking Backward".
The Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D.
Hymn No. 28
Address—"Looking Forward".
The Rev. G. Kennedy Newell
Distribution of books and papers
Gloria
Benediction

EVENING CHURCH SERVICES.

15 Minute Praise Service, 7:45 p. m.
Hymns Nos. 135, 119, 127, 27, 107, 25. Hymn Book No. 6
Opening Hymn. (All standing.) No. 151. Hymn Book No. 5
Lord's Prayer. In unison
Hymn. No. 82
Responsive Reading
Gloria. (All standing)
Prayer
Notices
Offering
Hymn No. 10.
Remarks.....H. R. Munger
Hymn No. 5
Remarks.....Corydon E. Tyler
Hymn No. 141
"What has God done for me in Hope Chapel?"
Two minute speeches from congregation
Remarks.....The Rev. G. Kennedy Newell
Prayer
Hymn No. 142. (All standing)
Benediction

DID N'T RAISE THE PRICE OF COAL.

Jersey Central Denies That the Chancellor's Injunction Has Been Ignored.

John L. Conover, solicitor of the Central railroad company, yesterday filed the answer to Attorney-General Stockton's supplemental information in behalf of the State. The answer denies that the Central, either alone or in combination with the Reading, disobeyed any of the Chancellor's orders. The Central has done nothing, says the answer, to diminish competition in the trade in anthracite coal, or to arbitrarily maintain any increased prices of such coal to the people of the State. Neither has it increased the rate of transportation before the Chancellor's order was made. The Philadelphia and Reading with the Delaware and Lackawanna did raise rates, and the Central, which was then operated by the Port Reading, was going to join the movement, but declined to do so on account of the court's prohibitory order. The Central did, however, conform its rates on coal transported to tidewater for shipment beyond New Jersey to the rates then charged for the same service by other coal roads. This increased rate to tidewater was less than the rate that has been in previous years charged for the same service, and not more than a fair and proper price. The court's injunction, says the answer, has been fully obeyed and the appointment of a receiver is unnecessary either for the purpose of seeing that the court's orders are obeyed or the interests of coal consumers in New Jersey protected. The affidavits of president Maxwell and secretary Knox of the Central certifying to the truth of these statements are appended to the answer.

Down Goes Somerville Again.

The Somerset bowling club rolled the Dunellen team again last evening, and were again defeated by this score:

DUNELLEN.		SOMERSETS.	
C. D. Taylor	184	W. Gulick	142
McCann	127	Schoonmaker	127
J. Lanagan	139	C. VanArsdale	138
Gus Wilson	145	W. Smith	143
G. Neal	171	J. Brown	114
J. Taylor	137	Haynes	122
C. Giles	144	W. Brown	150
W. Giles	120	C. N. Payne	116
G. Taylor	165	McAloway	127
E. Young	120	J. Hamilton	124
	1452		1296

Westfield's Literary Woman.

Miss Minnie MacMurray, who has been in charge of the literary bureau of the New York *World*, has resigned that position to go to the *Review of Reviews*. Miss MacMurray is a resident of Westfield. Her call to the new position was the result of a reputation acquired at the *World* as being a thoroughly capable business woman. Her new duties will be more responsible, and her departure from the *World* sincerely regretted by all those with whom she has come in contact.

A Plainfield Builder Turns Author.

(Elizabeth Journal—Taken from the Plainfield Press.)

Charles E. Doane, the builder, of Plainfield, has been engaged by the editor of Harper's Young People to write a series of articles on carpentry. The first has been finished and submitted and will be published in the magazine early in the new year. These articles will be accompanied by diagrams and plans from accurate scale drawings made by Mr. Doane.

One of Those Huntsmen Had a Close Shave.

(Westfield Standard.)

On Saturday of last week a large number of hunters passed through town going toward Fanwood, in regular English style, red coats and high boots, with high hat. On their return one of the huntsmen tried to cross the railroad at the depot in front of a fast train, and no doubt would have been killed had it not been for gateman Hannon, who saw his danger and stopped him.

Everybody should know what a good medicine Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is; it has cured many thousands and will cure you.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

EXTRA!

Latest News By Wire to THE PRESS.

THE UMBRIA SEEN DISABLED.

Passed on Saturday 1,000 Miles from New York—Showing Signals but Asking No Assistance—Two Steamers Sighted in Her Course.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.— The steamer *Galileo*, from Hull, which arrived this morning by way of Boston, reports that she sighted the *Umbria* on December 24 in latitude 42.52, longitude 58.05. The *Umbria* displayed the signal "3 red lights", indicating that she was disabled, but did not ask for assistance. The *Galileo* proceeded on her way. Early next day she saw two steamers passing eastward in a direction that would take them to the *Umbria*. The officers of the *Galileo* expressed the belief that these steamers would certainly pass by the delayed Cunarder and render her assistance if it was required.

The *Umbria* was sighted at 5 p. m. A heavy sea was running at the time. She lay quite easy with the wind northwest blowing a fresh northwest gale. The captain of the *Galileo* was of the opinion that her machinery was disabled and that she was lying-to, making necessary repairs.

The report of the *Galileo* indicates that the *Umbria* when sighted was about 1,000 miles from this port, in her regular course.

I. O. O. F. Officers.

At a regular meeting of Plainfield lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., held Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

N. G.—John H. Staats.
V. G.—E. H. Cleveley.
Rec. Sec.—Rudolf Kersting.
Perm. Sec.—Elias H. Bird.
Treas.—Thomas Young.

The next meeting will be held Monday evening, Jan. 9, when D. D. G. M., Chas. W. Tallman and staff will be present and install the newly elected officers.

RICHARD KIMBALL DEAD.

The Distinguished Literary Man Passes Away at New York, Aged 76.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Richard B. Kimball, a distinguished literary man, is dead in this city at the age of 76.

Ten days ago he completed the most important work of his life, a valuable collection, entitled "Half a Century of Recollections."

His first book, "St. Leger," appeared in the famous Knickerbocker Magazine more than 50 years ago.

This work was at once translated into the French, German and Dutch languages, and gave the author a commanding rank among American authors.

WILL MEET CORBETT AGAIN.

Sullivan Says He Intends to Begin Training at Hot Springs Next May.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—John L. Sullivan refused to be interviewed at the Windsor theatre, where he has been playing, in regard to Jimmy Wakely's statements that the ex-champion was an ingrate for making attacks on his honor.

He, however, told Dan Murphy, who met him at the wind-up of the performance that he would yet meet Jim Corbett, and will start in to train at Hot Springs, Ark., next May.

CHOLERA RIOTERS SENTENCED.

Eight to be Strangled, Four Go to Siberia for Life, and Others Imprisoned.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 29.—A court martial in Tashkend has passed sentence on the leaders of the cholera riots on July 6.

Seventy men were tried. Eight were sentenced to be strangled; four to the loss of all civil rights and deportation to Siberia for life and 43 to long terms of imprisonment.

Twenty-five were acquitted.

Nobble's Death Was Accidental.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 29.—Further investigation has shown that John W. Nobble, the foreman of the Bloomfield Avenue Licorice Works, in Newark, whose frozen body was found beside the tracks of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad at Harrison, Tuesday, met his death simply by accident.

Lantern Slide Evening. Exhibition of Slides

Made by the Newark Camera Club,
THURSDAY, DEC. 29, AT 8 P. M.,
In the rooms of the Plainfield Camera Club over post-office. Admission 25c.
12 27 3

CONOVER'S LIVERY STABLE,
31 North ave., opp. R. R. depot, Plainfield, N. J.
Closed Carriages, Coaches, Buggies, Surries, Double Teams and Saddle Horses. Hack at depot at all hours; telephone call 44. 9 12 tf

BANK ELECTION.

CITY NATIONAL BANK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house, on Tuesday, January 10, 1893, from 1 to 2 o'clock.
Dec. 8, 1892. F. H. GARDNER, Cashier.
12 8 15 22 29-1 9

THE PLAINFIELD
PACKING HOUSE
25 West Front Street,

Would respectfully inform its patrons that in addition to its usual stock of

Fresh, Salt and Smoked Goods,

It has added a full line of
Fresh Beef, Lamb,
Veal, Mutton & Poultry,
Which it is prepared to sell at
Reasonable Prices!
All goods delivered free of charge.
C. M. ULRICH. 1 22

PLAINFIELD BARGAIN HOUSE.
Special Clearing-Out Sale
Throughout every Department.
CLEARING-OUT PRICES
On Ladies' and Children's Coats.
White & Van Arsdale.
12 26 tf

The one chance of a lifetime to secure a charming location for a Summer Home is at
MIZZEN PEAK, WATCHUNG MOUNTAIN,
Twenty minutes' drive from Bound Brook station, and one and one-quarter hours from New York via. Royal Blue Line. Every one who has visited the spot pronounces it without exception the THE MOST DESIRABLE RESORT OF THE WHOLE RANGE; more natural advantages than at any other point. Do not fail to see it; first buyers can procure lots at very reasonable prices.
Also have other mountain property for sale at various points, viz.: near Washington Rock, 35 acres, house and barn; plots back of Plainfield, west of Somerset st., and on Johnston drive.
J. T. VAIL, Real Estate and Insurance Broker, Dealer in Blue Stone Flagging, etc.,
49 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 11 1 tf

HOLIDAY GOODS!
Largest assortment. Greatest variety.
A. L. & M. D. GORSLINE,
14 WEST FRONT STREET, PLAINFIELD, N. J

R. W. Rice & Co.
Have a fine new assortment of
Jellies, Jams and Preserves, Gordon & Dilworth's Mince Meat, Preserved Strawberries,
Also a fine line of Fancy Goods, Sliced Chutney (Bombay) Canadian Cheese, Anchvoiesin Oil, Edam Cheese.
Extra Fine Maple Syrup
In gallons, half gallons, quarts and pints. R. & S. Flemington Sausage.
Telephone 75 B Corner Emily and Duer Streets.

ROCHESTER BEERS
The success already attained by this brand of lager beer is beyond expectation. No other beer ever handled in this city has had such remarkable sales. Try it. You'll like it.
BOTTLED LIQUORS
And Imported Ales and Beers are having a very large sale at this season. My stock is first-class and it will pay you to investigate.
Frank Linke's Wholesale Liquor Establishment,
Telephone call, 157. No. 43 West Front Street

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

FOR SALE—Cheap, good work horse, sound and kind. Apply 19 Muhlenburg place. 12 20 2w

WANTED—A colored girl as chambermaid and waitress; good wages. Apply at 8th street and Madison avenue. 12 29 2

LOST—A scarf pin; gold knot with minute diamond. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Doane's, Park avenue.

WANTED.—A thoroughly trained teacher (graduate of Wellesley or Smith college preferred) to give daily lessons in English branches, mathematics, etc., to a young girl at her home Address, stating terms, qualifications and references, W. S. C., care Press. 12 29 4

DIARIES and New Year's cards—Rand's. 12 29 2

GIRL wanted for general housework; 3 in family. 17 Church st. 12 29 2

REFINED, educated young lady as nursery governess or seamstress; references. C. M., care Press.

WANTED—A girl for general housework; references required. Apply 17 Myrtle avenue. 12 29 6

FOR SALE—A good paying wholesale cash business; capital required under $1,000. Address X, care Press. 12 28 3

WANTE —A girl to do general housework; must have references. Inquire of Mrs. O'Brien, 8 W. 4th st. 12 28 2

WILL rent small house cor Franklin place and 6th street from February 1; all improvements; reasonable rent. Frederick Moon. 12 23 3-s t t

FOUND—A pair of men's gloves. Owner can have them by calling on Wm. J. Nelson, 44 West Front street 12 28 2

A CASH register for sale. Inquire at E. P. Thorn's, No. 17 Park avenue. 12 14 tf

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS p e 11 14tf.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

PHAETON as good as new, for sale at a bargain, 66 Park ave. 12 24 6

GIRL wanted, No. 9 Greenbrook road; light housework. 12 27 3

ENGAGEMENT wanted to read or write, or both. a few hours daily. Address Miss H., care Press. 12 27 3

AMATEUR THEATRICALS.
The Duchess of Dublin
—AND—
A Veneered Savage
will be given
AT THE CASINO,
Thursday, December 29,
At 8 p. m.
TICKETS $1.00
On sale at Reynolds's, Randolph's and Central Pharmacies.
Doors open 7.30. 12 19 6 eod

Two Piano Recitals
By MR. PAUL TIDDEN,
At The Casino.
Tuesday Mornings, January 3 and 10
AT 11.
Patronesses—Mrs. C. E. Brooks, Mrs. Irving H. Brown, Mrs. Rowland Cox, Mrs. Charles J. Fisk, Mrs. Pliny Fisk, Miss E. E. Kenyon, Mrs. F. O. Mead, Mrs. J. K. Myers, Mrs. William J. Boone, Mrs. R. G Runkle, Mrs. Wm. L. Saunders, Miss Emilie Schipper, Mrs. A. D Shepard, Mrs. Mason W. Tyler, Mrs. Charles D. Wadsworth and Mrs. Wm. L. Wadsworth.
Subscription tickets $1.50. Single tickets $1.
May be obtained of the patronesses and at the Central pharmacy and Reynolds's drug store.
12 27 6

Sidewalks Must Be Cleaned.

An Ordinance to provide for keeping street sidewalks and gutters free from snow, hail, sleet and ice.
SEC. 2. If in any case such snow, hail, sleet or ice shall be so congealed that the same cannot be so removed without injury to the sidewalks or gutters where the same has fallen or been formed, it shall be the the duty of the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, occupant or occupants, and person or persons having charge of every such lot or parcel of land severally to cause the snow, hail, or sleet or ice which shall have been so congealed, to be strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after such congelation shall have happened, excepting in cases where such congelation shall have happened during any night, in all which last mentioned cases such snow, hail, sleet and ice shall be so strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning; and in all cases mentioned in this section all snow, hail, sleet and ice which shall have been so congealed shall be so removed from the sidewalks and gutters aforesaid to the respective widths aforesaid, within four hours after the same shall have become thawed to such an extent as to render such removal practicable without injury to such sidewalks or gutters, save in cases where the same shall have become so thawed during any night in all which last mentioned cases the same shall be removed within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning.
SEC. 3. For each violation of this ordinance every person violating the same shall be subject to a penalty of five dollars, recoverable for the use of the city.
Anyone failing to comply with this ordinance will be dealt with as law and justice may require. GEO. W. GRANT,
12 27 6 Chief of Police.

CRESCENT RINK.
New Year's Eve,
SATURDAY NIGHT, Dec. 31,
By request,
Skating until 10,
Dancing until 11.45.
NEW YEAR'S DAY,
Monday, Jan. 2,
TWO GRAND
SKATING SESSIONS
Afternoon and night.
Prepare for the great Columbus roller skating costume Carnival the latter part of January. Elegant prizes
11 28 tf

Go To Krewson's.
Billiards 40 Cents Per Hour.
Pool 3 Cents a Cue.
25 West Front Street.
11 17 tf

PROTECTION! PROTECTION!
No politics about this. The protection of the hour is a protection against the cold blasts of winter. For a supply of cold weather Clothing, such as Heavy Weight Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Leather Coats, at lowest cash prices, call on
COLYER & CO.,
815 BROAD ST., NEWARK, N. J.
11 1 3m

Alexander Willett,
7 Park Avenue, City
SLIPPERS
For Christmas.
Large assortment of anything in the Slipper line. Romeo, Everett and Opera. Youth's, Boy's and Men's Patent Leather Oxford Ties.
Open evenings until 9.

STOVES. STOVES
The finest line of Heating and Cook Stoves in the city. Parlor Stoves from $4.50 up; Cook Stoves from $12 up.
Agents for the celebrated "Palace King" furnace, conceded by everyone to be the best furnace in the market.
Also all kinds of Hardware, Housefurnishings, Paints, &c.
ZIMMERMAN & RUMPF'S,
Successors to Pierson Hardware Co., 7 11 tf 42 West Front Street.

BICYCLES
Make excellent Christmas presents. The best are on sale at
The Wheelmen's Headquarters,
67 AND 69 PARK AVENUE.
FRANK L. C. MARTIN.
Bargains in Second-Hand Wheels.

GREAT SPECIAL CLEARANCE SALE.
Preparatory to extensive alterations in our store we will sell our entire stock of Cloaks, Millinery, Furs and all Winter Goods at wholesale cost price.
We will also sell everything in all departments throughout our store at a discount. This will afford the people of Plainfield and vicinity a grand opportunity to purchase first-class goods at genuine bargain prices.
LEDERER'S,
9 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

DID IT EVER OCCUR TO YOU
That many men who spend less money than you do for Shoes, are better shod, and do
You Know the Reason?
The other man buys his Shoes of
SPRINGER'S
SHOE STORE
32 West Front Street.
6 6 ly

GEO. L. VAN EMBURGH & SON,
No. 9 East Front Street,
Opposite Park Avenue.
If you have not yet selected your Christmas Goods, we have a fine line to pick from.
We certainly believe we are showing the finest line of Dolls in the city.

Upside Down
With business. A big rush of
Christmas Shoppers,
To buy Slippers, Shoes, Rubbers, Rubber Boots, Arctics, etc., for presents.
SHERWIN'S,
23 West Front Street. Strictly Cash.

MEMORABLE CHRISTMAS.

Howard Fielding Tells How He Tried to Be Good.

One Sunday School Was Enough for Him When all the Other Boys Had Three —His Reward Was of the Kind Which No Boy Ever Forgets.

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I was the innocent kid in the days of which I write. The care of me, as is usual with orphans, had devolved upon that one of my relations who was least able to bear it. My Aunt Martha had seven children of her own to provide for, and the eighth was the child of calamity, the writer of these lines. I didn't mind poverty much in those days. Most of the things I wanted were free. The essentials of life, as they appear to a healthy boy, are thin ice and frozen snowballs in the winter, a pond with deep holes in it as a place to acquire the art of swimming in the summer and another boy to fight with all the year around. I had these simple necessaries, and seldom craved the luxuries of life. True, at Christmas time I would have been glad to get more presents, but as some of my more fortunate companions were much smaller and weaker than myself I was able to use their toys almost as much as they could.

But I grieved, along with the other children, when, in bleak November, it began to be whispered about that there would be no Christmas trees in Goose Falls. The youth before every one of the three churches had had a tree, and they had striven to surpass one another, with a mad, un-Christian rivalry. Every church had beaten the other two, in its own opinion, but there was no gainsaying the fact that victory had been dearly bought. There are a half dozen people in every church who do all the work, take all the blame, and get their reward hereafter, if at all. The representatives of this long-suffering class, in Goose Falls, had come to a tacit agreement that Christmas trees *did not pay*, and had said openly that there would be none in the town in this particular year.

For all that, as Christmas approached, there was a general feeling of uneasiness lest somebody should break the boycott, for, of course, if any church had a tree all would be forced to do it. There were rumors of tree plots immediately after Thanksgiving, and every society suspected the others of secret preparations with the design of capturing for its Sunday school those children whose love of religious instruction could be awakened only by the hope of spoils. However, nothing definite was done, and the young Goose Fallers viewed the cheerless prospect with dismay.

At this point Providence raised up for us a prophet in the form of William

SOMETHING NICE FOR HOWDY.

Jennings. He was fourteen years old as big as the side of a house and as awkward as a young calf. When he sat down he looked as if he had been poured from some gigantic receptacle over all the neighboring furniture. This peculiarity had earned him the name of "Sloppy." He was a boy to be envied at Christmas time, for he held more candy than any ten of the others. But he was the only one of us who showed no sorrow at the prospect of Christmas without trees, and we couldn't understand it. Urged to explain his calmness in misfortune, he uttered, on the 15th day of December, these memorable words: "Fellers, there'll be more Christmas trees in Goose Falls this year than ever you see before. You leave it to me."

We left it to him because we couldn't do otherwise, and he showed himself not unworthy of our confidence. His plan was very simple. He went to Aunt Sally Clarke, who was, perhaps, the most influential person in the Unitarian church.

"Aunt Sally," said he, "I saw Deacon Hudnut down at the Head to-day."

Deacon Hudnut was orthodox, and the Head was a point heavily wooded with spruce trees—with Christmas trees, in fact.

"Did you, Willy?" said Aunt Sally. "What was he doing there?"

"Dunno," replied Sloppy. "He had an ax, and he chopped down a tree about the size of the one they had at their church last Christmas. But he left it a-lyin' there. I guess he only chopped it down for fun."

"Fun!" exclaimed Aunt Sally. "Well, you are a stupid boy. Those orthodox are sly, but I'm a match for 'em. They're goin' to have a tree. Very well, so are we; an' it'll beat theirs out o' sight."

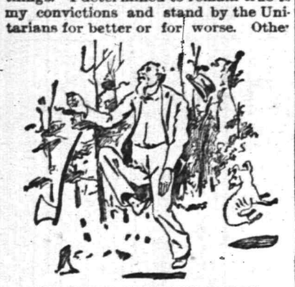
"I'm thinkin' o' comin' back to your Sunday-school class, Aunt Sally," said Sloppy, "but, somehow, I think I'm most too big."

"Don't you worry about that," replied Aunt Sally, promptly; "the bigger the boy the bigger the present he gets at Christmas. That's my way o' thinkin'."

"Aunt Sally," said the gigantic young humbug, "you're my idea of a Christian woman, and Solomon wa'n't wiser nor more just than you are."

It is, perhaps, needless to say that the story of Deacon Hudnut and the spruce tree was as true as "Jack and the Beanstalk." It is also unnecessary to state that everybody in town had heard it inside of twenty-four hours. The Methodists instantly decided to have a tree and they let it be generally known as an inducement to early piety, that candy bags would be larger that year, and that the contents would have more "chaw" to it than ever before. This news gave great satisfaction to the rising generation; and the feeling rose to wild enthusiasm when it became known that the Epworth league had decided to have a tree, and that its decision had forced the Christian Endeavorers, the King's Daughters, the Unity club, the Masons, the Odd Fellows and the Sons of Temperance to take similar action. As Sloppy had said, we were to have more Christmas trees than had ever been seen before in Goose Falls.

Most of my dear little playmates promptly joined all three of the Sunday schools. I did not. Just at this point in my career, I was attacked by one of those better impulses which have so frequently prevented me from enjoying things. I determined to remain true to my convictions and stand by the Unitarians for better or for worse. Other



THE FABLE ABOUT THE DEACON.

boys might violate the dictates of their consciences for the sake of a few bags of mere transitory candy, but not I. This resolution was highly applauded by my Sunday-school teacher, and I figured that the state of her feelings ought to be worth at least a new pair of skates to me. It was given out openly that every scholar should have something on the tree, and that the traditional bag of candy, consisting largely of musty popcorn, should not count as a present.

The tree festivities began in the morning of the day before Christmas and for thirty-six hours there were at least three in simultaneous operation in various parts of the town. Children passed through the streets from one Methodist presents on their way to get some out of the King's Daughters. Orthodox children who thought it was wicked to go into the Unitarian church went in just the same, and the prospect of eternal punishment lent an added zest to their employment of the exercises. Our friend, Sloppy, after visiting all the trees mentioned hitherto, discovered that the Cooking club was entertaining the very smallest children in the attic of the village school building. The stairs groaned under his enormous weight—augmented by vast quantities of candy of three different creeds—and he was so exhausted with the ascent that they hadn't the heart to turn him away.

Meanwhile I had centered my virtuous mind upon one tree. I had run errands, and, in short, had done a week's work to make the Unitarian tree a success. I expected that about four of the largest boughs of the tree would be required to hold the rewards of my virtue. I did not know the actual state of the case; that it had been decided to give educational presents to those boys who had nobody to buy them anything worth having; that garrets had been ransacked for old books, and that mine had been selected by an old lady who had left her glasses at home and knew no more than that the book had pictures in it.

"He won't care what it is," she said, "he'll like one thing just as well as another at his age."

And so it happened that I waited till Santa Claus had nearly stripped the tree, and that I shed some secret tears of disappointment as skates, trumpets, tin swords and other glittering treasures went to boys who were already laden with tributes from the other churches. But at last a package was put into my hands. Its shape made me fear the worst. It must be a book. Well, even so. It might be an Indian-fighting story, or a sea yarn full of lee-shores and topsails taken aback. I opened it with trembling hands. There was a picture on the cover. It represented the sacred bird of Chicago, and above was the title, the promise of an enthralling narrative to stir a boy's heart and make him dream:

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That was all. Even my bag of candy missed me. But I was too young to mind it, and if I cried it must have been from natural perversity. I did not read "Harris on the Pig." I have since learned that it is an exhaustive, technical treatise, containing almost everything which anybody would care to know about the pig, except the motive which led some individuals of that species to treat me so, on that old Christmas day.

Good Advice.

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5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown' Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 42 A. M. for Flemington, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

5 05 p. m., way for High Bridge.

5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch.

D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

6 20 P. M. for Flemington.

6 58 P. M. for Easton, Bethleham, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 08 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 3 02 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 09, a m. 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 57, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 6 16, 8 20, 9 45, 10 45, a. m., 1 59*, 3 05, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 30, *9 37 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 45, 11 15

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All druggists sell it at 50c. and $1 a package. If you cannot get it, send your address for a free sample. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day, in order to be healthy this is necessary. Address, ORATOR F. WOODWARD, Le Roy, N. Y.

Building Moving.

The building moving business of the late J. Newton Jenkins is still carried on by Mrs. J. Newton Jenkins, assisted by her son Harry, and an experienced man. Contracts taken anywhere accessible by rail. All business will receive prompt attention by addressing Mrs. Jenkins or Harry S. Jenkins,

41 East Sixth Street.

9 19 6m

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RUINED HIS PARTNERS

Theo. Baldwin Forces Trask & Co. to the Wall.

HE WAS A DARING SPECULATOR,

And Used the Firm's Money to Further His Own Schemes—A Defalcation of at Least $150,000—The Truth Discovered by Accident — Offers of Financial Assistance Refused.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Wayland Trask & Co., of No. 18 Wall street have been forced to the wall. Their failure was announced on the Stock Exchange yesterday. It was known on Wednesday at the close of business that a prominent firm was in trouble, but nobody suspected that it was this old and presumably solid firm.

It was composed of Wayland Trask, Theodore Baldwin and A. N. Rankin. Mr. Baldwin appears to be responsible for the wreck. Ever since the formation of the company in May, 1891, he has had charge of the books and the general office business. He enjoyed the absolute confidence of his associates and in matters financial had full sway.

Last week Mr. Trask was amazed to receive a demand from banks which were carrying their loans for additional margins. He said there must be some mistake, adding that he would examine the books and learn the cause of the trouble.

Mr. Trask made an investigation on his own account. Startling discoveries were the result.

Baldwin, it was determined, had been speculating on his own account and had loaded the books with fictitious accounts. Customers' money and securities had been freely used by Baldwin to margin his own transactions. It was a cruel revelation to Mr. Trask.

Dazed by the blow, he sought his partner, and confronted him with the evidences of guilt.

Bowed with shame and confusion, Baldwin confessed that he did wrong, and offered to make such restitution as he was able. He also volunteered to aid expert accountants in their scrutiny of the books. His services in that unwelcome task were engaged and he is now at work.

When Mr. Trask became aware of the condition of affairs he sent notices to firms having contracts with him to close out his accounts at the best price they could. The firm was carrying large amounts of Northern Pacific, among other stocks. It was the liquidation of these accounts that caused such a heavy decline in that stock when the rest of the market was full of bull excitement.

After the suspension had been officially announced yesterday it was also said that there were no outstanding obligations on the board. Such losses as have occurred will fall on the customers of the firm, most of whom are Brooklyn people.

Simon H. Stearns, counsel for the firm, and from whom the facts of the defalcation and failure are mostly learned, says that so far as the hasty examination of the books disclose the losses amount to about $150,000. These figures, however, are likely to be increased.

Baldwin has been at his crooked work for about three years. Secretly he speculated in almost every stock on the list, it is said, and while it was rumored that he had been particularly hard hit on Northern Pacific, Chicago Gas and Omaha, it seems as if he had lost on everything he handled.

Over $800,000 was offered to Mr. Trask by various firms to help him out of his trouble, but he declined all assistance until he learned the real amount of his partner's defalcation.

Mr. Trask has been a member of the Stock Exchange since Oct. 16, 1869, and was the floor member of the firm since its organization. He was formerly connected with A. M. Kidder & Co. Baldwin is said to have been a clerk for ten years or more of E. C. Benedict.

What legal steps will be taken against Baldwin had not been determined last night, but it is probable that some of the customers will prosecute him for embezzlement. At present he is under surveillance.

Attacked Catholics and Immigration.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 30.—At the annual meeting of the Maine Woman's Suffrage Association, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore delivered a lecture on "The Perils of the Republic," that was quite sensational, especially in her arraignment of the Catholic Church and her handling of the immigration question. She said it was evidently the sole aim of the Catholic Church to build parochial schools upon the ruins of the public schools.

No Decision Reached.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The Finance Ministers of Austria and Hungary met Albert de Rothschild and other bankers yesterday with reference to the new gold loan, the proposed amount of which is 200,000,000 florins. No decision was reached at the conference.

Indicted For Manslaughter.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Dec. 30.—Abbie Hillmar, of this town, has been indicted for manslaughter by the Grand Jury. She confessed to having thrown her six-months-old illegitimate child into Mill river.

One Sudden Death Causes Another.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 30.—Mrs. James Buford, wife of a prominent politician, dropped dead from the shock of discovering in her room the dead body of a relative, who had died suddenly during the night.

January Output of Coal.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The general sales agents of the anthracite coal companies have fixed the output for January at 2,750,000 tons. For January, 1892, it was 2,500,000 tons. No change was made in prices.

Herz En Route to Italy.

VIENNA, Dec. 30.—It is stated that Dr. Cornelius Herz, owing to France's demanding his extradition from England, has quitted London and passed through Vienna en route to Italy.

Missing Rev. Dr. Thompson Found.

ROCHESTER, Dec. 30.—A despatch from Fairport, N. Y., says that Rev. Dr. Thompson, who disappeared from Washington, D. C., several days ago, has been found and is all right.

Carnot Did Not Ask for Funds.

PARIS, Dec. 30.—It is officially denied that M. Carnot asked M. Christophle, the Governor of the Credet Foncier for funds during the election campaign in 1888.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

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PROTECTION FOR GLADSTONE.

The English Authorities Believe in a Formidable Dynamite Conspiracy.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The authorities appear to be so strongly convinced that the Dublin explosion, by which Detective Synnott lost his life, was part of the work of a band of conspirators, that they have sent a detective to Biarritz to keep guard over Mr. Gladstone, and protect him from outrage.

Mr. Gladstone has not been made aware of the precaution taken, as it is known that he would resent any protection of the kind, should he be aware of it.

Home Secretary Asquith is also protected when he goes out in public, by a detective in civilian attire, who keeps near enough to interfere in the event of an attack upon the Secretary.

In view of all the precautions taken, the opinion prevails that the authorities are in possession of definite information as to the existence of a formidable dynamite conspiracy.

DUNLAP IN NEW YORK.

For the Present His Stopping Place Will be Kept Secret.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Jim Dunlap, the Northampton bank robber, accompanied by Mrs. Rowland, arrived in this city from Boston last night. There were several persons at the Grand Central Depot awaiting the arrival of Dunlap, but Mrs. Rowland circumvented them all, and smuggled Dunlap up town to the residence of a friend, where he will remain for a few days.

Mrs. Rowland said that for the present Dunlap's stopping place would be kept a secret.

"The man has nothing to say," she said, "and won't have for some time. He is dazed and acts like a man in a dream. It will take a few weeks to accustom him to his new life. He talked but little on the trip here, but seemed to be thinking much."

THE TUBE ENTERED HIS EYE.

Peculiar Accident to a Boy While on a Shooting Expedition.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 30.—Andrew Black, a youth of 18, a son of A. L. Black, went out yesterday to shoot birds. He had an improvised gun made of a brass tube ten inches in length and a quarter of an inch in diameter.

He ovarloaded the tube and when he fired the recoil was so great that the tube entered his eye, penetrating to a considerable depth.

Black withdrew it himself, walked about a hundred yards and fell unconscious and has remained in that condition ever since.

Four surgeons have been called in and pronounce the case almost hopeless.

Believed to Have Committed Suicide.

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—There seems to be little doubt that David W. Tucker of Milton, who was reported to have jumped from the deck of the Portland steamer in Portland harbor December 19, actually committed suicide, and a death notice has been inserted in the papers, indicating that his friends are convinced that such is the case.

To Succeed Dr. Crosby.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Rev. Dr. John R. Davies, for five years pastor of the Presbyterian church at Tyronne, Pa., has accepted the call to the pastorate of the Fourth Avenue Presbyterian church, of this city. This church has been without a pastor ever since the death of Dr. Howard Crosby, which occurred on March 29, 1891.

Dinner in Honor of a Printing Anniversary

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The two hundredth anniversary of the introduction of the art of printing in New York is to be celebrated on the 12th of April next by a dinner at Delmonico's. The dinner will be given under the management of the Typothetæ Society and the printing and publishing trades of this city.

Cholera Commissioners Indignant.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 30.—The younger members of the Cholera Commission are indignant at the farcical proceedings of the Commission. They declare that their time was wasted, the old medical officials reading reports praising the beneficence of the Government and indulging in fulsome flattery of the nobility.

Mysterious Disappearance.

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 30.—Havelock Johnson, a farmer of the parish of Bobford, has disappeared mysteriously, and as he had a considerable sum of money with him, no motive for his voluntary disappearance can be discovered. Foul play is suspected.

Want Immigration Stopped.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 30.—The St. Louis Lodge of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America are preparing a petition for presentation to Congress, asking for the indefinite suspension of all immigration into the United States.

Escaped Lunatic Wood Located.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 30.—Hamilton Wood, who escaped from the Worcester Lunatic hospital Monday night, is with friends in New York, where he will remain if he exhibits no violent insanity. Dr. Quimby has been notified.

Reports Overdrawn.

ROME, Dec. 30.—The "Moniteur," organ of the Vatican, says that recent reports in regard to the mission of Monsignor Satolli to the United States are overdrawn and promises to give fuller light shortly on the subject.

Fountain to Hebe for Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—A granite drinking fountain, surmounted by a bronze statue of the goddess Hebe, the gift of Joseph Rosenberg, of San Francisco, will be placed in the Lake Front Park. It will cost $10,000.

CHICAGO'S CROSSING ACCIDENT.

Had Guards Attended to Duty It Would Not Have Occurred.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—That the crossing accident here yesterday by which four persons were killed and eight injured in collision between the street car and locomotive, was due to the grossest carelessness cannot be doubted. By their own statements the two crossing men were not attending to their duty and neither of them knew of the catastrophe until after the crash and when the writh-victims were seen by them, as they both came out of their cabin.

The street car was crowded and was crossing the Fort Wayne railway tracks when a Fort Wayne train crashed into it so suddenly that the occupants had no time to escape.

The engineer of the train and the watchmen at the crossing are under arrest.

Three men and one woman were killed outright, and three of the injured will probably die.

The accident happened when the street car traffic was at its heaviest and the cars were crowded to the doorways with people standing and sitting.

For some reason the occupants of the engine cab did not see the car approaching the crossing, and on account of the heavy coating of frost on the windows of the car the passengers did not see the engine bearing down upon them. In an instant the engine struck the car and passed on leaving, a trial of dead and injured people behind.

The car was dragged for a distance of about one hundred and fifty yards and at every foot of the distance fresh injury was added to those inflicted when the engine first struck the car.

The horses became detached from the car and ran away uninjured.

The cries of the injured instantly attracted the attention of people in the neighboring houses and the residents hurried out to join the persons who had seen the accident and had hastened to the aid of the injured ones.

The wildest confusion reigned for the first few minutes.

Those who had come to the work of rescue could hear the pitiful cries of the wounded and see the body of one dead man.

George Blake was the first one taken from the wreckage. He was caaried to a saloon in the vicinity, but died as soon as he reached there.

The other wounded were then picked up by the willing rescuers, and were carried into the houses near the crossing.

At about the time the injured had all been assisted out of the wreckage, five police patrol wagons arrived on the scene, and the policemen assumed charge of the work.

The most severely injured person, the woman supposed to be Mrs. Carson, was at once put into one of the police wagons and started for Mercy Hospital. Before the wagon had gone far on its journey the woman died, and the destination was changed to the County Morgue.

DR. JOHNSTON ENCOURAGED.

Mr. Blaine Better Than at Any Time During His Illness.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Dr. Johnston visited Mr. Blaine this morning and is greatly encouraged at the patient's improved condition.

Dr. Johnston says that Mr. Blaine is now better than he has been during his illness.

Boston Yachtsmen Will Not Build.

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—Charles Francis Adams, 2d, says that there is no prospect of a Boston syndicate building an American cup-defender. Mr. Adams' word on this subject should be accepted as the final decision of Boston yachtsmen, for he is not the man to make so positive a statement unless he had sufficient information.

Asa P. Potter's Trial.

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—The government has decided that Asa P. Potter shall be tried first on the indictments charging him with falsely certifying checks for the firm of Irving A. Evans & Co., knowing at the time that the drawers of the checks did not have in the bank at the time the checks were drawn sufficient funds to meet them.

Acquitted of Murder.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 30.—Jacob Collins, of Newport, Ky., tried to force his way over the Newport and Cincinnati bridge on Tuesday without paying toll. Joseph H. Harrison, the toll-keeper, struck Collins with his fist and Collins died. Harrison was tried for murder. The jury acquitted him without leaving their seats.

Switzerland Retaliating.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The Swiss tariff on cycles, nickel-plated articles, baskets, cigars and cigarettes imported from France, has been doubled, while the tariff on many French articles, such as cotton, silk goods, clothing and cheese has been trebled, and in some cases quadrupled.

The B. & O. and Its Trainmen.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 30.—The differences between the Baltimore & Ohio railroad officials and the Grievance Committee of the Brotherhood of Trainmen have been settled by the signing of a wage scale, which makes an average increase of from 8 to 18 cents per day.

Concessions on the Military Bill.

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—Emperor William conferred yesterday with Chancellor von Caprivi, the Minister of War and Chief of the Military Cabinet. It is reported that the conference was in reference to possible concessions on the Military bill.

To Inspect Italian Issue Banks.

ROME, Dec. 30.—The Government of Italy has appointed a Commission headed by Senator Finale to inspect Italian issue banks.

Gen. Rosecrans in California.

REDONDO, Cal., Dec. 30.—General W. S. Rosecrans, register of the Treasury, has arrived here from Chicago.

THE CRIPPLED UMBRIA

Likely to Reach New York at Any Time Now.

NO TRUTH IN THE HALIFAX STORY

Report That She Had Reached Barrington in a Sinking Condition Disproved—The Cunarder May Have Drifted Far to the South — She Refused the Galileo's Proffered Assistance on Christmas—The Vessel and Cargo Valued at $1,500,000

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 30.—The rumor in circulation here last night that the disabled steamer Umbria had reached Barrington in a sinking condition has been disproved by inquiry of the New York agent there.

Nothing has been seen of the steamer there. The ship has not been sighted anywhere off the Novia Scotia coast, every inch of which has been communicated with from Yarmouth to Canso.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The Umbria has been spoken. She is practically safe. So confident of bringing his vessel to port is her commander, Capt. McKay, that he absolutely refused assistance from the steamship which bore down upon the Cunarder Christmas Day, coming so near that the passengers on the two ships were able to distinguish one another.

The Umbria had broken down and her able corps of engineers were then at work repairing the machinery.

The very absence of these calls for assistance is abundant evidence that she is not in a "bad way" and that her skipper intends to bring his vessel into port unassisted.

To the Wilson liner Galileo belongs the honor of bringing to port the gratifying news that the Umbria is safe.

The news spread rapidly and relieved the anxiety of those who have friends aboard. The officials and clerks at the offices of the Cunard company, though they have latterly maintained that the delay in the arrival of the Umbria was due to some disarrangement of her machinery, showed by their faces and cheery words that the good news had also brought great relief to them.

Telegrams reporting the fact that the steamer had been spoken were sent in every direction.

It was 5 o'clock Christmas afternoon, and already beginning to grow dark when the lookout on the Galileo sighted the lights of the disabled Cunarder through the driving snow.

The Galileo came almost within hailing distance of the Umbria, and, rounding her stern, lay to, signifying by this manœuvre that she was ready to lend assistance.

A good view of the Umbria's deck was obtained from the Galileo's bridge. Some of the passengers on the Umbria tumbled out on deck when they were aware of the presence of the second steamship, and some of the women waved their handkerchiefs to those aboard the Wilson Liner.

The steamer Lahn, which arrived early this morning, reports having seen nothing of the Umbria. Captain Helmers states that he has not sighted the missing steamer.

She has no doubt drifted away to the south of the regular course some hundred miles.

The value of the Umbria and her cargo is roughly estimated at 1,500,000 pounds.

FRIGHTENED UNDERWRITERS.

Re-Insurance Rates on the Umbria Advanced Several Times.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The cable message from New York that the Umbria had been sighted by the steamship Galileo was indeed glad tidings to many anxious friends and relatives here.

So great had become the fear for the safety of the Umbria that underwriters at Lloyds looked upon her as an extra hazardous risk. Yesterday re-insurance was effected upon her at the rate of twelve guineas premium, which is rather a high rate, but a few hours later twenty guineas were demanded. Some re-insurance was effected at this latter rate, and this in itself was a good indication of the anxiety felt in business circles.

As the day advanced the underwriters advanced their rate for re-insurance to twenty-five guineas.

Old steamship men discussing among themselves the probability of the Umbria having struck a derelict, said that even if such was the case her watertight compartments would keep her afloat unless, perhaps, she struck in such a manner as to tear her side out near the engine room. This might have been done by the steamer striking the floating and waterlogged wreck a glancing blow and catching an anchor fluke in her plates.

Caused a Fire Thirty Miles Distant.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 30.—It has been ascertained that the fire which occured in Greene, Chenango county, on Christmas morning, and which a loss of $28,000 was entailed was caused by the crossing of an electric light wire with a telephone wire in Binghamton, thirty miles away.

To Accompany the Caravels.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. — Orders have been given by the Navy Department to Rear Admiral Henham, commanding the European squadron, to have the U. S. S. Newark and Bennington accompany the Columbus caravels from Spain to the United States.

Gladstone's Eighty-Third Birthday.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Queen Victoria was among the earliest to congratulate the Right Hon. William E. Gladstone on the arrival of his eighty-third birthday. Her telegram was unusually gracious in tone. Hundreds of other telegrams and letters have been received.

Cholera Increasing in Hamburg.

HAMBURG, Dec. 30.—The cholera statistics to-day show a considerable increase in the number of new cases of the disease, seven patients having been removed to the hospitals. One death occurred.

Blew His Brains Out.

HAZLETON, Pa., Dec. 30.—Because he could not settle his board bill at the Mansion House, on account of his failure to secure work, Samuel Evans of Whitehall, blew his brains out in his room.

A Druggist's Strange Disappearance.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Dec. 30.—Ellazear LaViolette, a druggist of this city, has been missing from his home since Monday and the police have been requested to investigate the matter.

One rounded teaspoonful of Cleveland's Baking Powder does more and better work than a heaping teaspoonful of any other. A large saving on a year's bakings.

The best known writers on domestic science, as Marion Harland, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. Parker and Emily Hayes, and teachers of cookery, as Mrs. Rorer, Mrs. Lincoln and Mrs. Dearborn, use and recommend Cleveland's Baking Powder.

THINK SOMETHING IS CONCEALED.

Prevailing Opinion of Catholic Laymen Regarding the Case of Dr. McGlynn.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The Committee of Roman Catholic Interests, comprised of lay members of the Catholic Club, met last night in the club house and discussed in an informal manner the situation in the Roman Catholic Church in this city in relation to the restoration of Dr. McGlynn.

In conversation afterwards with one of the Committee, Mr. Crimmins, he said to a reporter that the prevailing opinion at the meeting was that something had been concealed and that until some explanation was given it would be folly for the laity to interfere.

Mr. Crimmins, who was chairman of the meeting, was against any hasty action being taken.

World's Fair Bureau.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—The World's Fair Hotel and Boarding Bureau, an organization to care for visitors to the World's Fair, in which a large number of the Chicago terminal railroads are interested, will establish its permanent general offices, on January 3, in the Temple Court building, corner of Jackson and Quincy streets.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—The State Board of Arbitration after hearing the Cumberland, N. J., glass blowers announces that there is no cause for interference on the part of the Board and that there is nothing to arbitrate.

—Theodore Dorman, while insane, jumped headfirst into a deep weep well at Grand Pre, N. S., and was instantly killed.

—The affairs of the Order of Solon are now in the hands of the receiver.

—Fire destroyed the Marshalltown, Ia., fine high school building. Loss, $50,000.

—D. N. Trowbridge, manufacturer and dealer in cooperage stock at Toledo, O., has failed.

—Three new case of typhus fever have been discovered in New York.

—George Taylor, for many years general freight agent of the Intercolonial Railway, is dead of hemorrhage of the lungs at Halifax.

—C. H. Royal, of Toronto, Ont., has been appointed Lieut.-Governor of the Northwest territories.

—The Illinois Steel Mills at Joliet, Ill., will close down Jan. 1. It is thought the mills will not start until April. Over 2,000 men will be thrown out of work.

—A. Stobele was struck by a train at Corning, N. Y., and died shortly after.

—The carriage factory of W. J. Hunter at Toronto, Ont., was burned. Loss $10,000.

—Milo Noble, aged 9, while endeavoring to save his little sister, who had fallen into the river at Dayton, O., was swept under the ice and drowned. The girl was rescued by others.

—Miss Ayres, telegraph operator at Brighton, Cal., was murdered and the station burned in order to conceal the crime.

—A. J. Calkons, editor of the Mt. Vernon, Ind., "Sun," is dead.

—The lumber cut in Minnesota last year amounted to 650,685,000 feet.

—On account of the reappearance of cholera at Hamburg, closure of the port of Colon has again been decreed against vessels sailing from that port after the 10th inst.

—The Mexican Central railroad has just built the largest locomotive in the world. It weighs 260,000 pounds and has twelve driving wheels.

—The Belwood Manufacturing works of Belwood, Pa., owned and controled by Benjamin F. Stoner, have passed into the hands of an assignee.

—Two deaths from cholera have occurred in Altona, a suburb of Hamburg.

—The Phillipsburg National Bank, of Phillipsburg, Pa., capital $50,000, has been authorized to begin business.

—The will of the late Josiah Lavinese, of City Island, has been filed for probate at White Plains, N. Y.

—The Universal Radial Drill company, Cincinnati, has assigned.

—There is nothing in the story that Eugene T. Chamberlain, of Albany, N. Y., is to be Cleveland's private secretary.

—Gov.-Elect Turney, of Tennessee, is so ill that it is not thought he will live to be inaugurated.

—Mrs. Cleveland has gone to Buffalo, N. Y., to visit her mother.

—Peter Satter, a retired farmer, aged 55, murdered his wife Teresa, aged 40, at their boarding place at Des Moines, Ia.

—President Harrison has received from John F. Healy, consul at Funchal, Maderia Islands, a cane made from the wood of a house on Porto Santo, one of the islands, occupied by Christopher Columbus at the time he was a resident there.

First Cotton Harvested by Machinery.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The first bale of cotton harvested by machinery will be sold at auction on the Cotton Exchange at 3 o'clock this afternoon for the benefit of the Press Club building fund. It weighs 530 pounds.

Denied by Secretary Soley.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Assistant Secretary Soley says that there is no truth in the report that he is to enter into a local partnership with Secretary Tracy at the close of the present administration.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Cloudy and Colder To-Morrow.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—"Just for fun", White & VanArsdale are offering some extraordinary bargains to-day.

—The grand jury of Somerset county came in yesterday afternoon with fourteen indictments.

—The lantern-slide evening at the Camera club, yesterday, was greatly enjoyed by a fair-sized audience.

—The First Presbyterian Sunday-school enjoyed a Christmas festival last evening. All the young people received gifts of fruits and candy.

—Prof. George Davis will give his Christmas reception to the scholars of his class at Hulett's hall, 73 West Front street, this evening, instead of last night as first announced.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Ella Sebring of Division street is visiting friends in Brooklyn and New York.

A charming afternoon tea was given by Miss Cooley at her home on Rockview Terrace, yesterday, from 4 to 6.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Williams, new comers to Plainfield, have leased Charles H. Davis's house on Ninth street opposite First place.

The Rev. D. H. Davis of Shanghai, China, superintendent of the Seventh-day Baptist mission in that city, will speak at the Seventh-day Baptist church at 10:30 to-morrow.

Peter Keller, who built the Somerset hotel in North Plainfield, and resided there as proprietor for many years, died this morning at his home on Third avenue, New York.

Miss Freddie Huke in "For a Million", is to be one of the winners on the road next season. This year she is with the "Held in Slavery" company and will be seen at Music Hall, this evening.

It is said that the price paid by John J. H. Pollon for the West Seventh street plot on which he intends building a new home, was $27,000. This is probably the highest price ever paid for a house site in the State.

Katie Powers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Powers, died at her home, 129 Somerset street, yesterday, in the 18th year of her age. Funeral services will be held at the house to-morrow morning at 9:30 and at St. Joseph's church at 10.

A number of the friends of the senior publisher and proprietor of THE PRESS and the *Constitutionalist*, were favored yesterday with a fine lot of fat quail from the wheat fields of Tennessee. Mr. Force writes that in spite of snow and cold weather, he and his guest, Elisha Shepherd, are bagging about 40 a day.

A Big Bible to Supt. Randolph.

The Third Street mission of the First Baptist church had a delightful Christmas entertainment last night. A song by the school "The Birthday of the Lord" and a prayer by Dr. D. J. Yerkes were followed by the address of welcome by superintendent L. W. Randolph. Then came an excellent piano solo by Mrs. F. M. Hulett, a jubilee song "Swing Low Sweet Chariot" by nine little girls, "Mother Goose" illustrated by 20 young people, "Santa Claus Song" by the primary class, and a recitation "Christmas Riddle" by Lucy May Scott. W. F. Richards on behalf of the Sunday-school presented a handsome large family Bible to superintendent Randolph. Nine little girls gave the jubilee song "Steal Away", Jennie Thorn recited "Baby's Stocking", five little girls gave three tableaux "Is There a Santa Claus", and then Santa Claus appeared and distributed gifts. Everybody enjoyed the refreshments that followed.

She Was Bound to Run Away.

A little black mare belonging to Smalley Bros, the North avenue butchers, persisted in running away this noon. She turned the corner of Park avenue into West Fourth street after kicking a leg over the shaft. There she slipped down on the crosswalk and threw out her colored driver who for a few minutes was mixed up with broken shafts and flying heels.

Then she jumped up, turned clear around started down West Fourth at such a terrific gait that the wagon was swung against a tree, the Hon. Patrick Eagan who had remained aboard was thrown out, and the mare broke loose and was soon out of sight.

A Papal Bull Insists That Father Cushing Must Leave Plainfield.

Father Cushing, assistant rector of St Mary's church, received a cablegram yesterday announcing that a Papal bull had been issued appointing him Coadjutor Bishop of western Colorado. This is the second time that Father Cushing has been appointed to this position. The first time he was appointed he was excused from accepting on his own petition.

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AMATEUR THEATRICALS.

Last Night's Production of "The Veneered Savage" and "The Duchess of Dublin".

A number of new lights in the local histrionic firmament appeared on the Casino stage last evening: stars of a magnitude some greater, some less. The hall was filled with an audience whose appreciation was warmly expressed at deserving parts, and whose kindly good nature graciously overlooked many of the less glaring of the faults.

The selection of "The Veneered Savage" was not an especially excellent one. There is an abundance of clever and entertaining short plays from which a more fortunate choice might have been made. The lack of plot and incident made it barren and tedious. Because of its native defects it was not the best thing in the world for untried players to attempt. The central idea was the threadbare joke that English people believe the streets of American cities to be infested with Indians and wild animals. The worn-out and impossible blunder of inclosing an insulting letter in the wrong envelope was responsible for the three Americans of the piece masquerading in London society as persons of cowboy stripe, "Veneered Savages".

Perhaps Clarence Murphy would have done better in a more familiar role. Certainly he was not at home in the disguise of *Texas Jack costume, and he failed to* develop the fire and spirit that should characterize a dashing young ranchman. He was disappointing as well in his real part as in his assumed one. As the genuine *Dick Majendie* he wore a faultless new suit of clothes and an abnormal mustache, and his inseparable cigarette was present. He recited his lines letter perfect, but he seemed to lack energy; his acting was forced. A great defect was his want of grace. He was only natural in his gait. It had been hoped that he would cure the awkwardness of his stride before he ventured ambitious stage appearance. But either that was impossible or he did n't deem it essential. He was a mar to the other players. He may possibly improve if ever given another chance. He is clearly more adapted to leadership of the german or in some similar social function than on the boards.

The most distinguished playing was that of Miss Maude VanBoskerck. She made a superb "Mashing Madge", and her vivid description of the imaginary but terrible buffalo hunt in the streets of Chicago was a most admirable bit of acting. She had all the vim and dash required by the part, and gave her *London hostess* a highly exciting and fiery time. It was a genuine treat to see such rare talent so well developed in a local amateur.

Miss Corlies was at times quite up to her part of the Chicago belle, and her faults were those of inexperience. She seemed a little afraid to trust her voice to its full strength. Her auditors forgave her the trifling blemishes of her acting for the privilege of feasting on her attractiveness of face and figure.

Miss Elizabeth Stewart made a stately *Duchess of Diddlesex*, and Mrs. Lewis Timpson did all that was required of her in her part of the haughty *Lady Fanny*. She had only to pose beautifully and say little. She should be given a more prominent part in the next theatricals, where she may display her talents as well as her personal beauty.

O. G. Waring had a stupid part in *Lord Algernon*, being compelled to look idiotic and occasionally interject "Bah Jove!" It is a compliment to say he was not suited to the role, though he strove manfully to assume its shallowness.

Roger Erickson made a perfectly proper and solemn butler, and as usual the audience went into hysterics over his every appearance.

The one-act farce "The Duchess of Dublin" was lively and enjoyable. Incident abounded, and the numerous absurdities were laughably rendered. William W. Runyon as *Dr. Aconite* scored a genuine triumph. He could not have been surpassed in his part. Miss Florence Huntington bravely resisted the usual temptation to overdo the brogue, and as *Maggie Mullen*, the "duchess", acquitted herself well. She was unaffected, and her simplicity helped greatly in making her a perfect gem of a pretty Irish domestic. Everyone agreed that Miss Jessame Harte was "awfully good". She was a fervid, romantic "lone orphan", in search of the great and mysterious duchess's autograph. Her acting was excellent. She was everything that the part demanded, dashing, vivacious, emotional, rapturous. Laurens H. VanBuren was notable as *Silas Sharpset*. He could not have been spared from the part. The other characters were well taken as follows: Frank Friskey, Edward F. Bloodgood; Oliver Oldbuck, rich and gouty, Thos. B. VanBoskerck; Dennis Doolan, a widower, Howard Huntington; Peter Plumpface, with a graveyard cough, John P. Munn; Annie Aconite, the doctor's sister, Miss E Massett; Lucy Linden, a milliner, Miss Frances B. Hawley.

The costumes of the various players in both plays were ravishing. The orchestral music by Mr. and Mrs. Pollock and Mr. Petrie was soft and classic. The players were deluged with the loveliest of floral tributes.

To Watch the Old Year Out.

At the Park Avenue Baptist church special service will be held Saturday night at 10:30. The pastor, the Rev. J. W. Richardson, will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion. His topic will be "The Trial Balance". All are cordially invited to meet with them on this occasion. A profitable and impressive service is expected. Those attending the regular prayer meeting Wednesday evening give an excellent report of it. After a few earnest remarks by the pastor those present were invited to take part, and thirty-nine embraced the opportunity.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

"THE PROMPTER'S BOX."

A Delightful Affair that All Plainfield Would Have Liked to See.

An excellent performance was given last night at the residence of Constantine P. Ralli, in Netherwood. The play selected was Henry J. Byron's comedy, "The Prompter's Box", which was enjoyed by an audience of about seventy-five invited guests.

A stage was erected in the dining room, with a full complement of scenery, and electric lights were brought in for the occasion. The audience was seated in the drawing room. The admirable cast was as follows:

Frank Bristowe.....John Reginald Blake
(A Retired Army Officer in reduced circumstances.)
Sir Michael Glendinning, (A Banker,) J. H. Van Deventer
Ernest Glendinning, (His Son,) James Stowell Anthony
Mr. Gladsby.....Harry S. Blake
(Manager of the Theater Royal, Snaggleton.)
Mr. Mandeville.....Charles Noe Daly
(Manager of the Polygon Theater, London.)
Captain Rackett.....Albert A. Holly
(Of the British Army.)
Arthur, (A Call Boy)..Master Harry Ostermoor
DeLacy Fitzaltamont.....Constantine P. Ralli
(A Poor Tragedian.)
Emily Mountcashel....Mrs. M. Gascoigne Ralli
(A Popular Favorite.)
Florence Bristowe....Miss Geraldine Anthony
(A Rising Dramatic Star.)
Mrs. Gulpin, (A Landlady,).....Miss Annie Ellis

Time—The Present.

SYNOPSIS OF SCENERY.

Acts I and II—Bristowe's Lodgings.
Act III. Scene I—Drawing Room at Miss Mountcashel's.
Scene II—The Coulisses of the Polygon Theater.
Act IV. Scene I—Ernest's Rooms.
Scene II—Drawing Room at Miss Mountcashel's.
The whole produced under the management of Charles Noe Daly.

Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus VanDeventer, Miss VanDeventer, Mr. and Mrs. Wharton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reinhart, Miss Young, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis, Miss Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Ostermoor, Miss Madelain *Ostermoor*, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. Foot, Capt. and Mrs Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. W. Palmer Smith, Miss Redfield, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Bowen, Miss Marion Bowen, the Rev. and Mrs. S. P. Simpson, Maj. Robert L Burnett, Mr Green, Mr. Rice, Mr. Fisher.

The music, by Andrew G. Carpenter's orchestra, gave the people great delight.

AFTER COUNCILMAN SEBRING.

Accused of Collecting Money Under False Pretenses.

The manager of the "Flag of Truce" company that played at Music Hall Monday evening, hired of councilman Sebring of North Plainfield a steam boiler to work the drills in the quarry scene. According to the *Courier*, "the cost for hauling the machine here and working it was $13".

When the boiler arrived the truckman who brought it collected $10 as his charge for transportation from Cranford. It was set up and fire started in it but without avail, as it would n't work and the steam drill act had to be left out. So the company's manager found himself $10 out and no steam.

Mr. Sebring made no claim for anything due, and after the play the stage hands began to remove the scenery to Trenton. But at midnight, when no bondsmen could be found, Mr. Sebring got justice Nash out of bed and secured a warrant attaching the company's property for $13. Of course the manager had to settle—and would have had to pay even if the warrant had called for $50. The scenery car had to be loaded by 2:30 a. m., or it would n't have been in Trenton that day in time for the evening's performance.

Otherwise the case would have been contested right there, for the boiler did n't work and the truckman had already been paid the $10 for hauling it. As it is, however, the money has been attached in the justice's hands before reaching Sebring on the claim of the Music Hall stage manager that one charge in Mr. Sebring's bill was for coal and wood used in trying to make the boiler go, and that that coal Mr. Sebring helped himself to out of the Music Hall cellar.

Trinity's Christmas Festival.

The primary department of Trinity Sunday-school had their Christmas exercises yesterday afternoon in the lecture room of the church.

Mrs. R. A. Meeker had drilled a number of the little ones to render the cantata of "Mother Goose". This was excellently given, with Miss Berg accompanying on the piano. The children were all presented with a pound box of candy. The school is in a high state of perfection through the earnest work of its superintendent, Mrs. J. H Tier, assisted by Mrs. D. Snediker. To-night the entire Sunday-school of the church will have their Christmas festival, with a stereopticon entertainment in the church.

To Partition the Male Estate.

John H. VanWinkle, Nelson W. Runyon and Levi Hetfield were appointed by the Chancellor Wednesday to partition the estate of the late Job Male among his heirs. They will be sworn in to-morrow. Their duty will include the appraising of 80 different pieces of property and the dividing of it in such shares as the law provides.

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Henry H Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 36, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. C. H. Bugg. W. M.
D. B. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 155, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres. Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y 8 23 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,076. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth. 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
F. S. Green Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

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Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
H. A Thorne, Reporter.

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ASLEEP AT HIS POST.

According to the Engineer's Own Statement This Was the Cause of the Wreck at White House Early Wednesday Morning.

The cause of the wreck of coal and freight cars at White House station, early Wednesday morning, as told in THE PRESS, by which the big engine 319 now lies at the bottom of a fifteen-foot embankment, is explained by the engineer himself, who acknowledges that at the time the smash occurred he was asleep in his cab. He had nearly shut off just before rounding the deep curve and was running not over five or six miles an hour.

Just before engine 319 struck the caboose of the foreward train, one of the brakesmen threw a lighted lantern in through the cab window of engine 319 in order to awaken the engineer but his sweet sleep was not disturbed until he was aroused to find his engine plunging down the embankment. The reason of his fatigue was that he had been on duty for fully thirty hours and could not keep awake. He freely acknowledges his fault.

Engine 319 still remains at the bottom of the bank down which she plunged, and will do so until about five hundred feet of track can be built to run her gradually back. This can only be done at a great expense. The name of the engineer could not be learned.

CAN'T PAY THE PREMIUMS.

All the Receipts of the Somerville Fair Went to Pay Notes and Trotting Purses, So the Farmers Got no Cash Prizes for Their Pumpkins and Corn.

The farmers of Somerset are up in arms over the fact that the Somerset County Agricultural society is unable at present to pay the premiums offered and won in their annual exhibition held in Somerville last September. The date fixed for the payment of these premiums was early in the present month, but when the day came the funds in the hands of the treasurer were not more than half sufficient to pay the winners. In consequence, the farmers and others who took prizes on their exhibits were very angry and much exercised over what they thought was downright robbery.

Until the last two years under the presidency of A. A. Ocrtelyou the association made a little money each year, but under the new regime there has been a steady loss. The reason of this as explained by the secretary is that great and necessary improvements have been made which have used up what money the association has made. Last summer at a meeting of the directors it was decided to fix up the grounds in a manner which would add to the comfort and convenience of the patrons. To that end money was raised by giving notes, which came due at the time the fair was over and just when the treasurer had funds to meet them. This he did, and when the day for paying the premiums came, the "necessary" was gone.

It is impossible, so say the fair officials, to run a four-day's exhibition, as it is too expensive. Other fair associations in the State get fifty cents as an admission fee, while the Somerset county people will only pay thirty or thirty-five cents. This makes a large difference in the receipts. A three-day's fair can be run and some money made. The Hon. Jacob Klotz is a hustler as far as making the fair pleasing to the people, but some say he does not stop to consider the expense.

A meeting of the directors will be held soon after Jan. 1, at which time money will be raised to pay off in full all of the premiums. This is promised by the officers and will be carried out. All of the speed premiums were paid promptly, the only ones remaining unpaid are the ones which were offered to the farmers for the best exhibit of corn, apples, potatoes, etc.

A Great Tie Game.

The bowling alley at Hope chapel was occupied Wednesday evening by five-men teams composed respectively of machinists from Pond's and Potter's. The game opened with great excitement, and all present thought Ponds would be the victors, but by the excellent game J. Brown put up it was found they had bowled to a draw. The final game to see who are the victors will be bowled at a later period. The score:

PONDS.		POTTERS.	
H. Turner	139	A. Muir	125
J. Heron	121	J. Brown	159
W. Leland	133	C. Myers	108
D. Morning	117	P. Roseberry	100
A. Leland	109	F. Whitley	127
	619		619

Advertising Him.

The following announcement appears in the Dunellen *Call* and Westfield *Leader*:

NOTICE.

James E. Totten is no longer in our employment, and has no authority to solicit orders or collect accounts for us from this date.

UNITED TEA & COFFEE GROWERS' ASS'N,
FULPER & BINGHAM, Props.,
29 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J.
Dec. 8th, 1892.

Found His Wife Dying.

When William Totten of Fourth and New streets went home at 11 Wednesday morning he found his wife unconscious in an apoplectic fit. Drs. Long and Tomlinson were summoned, and labored over the stricken woman till 4:45, when she died without having regained sensibility. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2, at the First Church of Christ, of which she was a member.

Paupers Burned Out by Fire-Bugs.

The poor farm buildings of Piscataway township, Middlesex company, near Stelton, were burned to the ground at 3 yesterday morning, with all their contents. Five horses and four head of cattle perished in the flames. The buildings burned include barracks, cow houses, barns and all other outbuildings except the wagon house. The farming implements were destroyed. The fire was incendiary, and is the third within a month in that locality.

"MY DAY WILL COME!"

That is All the Rev. Mr. Jennings Now Has to Say Concerning the Charges Against Him.

The Rev. E. M. Rodman and the Rev. J. P. Taylor, of this city, and the Rev. H. H. Oberly, of Elizabeth, the commission appointed by Bishop Scarborough to take testimony in the case of the Rev. J. B. Jennings, of Grace church, Westfield, charged by his parishioners with drunkenness and lying, concluded the inquiry last night.

This commission began its work on Dec. 18, and it was appointed at the request of Mr. Jennings's parishioners. It completed its work last night, and it is confidently believed in Westfield that the Rev. Mr. Jennings will be placed on trial before the standing committee of the diocese.

Drunkenness and lying are the charges that have been openly made against him. There is another one that is hinted at. Mr. Jennings says that these charges are a part of a conspiracy to force him out of his church.

The Rev. Mr. Malcolm of Roselle and the Rev. T. Logan Murphy of Plainfield appeared last night to conduct Mr. Jennings's defence, which consisted simply of a general denial of the charges and the evidence of two or three witnesses who testified that he was a man of good habits.

The inquiry was held behind closed doors, and only the communicants of the church were admitted. It was, however, the largest audience that has gathered in the church for many months.

Many of the ladies of the congregation were present, and several of them were called as witnesses. Sexton Kepler guarded the door. Half a dozen little schemes were tried by non-communicants to obtain admission, but they were failures.

The Rev. Mr. Jennings has had trouble with other congregations. It is asserted that he was forced to leave Sag Harbor, Tarrytown, and Cranford, because his conduct excited so much comment.

When his wife Jennie brought suit for divorce against him two years ago she charged him with drunkenness and cruel treatment. She said that he had pawned her wedding presents and failed to support her.

In her affidavit she said that she had found him without honor, without conscience, and without religion. The court granted a divorce, and Jennings was ordered to pay her $5 a week alimony.

He paid no attention to this order, and when he was brought before Vice-Chancellor Green last fall to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court, he explained that the collections in his church did n't average enough to pay his wife's alimony.

On that ground he was acquitted of contempt. The Rev. Mr. Jennings went to Westfield with his record behind him, and he stayed there despite the vigorous protests of many members of his congregation.

He was never regularly installed, and he refused to leave, although urged to do so on the ground that he was injuring the church. Only seven persons attended the Christmas services in Grace church, and the collections have fallen so low that if Mr. Jennings is not ordered to leave he will have to run the church with the aid of only two families. He is about 40 years old, tall, strongly built, and wears a blond moustache.

His face is florid and he wears a silk hat tilted to one side and smokes cigarettes.

At the investigation last night one witness testified that the rector had been drunk at his house for several days at a time.

In fact, he said, the rector had occasionally engaged a room from him for the purpose of sleeping off a drunk. An unreceipted bill for $62 for liquors, which sexton Kepler had found in the vestry room, was discussed.

Druggist George A. Bayard, from whom the liquor was purchased, went South a week ago. His clerk says that the bill was much smaller, and that the liquor or wine purchased was for Mr. Jennings's sick housekeeper.

Dr. Sherman Cooper testified that this bill was only $29 and that it was principally for medicine. J. C. Swan rather weakened Dr. Cooper's evidence by telling of a drive that he took with the Doctor one day.

The Rev. Mr. Jennings's name came up and in speaking of a recent illness Dr. Cooper said, according to Mr. Swan, that Jennings was not seriously sick, but was simply getting over a big drunk.

Several of the witnesses told of Mr. Jennings's unfortunate habit of telling contradictory stories. In the opinion of the townspeople the rector was very "gay", and not averse to drinking.

In answer to these charges Mr. Jennings brought forward several witnesses who testified that his character was good. He made a general denial of all the charges, and attempted no explanations.

The committee finished its work at 10 o'clock and it is expected that it will make a report to the Bishop next week. The Rev. Mr. Jennings came down to the depot to see the clergymen who have conducted his defence depart.

"Have you got anything to say in answer to these charges?" asked a reporter.

Mr. Jennings took his cigarette from between his teeth and replied: "No, sir, I have n't. My day will come. Then I will tell my story. The case is now in the hands of the commission."

Councilor Brown.

At a regular meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., held in their rooms last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing quarter:

Junior Past Councilor—Firman A. Long.
Councilor—Edward E. Brown.
Vice-councilor—Chas. I. Young.
Asst. Rec. Sec.—Willard B. Force.
Conductor—Lambert B. Bodine.
Warden—Augustus Wilson.
Inside Sentinel—Garret C. Schenck.
Outside Sentinel—John P. Reed.
Trustee for 18 months—Louis M. Dunavan.
Rep. to State Council for two years—David S. Dunavan.
Rep. to New Jersey Funeral Benefit Association—Horace G. Adams.

There is no better proof of the excellence of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup than that it is recommended by leading physicians.

EXTRA!

Latest News By Wire to THE PRESS.

THE UMBRIA'S SHAFT BROKEN.

Sighted Twice on Monday Making Repairs, Asking No Help—All Reported Well.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—More news of the belated *Umbria* was brought to this city to-day by the steamships *Manhassett* and *Ocean*. They report that the *Umbria*, on the 26th instant, was lying to about 750 miles east of this port, repairing her shaft.

Capt. McKay signalled that the *Umbria's* shaft was broken, that she was lying to with three sea-anchors out repairing the damage, that the ship was in perfectly sound condition, requiring no assistance, that everybody on board was well, and that he hoped to proceed on his way to New York next day. The *Umbria* was then in latitude 42° 50', longitude 57° 45'.

ROBERTSON & VAN NESS.

Said to Live in Comfort in Plainfield as the Chief Beneficiaries of a Fraud.

The following has been received for publication from the Secretary of the Charity Organization society of New York:

The Charity Organization society feels that its duty to its members and to the community requires that it should give the public renewed warning against the New York Juvenile Guardian society. Although that society has twice been officially unfavorably reported upon by the State Board of Charities, and its operations have often been exposed in the daily papers, it continues to exist upon the gifts of those who do not know or have forgotten its notorious record. In spite of the fact that some very reputable men have been induced to lend their names to this scheme the Charity Organization society fully believes that the New York Juvenile Guardian society is entirely unworthy of the confidence and support of the community. The circulars which it issues are misleading, and its active work is in bad hands.

The Juvenile Guardian society referred to is that of which the "Rev". David F. Robertson of this city is secretary and superintendent. New York reporters were at once assigned to its headquarters, 185 Bleecker street, New York, to interview him, but were there informed by Mr. Robertson's alleged bookkeeper, Ellen Gallagher, that Robertson would not be at the office that day, and that it would be necessary to go to Plainfield, in order to see him. She stated that he paid visits to the office at least three times a week, and that "he was there last on Christmas Eve".

What the reporters say they learned in this city is as follows:

(From The Morning Advertiser.)

In Plainfield, N. J., it was learned from Ticket Agent Nelson that Robertson used to go to New York every day, but had not been a passenger on his road (the only road to New York from that city) more than once in the past three months.

At the home of Lawyer VanNess, near Plainfield, Robertson was found. He is an unusally tall, heavy man, and is at present crippled with rheumatism, so he says. His hair and beard are white, and he is seventy-eight years old.

An order from the President of the society to give the reporters all the information they desired, was presented, but he refused to honor it on the ground that his lawyer forbade it. He admitted that he was not at the rooms of the society on Christmas Eve, and when told that Ellen Gallagher said he was, he could n't exactly remember when he was in New York last, and refused to say whether he had been to New York as many as three times in the past three months.

He said that while his nominal salary was $1,200 per year, he had not received more than $700 of it for the past year. Of Ellen Gallagher, he said: "She is a refined, educated, high-toned lady, and her's is a work of noble self-sacrifice."

Both VanNess and Robertson are looked on with distrust over in New Jersey.

Warren Mission's Entertainment.

Yesterday afternoon the Warren Mission Christmas festival was held for the primary class and small scholars of the main school. After the programme each scholar received a large box of candy, and a bag containing fruit, nuts and cake, after which Santa Claus presented all of the girls with dolls and the boys with games. In the evening the building was filled with the scholars of the intermediate and adult classes. A programme entitled "Christmas Eve; or, Echoes From Bethlehem", was rendered with credit to all who took part, as well as to the committee in charge. Presentations were then made by the superintendent as follows: $16 in cash from Mr. Wilder's class, a very handsome picture to Mrs. M. M. Dunham, and a box to Henry Seader from their classes.

A general invitation was then extended to all present to remain and enjoy the cake, coffee and ice-cream provided for the occasion. A general social time prevailed throughout the evening. The programme was as follows:

Processional—by a chorus of children.
Recitation—"Looking Backward,"
By six children
Recitation—"Kris Kringle is Coming,"
Frankie Whitely
Song—A Christmas Waif.. {Ida Dunham / Lottie Springman
Recitation—"The Tree I Love".....Flora Maas
Recitation—Scales or Stockings,
Tillie Coddington
Song—"Preparing for Santa",
Irene Mair, Jessie Stites,
Rachel Blake, Aggie Morse.
Recitation—"The Little Christmas Tree,"
Lena Myers
Recitation—"A Little Mite".....Georgie Staats
Song—"Who is Santa?"
By six little friends of Santa Claus
Recitation—"A Bud in His Garden."
Aggie Morse
Song—Santa's Home.....Lottie Springman
Recitation—Maisy's Christmas..Mabel Stevens
Song—Welcome to Santa.....Chorus
Song—(by Santa.)

Salvation Oil should always be kept in the kitchen. For the ready cure of scalds and burns it has no equal. 25c.

DEATHS.

PRUDEN—In this city Dec. 28, 1892, Eddie H., son of Albert and Jennie Pruden, aged 6 years and 10 months.
Funeral services at the residence of T. J. Pruden, 28 East 2d street, Saturday, Dec. 31, at 2 30 p. m.

TOTTEN—In this city Dec. 28, 1892, Mary L., wife of William H. Totten, in her 51st year.
Funeral services at the First Church of Christ Saturday afternoon, Dec. 31, at 2 o'clock.

POWERS—At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Powers, Dec. 29, Katie Powers, aged 17 years and 10 months.
Funeral from her parents' residence, 129 Somerset street, Saturday, Dec. 31, at 9.30 a. m., and at St. Joseph's church 10 a. m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

NOTICE.

All parties desiring to rent the Crescent rink for balls or parties on Tuesdays, Fridays or any night except Saturday can do so by applying to the owner,
CHARLES H. HAND,
12 30 6 73 East 5th street.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

FOR SALE—Cheap, good work horse, sound and kind. Apply 19 Muhlenburg place. 12 20 2w

WANTED—A colored girl as chambermaid and waitress; good wages. Apply at 8th street and Madison avenue. 12 29 2

GROCERY clerk wanted to take wagon route, who can command trade. Call 14 Central avenue. E. S. Cole. 12 30 6

YOUNG man of 20 desires a situation in a wholesale house, or clerk in an office; one not afraid of work; best of references. Address G. B., Plainfield post-office, New Jersey.

FOR SALE CHEAP on account of leaving town, silverware, furniture and kitchen utensils; all as good as new, at 23 Grant avenue. 12 30 2

PLEASANT rooms, well heated, with excellent board; moderate price, at 74 Broadway. 12 30 2

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework; one from the country preferred. Apply 74 Broadway. 12 30 2

WANTED—A sober and industrious man (German preferred) as coachman and gardener. Apply evenings after 8 o'clock at the residence of Chas. Schipper, 115 West 7th street. 12 30 2

FOUND—A pocketbook. Can be had by proving property and paying expenses. Address P., care Press. 12 30 3

WANTED.—A thoroughly trained teacher (graduate of Wellesley or Smith college preferred) to give daily lessons in English branches, mathematics, etc., to a young girl at her home. Address, stating terms, qualifications and references, W. S. C., care Press. 12 29 4

DIARIES and New Year's cards—Rand's. 12 29 2

GIRL wanted for general housework; 3 in family. 17 Church st. 12 29 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework; references required. Apply 17 Myrtle avenue. 12 29 6

FOR SALE—A good paying wholesale cash business; capital required under $1,000. Address X., care Press. 12 28 3

A CASH register for sale. Inquire at E. P. Thorn's, No. 17 Park avenue. 12 14 tf

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. In perfect order. Price $175, one-half cash, approved note, payable at bank, for balance. Address PIANO, Care PRESS
p c 11 14tf.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—59 North avenue, store, cellar and flats. Mulford, Broker. 12 1 tf

PHAETON as good as new, for sale at a bargain. 66 Park ave. 12 24 6

GIRL wanted, No. 9 Greenbrook road; light housework. 12 27 3

ENGAGEMENT wanted to read or write, or both. a few hours daily. Address Miss H., care Press. 12 27 3

CONOVER'S LIVERY STABLE,
31 North ave., opp. R. R. depot, Plainfield, N. J.
Closed Carriages, Coaches, Buggies, Surries, Double Teams and Saddle Horses. Hack at depot at all hours; telephone call 44. 9 12 tf

Sidewalks Must Be Cleaned

An Ordinance to provide for keeping street sidewalks and gutters free from snow, hail, slosh and ice.

SEC. 2. If in any case such snow, hail, slosh or ice shall be so congealed that the same cannot be so removed without injury to the sidewalks or gutters where the same has fallen or been formed, it shall be the duty of the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, occupant or occupants, and person or persons having charge of every such lot or parcel of land severally to cause the snow, hail, or slosh or ice which shall have been so congealed, to be strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after such congelation shall have happened, excepting in cases where such congelation shall have happened during any night, in all which last mentioned cases such snow, hail, slosh and ice shall be so strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning; and in all cases mentioned in this section all snow, hail, slosh and ice which shall have been so congealed shall be so removed from the sidewalks and gutters aforesaid to the respective widths aforesaid, within four hours after the same shall have become thawed to such an extent as to render such removal practicable without injury to such sidewalks or gutters, save in cases where the same shall have become so thawed during any night, in all which last mentioned cases the same shall be removed within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning.

SEC. 3. For each violation of this ordinance every person violating the same shall be subject to a penalty of five dollars, recoverable for the use of the city.

Anyone failing to comply with this ordinance will be dealt with as law and justice may require. GEO. W. GRANT,
12 27 6 Chief of Police.

CRESCENT RINK.
MUSIC BY NEW MARKET BAND.
New Year's Eve,
SATURDAY NIGHT, Dec. 31.
By request,
Skating until 10,
Dancing until 11.45.

NEW YEAR'S DAY,
Monday, Jan. 2,
TWO GRAND
SKATING SESSIONS
Afternoon and night.

Prepare for the great Columbus roller skating costume Carnival the latter part of January. Elegant prizes.

NOTICE—Persons desiring to engage the rink should address the National Skate and Bicycle Syndicate by letter care P.O., or to C. H. Hand in person.
11 28 tf

Turning Leaves

With the approach of the New Year the turning of a new leaf suggests itself to us. Of course we all mean to do things different; we are going to do things better, grander and nobler than we have before. These good resolutions require first of all a good appearance. A new suit of clothes, a dress or a jacket, including a new pair of shoes and a hat, are great factors in making a proper appearance. Now, if you will open an account with us, we can supply you with all your needs in the way of clothes for yourself and family on the most generous terms of credit. We require no security, but simply the assurance that you are in steady employment and of good repute.

THE SHERMAN OUTFITTING COMPANY,
Clothing, Hats and Shoes for Men, Women and Children; Furniture and Carpets,
49 and 51 West Front St.,
PLAINFIELD, N. J

JUST FOR FUN.

'Tis not often that people do business for fun, but we are going to try it for a while.
For a trade starter we will offer 500 yards of 50c. table linen for 33c.
And then you can buy the regular 18c. towel for 11c.
And a napkin that generally sells for $1.40 yon can buy for $1.10.
You buy 1893 styles of outing flannels for 10c. a yard.
And to clear them out we will sell the balance of our stock of coats for ladies and children at cost price.

White & VanArsdale.
12 26 tf

HOLIDAY GOODS!
Largest assortment. Greatest variety.
A. L. & M. O. GORSLINE,
14 WEST FRONT STREET, PLAINFIELD, N. J

R. W. Rice & Co.
Have a fine new assortment of
Jellies Jams and Preserves, Gordon & Dilworth's Mince Meat, Preserved Strawberries,
Also a fine line of Fancy Goods, Sliced Chutney (Bombay) Canadian Cheese, Anchvoiesin Oil, Edam Cheese.
Extra Fine Maple Syrup
In gallons, half gallons, quarts and pints. R. & S. Flemington Sausage.
Telephone 75 B Corner Emily and Duer Streets.

ROCHESTER BEERS
The success already attained by this brand of lager beer is beyond expectation. No other beer ever handled in this city has had such remarkable sales. Try it. You'll like it.

BOTTLED LIQUORS
And Imported Ales and Beers are having a very large sale at this season. My stock is first-class and it will pay you to investigate.
Frank Linke's Wholesale Liquor Establishment,
Telephone call, 157. No. 43 West Front Street

Two Plan Recitals
By MR. PAUL TIDDEN,
At The Casino
Tuesday Mornings, January 3 and 10
AT 11.
Patronesses—Mrs. C. E. Brooks, Mrs. Irving H. Brown, Mrs. Rowland Cox, Mrs. Charles J Fisk, Mrs. Pliny Fisk, Miss E. E. Kenyon, Mrs F. G. Mead, Mrs. J. K. Myers, Mrs. William J. Rooms, Mrs. H. G. Runkle, Mrs. Wm. L. Saunders, Miss Emilie Schipper, Mrs. A. D. Shepard, Mrs. Mason W. Tyler, Mrs. Charles D. Wadsworth and Mrs. Wm. L. Wadsworth.
Subscription tickets $1.50. Single tickets $1. May be obtained of the patronesses and at the Central pharmacy and Reynolds's drug store.
12 27 6

Books, Books.
Large lot of cheap books. Columbus edition 23c., Century edition 68c.
A. W. RAND,
24 WEST FRONT STREET.

Go To Krewson's.
Billiards 40 Cents Per Hour;
Pool 3 Cents a Cue.
25 West Front Street.
11 17 tf

PROTECTION! PROTECTION!
No politics about this. The protection of the hour is a protection against the cold blasts of winter. For a supply of cold weather Clothing, such as Heavy Weight Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers and Leather Coats, at lowest cash prices, call on
COLYER & CO.,
815 BROAD ST., NEWARK, N. J.
111 3m

Alexander Willett,
7 Park Avenue, City
SLIPPERS
For Christmas.
Large assortment of anything in the Slipper line. Romeo, Everett and Opera. Youth's, Boy's and Men's Patent Leather Oxford Ties.
Open evenings until 9.

STOVES. STOVES
The finest line of Heating and Cook Stoves in the city. Parlor Stoves from $4.50 up; Cook Stoves from $12 up.
Agents for the celebrated "Palace King" furnace, conceded by everyone to be the best furnace in the market.
Also all kinds of Hardware, Housefurnishings, Paints, &c.
ZIMMERMAN & RUMPF'S,
Successors to Pierson Hardware Co., 7 11 tf 43 West Front Street.

BICYCLES
Make excellent Christmas presents. The best are on sale at
The Wheelmen's Headquarters,
67 AND 69 PARK AVENUE.
FRANK L. C. MARTIN.
Bargains in Second-Hand Wheels.

GREAT SPECIAL CLEARANCE SALE.
Preparatory to extensive alterations in our store we will sell our entire stock of Cloaks, Millinery, Furs and all Winter Goods at wholesale cost price.
We will also sell everything in all departments throughout our store at a discount. This will afford the people of Plainfield and vicinity a grand opportunity to purchase first-class goods at genuine bargain prices.
LEDERER'S,
9 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

DID IT EVER OCCUR TO YOU
That many men who spend less money than you do for Shoes, are better shod, and do
You Know the Reason?
The other man buys his Shoes of
SPRINGER'S
SHOE STORE
32 West Front Street.
4 6 1y

GEO. L. VAN EMBURGH & SON,
No. 9 East Front Street,
Opposite Park Avenue.
If you have not yet selected your Christmas Goods, we have a fine line to pick from.
We certainly believe we are showing the finest line of Dolls in the city.

Upside Down
With business. A big rush of
Christmas Shoppers,
To buy Slippers, Shoes, Rubbers, Rubber Boots, Arctics, etc., for presents.
SHERWIN'S,
23 West Front Street. Strictly Cash.

MRS. LEVI P. MORTON.

Washington Society Will Be Sorry to Have Her Go Away.

No Woman Has Done So Much to Make Social Life Brilliant in the National Capital During the Harrison Administration.

Mrs. Morton, the wife of the vice president, has been one of the most popular women in Washington during the present administration, and, everybody, without respect to politics, will be very sorry to lose her. But New York will be glad to receive her back.

Before her marriage Mrs. Morton was Miss Anne Street, and was a great belle in New York twenty years ago. On her mother's side she is connected with the Stuyvesants, and her father's family was hardly less well known. When she married the banker she at once became a social power, and has remained so ever since. During her husband's term as minister to France she charmed all Paris and made her house a central point in the life of the gay capital. Here it was that she established her reputation for brilliant entertainments. Mr. Morton was not hampered by the meagerness of the salary of an American minister, and in keeping up his establishment he far exceeded the small sum allowed by the government. In Mrs. Morton's salon all classes of distinguished people were found and her receptions were the most noted of that time. So splendid, indeed, were these entertainments that after the election in 1888 French people, who could not understand why a vice president could not become a foreign minister, expressed the hope that they might again see Mr. and Mrs. Morton in Paris. A prettier compliment was never paid to an American representative in a foreign country.

The Washington home of the Mortons on Rhode Island avenue was built several years ago, but has been almost wholly reconstructed. Large as it is it

MRS. LEVI P. MORTON.

is small when compared with the beautiful home which Mrs. Morton has occupied on the Hudson. Both Mrs. Morton and her husband have artistic tastes, and their home in Washington is filled with pictures and engravings which were found abroad. In short no Washington residence is more delightfully interesting and instructive, as it may be said no receptions are more eagerly patronized and praised. It is true that the vice presidency has never been conspicuous as a field for social display. It remained for Mrs. Morton to make it what it should be in importance—next to the presidency. The result has been that Mrs. Morton's at homes and receptions have followed one upon the other in quick succession, and have reached the acme of brilliancy and elegance.

In personal appearance Mrs. Morton is singularly attractive. Her carriage is stately and her manners sunny. She is a blonde with a tinge of gray in her hair, and with eyes of a grayish blue. She is highly educated and as a hostess is incomparable. No woman has done so much to make social life brilliant in Washington during the Harrison administration, and no woman could do more.

The Farmers' Telegraph.

"A rural farming district in Michigan," says the Engineering Magazine, "has provided itself with a telegraph line eight miles in length, connecting a large number of scattered farms with the village store, the proprietor of which officiates as telegraph operator, express agent, postmaster and so on. The total cash expenditure for the outfit is said to have been only some $200, while the expense of maintenance, which is but a trifling sum, is assessed equally upon the owners. The small cost and enormous convenience of such a system as this in country districts ought to lead to a more general adoption of the plan. Especially after the expiration of the telephone patents in 1894, such a system of intercommunication by wire would be possible in every township throughout the country. The individual expense would be almost insignificant, and in the item of useless travel alone would save many times its cost every year."

Can False Teeth Be Made to Grow?

They can, according to Dr. Znamensky, a Russian dentist, residing in Moscow, who has been for some time experimenting on dogs and cats and human beings. Dr. Znamensky claims to be able, by his process, to cause false teeth to adhere as firmly to the jaws as those with which we are provided by nature. After drilling a hole in the false tooth, and a corresponding one in the jaw bone, he inserts the tooth in the cavity, and in twenty-four hours a soft, granular, semi-fluid substance makes its way from the jawbone into the hole drilled in the tooth. This soon hardens, and the tooth remains firmly in position.

Traps for Train Robbers.

Mr. Gotham—Well! well! A train robber is likely to be caught at last. The paper says he held up a train and robbed everybody, including the immigrants.

Mrs. Gotham—Are you sure he'll be caught?

Mr. Gotham—Yes, indeed. The cholera'll catch him.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Lucky Boy.

Little Dick—I think it's too mean for anything. I had to stay in school all day long, and Johnny Jimson got off at 'leven o'clock.

Mother—That's strange. Why was he allowed to go so early?

Little Dick—Some o' his folks is dyin'.—Good News.

Another Advertisement.

Jeweler—What do want with so many paste diamonds? Surely you wouldn't wear them.

Actress—I want to have them stolen.—Judge.

Love and Millinery.

She took a single sheet and wrote
How much she loved him on it,
And then she added half a ream
About that autumn bonnet.
—N. Y. Herald.

ADVENTURE AT SEA.

Sailing More Than Two Thousand Miles in Open Boats.

On August 2 the Campbell, which was laden with lumber, left Port Townsend, Wash., for Queenstown. Three weeks after her departure she met a northwest gale, in which after laboring heavily for twelve hours she sprang sleak. The water increased so much faster than the pumps could clear it that in a short time the captain, Havener by name, gave orders to get out the lifeboats and abandon her. The two large lifeboats were filled with stores, and the first carried Capt. Havener, his wife and child, the first mate, boatswain, carpenter, cook and eight of the crew. The second mate took charge of the other boat, which contained the cabin boy and the remainder of the crew. When day broke the bark had disappeared, and the two boats were

DISCOVERED BY A HAWAIIAN FISHERMAN

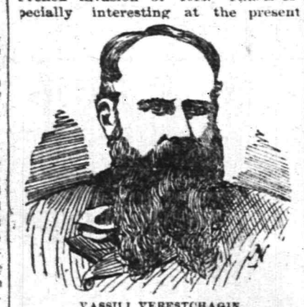
out of sight of each other. It had been agreed that they should make for Hilo, in the Hawaiian Islands, which was the nearest land. The news, with its sequel, has just arrived from Honolulu.

On September 20 a native fisherman off Nanawalla, Hawaii, saw out at sea what he supposed to be a drifting log, but, on approaching it, found it to be a ship's lifeboat. Lying in the bottom of the boat were twelve men, so weak as to be unable to speak, with their tongues, swollen and black, protruding from their mouths. Their eyes were sunken and glassy, and they all, though conscious, seemed as if demented. They were unable to move or give any account of themselves until brought to shore by the natives. The story of their voyage, as told by the mate, is one of horrible suffering. He said that when they left the scene of the wreck he calculated that Hilo was about 2,300 miles away, and that with care and short rations they could make the land safely. All went well for a time, the lifeboat making, according to his estimate, about 100 miles for each twenty-four hours. The water gave out, however, some days before they were found, and the scene became a terrible one. He and one of the sailors alone retained their senses. The rest became madmen, and at the last were fighting, shrieking, tearing their hair and clothes, and raving generally. He and the sailor managed, however, to keep them from either jumping overboard or drinking the salt water until they became too weak to do so. Finally he and the sailor also gave out, and for two days and nights the boat drifted in a calm sea without any effort to guide or propel her. A friendly current carried them inshore, or they would have all died in the boat. Nothing has been heard of Capt. Havener's boat, and it is hoped and believed that the party were rescued by a passing vessel.

A FRIEND OF PEACE.

Vassili Verestchagin, the Russian Artist, Author and Soldier.

Edmund Yates is authority for the statement that M. Vassili Verestchagin, the celebrated Russian painter, has settled himself in Moscow, where he intends to reside permanently, and is going to paint a series of huge pictures representing the principal events of the French invasion of 1812. This is especially interesting at the present



VASSILI VERESTCHAGIN.

time, when the vivacious Frenchman and the stolid Muscovite have joined hands and are dancing merrily to the same tune in an enthusiastic attempt to forget all about the war of 1812 and the strained relations which then existed between the two nations. Whether the fact that blazing Moscow is the central point in that sorrowful picture of the grand army's retreat over Russia's bleak plains had anything to do with the artist's decision to settle there is not stated. It may be that there are numbers of relics of various sorts preserved there to commemorate the deliverance of the holy empire out of the hand of the audacious Gaul and that Moscow itself is to play an important part in this gigantic panorama. Verestchagin is in many respects the Tolstoi of art. He has all the novelist's repugnance to the arbitrament of arms and his series of paintings on the horrors of war are among the most powerful pleas for international arbitration ever put forth.

An Iowa Squash.

T. J. James, who lives in Boone county, Ia., has raised the largest squash ever known in that part of the country. It is 5 feet 11½ inches around in the middle and weighs 129 pounds.

Cost of the Sultan's Harem.

The maintenance of the sultan's harem is said to cost Turkey over $22,000,000 yearly.

Art at the Capital.

The young man from Chicago with his bride was doing the Corcoran art gallery in Washington with the air of a Chicago connoisseur.

"Good Lord, Daisy," he exclaimed, as he came up in front of Truesdell's beautiful sheep picture, "ain't this a corker?"

"You bet it is," she responded, enthusiastically, "and I guess that's why they put it in the Corkeran gallery."

And the fuzz on the sheep began to look wild and woolly.—Detroit Free Press.

No Use for Him.

He—Don't you think I would make a good husband? I have such good taste in woman's dress that I could help you select all your gowns.

She—But there is one objection to that.

He—What, pray?

She—If I married you I would have to get them all beforehand.—Judge.

Settled All Round.

Mrs. Oldstyle—It seems to me that in summer all the single girls get engaged and the married women flirt with other men. I wonder how they manage in the winter?

Mrs. Worldly—The single girls break their engagements and the married women get divorced.—Truth.

An Absorbing Theme.

Mr. Bronson—Did you have an interesting subject presented for your consideration this morning at church?

Mrs. Bronson—Very. But I couldn't make out whether the lace trimmings were real or imitation.—Chicago News Record.

No Trouble About That.

Editor—Yes; I'd like to sell you my paper.

Stranger—I'd like to buy it, sir, but I don't know how to manage one.

Editor—That doesn't matter. Your subscribers will tell you all about that.—Life.

Getting Used to It.

Balbriggan—I say, old man, what are you putting those toothpicks down your back for?

Flanelly—Just getting in training to wear my winter flannels, old fellow!—Truth.

Up and Down.

She—The butler is becoming very impudent, dear.

He (gruffly)—Well, call him up.

She (anxiously)—And what will you do, dear, if I do?

He—Call him down.—Jury.

It Looked So.

"Did you know his business had run down?"

"I supposed so. I heard he was going to wind it up."—Nast's Weekly.

Quick Assent.

Tramp—I say, mister, can't yer gimme a chance to make something to-day?

Farmer—Yep. Make yourself scarce.—Texas Siftings.

Utility.

Willie—Ma, what's all those holes in the Swiss cheese for?

Ma—Oh, those are to let the smell out!—Truth.

Between the Acts.

"Well, what do you think of it?"

"Oh, it's about as broad as it is long."—Life.

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7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 43 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
1 39 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.
5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.
5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch.
5 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.
8 20 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
8 46 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 9 03 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 02 p. m.
Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c
Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 11 03, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.
For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 8 38, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16, 5 57, 7 08 p. m. Sunday—8 52, a. m. 3 30 p. m.
For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.
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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 15, 8 20, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 1 39*, 3 04, † 3 34*, 4 36*, 5 30, *7 27 p. m., † 17, night. Sundays—9 48, 11 18 a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., † 17, night.
For Trenton 5 15, 8 20, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 39, 3 04, 3 34, 4 36, 5 30, *7 27 p. m., † 17 night, Sunday—9 48, 11 18 a. m., 2 08, 5 14, 6 55 p. m., † 17 night.
For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 2 14, 4 12, 5 34* (8 30* Baltimore only) p. m. † night. Sundays—9 48 a. m., 2 14, 4 12, 5 14* Baltimore only) p. m., † 17, night.
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Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 15*, 5 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.
From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 9 20, 9 32, 11 5, a. m. 2 33*, 6 20, 8 15, p. m. Sunday—3 55, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 3 33*, 6 20, 8 15*, p. m.
From Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 00, 8 02, 10 15, 11 50, a. m., 2 08*, 4 40, 5 54, 6 49, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m., 6 00*, 8 13, 7 07, 9 00* p. m.
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THE UMBRIA IN PORT AT LAST

She Slowly Enters New York Harbor Under Her Own Steam.

NOT A SINGLE PASSENGER OR MEMBER OF CREW LOST OR INJURED.

Mended Her Broken Shaft Far Out at Sea and Reached Her Dock With Help from Nobody—Anxious Watchers Relieved—The Passengers Landed—Scenes at the Pier—Loved Ones Welcomed as from a Watery Grave—Capt. McKay Spoken of in Terms of Praise by Those Under His Care—Criticized by Some Who Had Friends or Relatives Aboard—The Glad Tidings Flashed to Various Parts of This Country and Under the Ocean to Europe—Predictions of the Agents as to the Vessel's Safety Verified.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Many hearts are lightened on this the last day of the year by the safe arrival in port of the long overdue Cunard steamship Umbria.

After seven days of dreadful anxiety, not only to those who had relatives or friends aboard, but also, although they concealed it well, to the agents of the line, the big liner was sighted off Fire Island at 12:30 this morning. The glad tidings were at once telegraphed to the offices of Cunard company in this city, where anxious watchers had impatiently awaited the news for several days past.

As soon as the news was received messages were telegraphed to different parts of the country, and cablegrams announcing the safe arrival were sent under the ocean to the offices in London, Glasgow, Liverpool and other points in the British Isles and on the Continent.

At 4 o'clock the Umbria arrived at Quarantine, and at once proceeded to her dock, where she tied up at 8:30.

Great crowds were at the pier, and as the last line was made fast and the gangplanks lowered to their positions a hearty cheer went up from a thousand throats.

Loved ones were embraced in a manner which denoted how widespread was the fear, despite the assurances of the agents of the line, that they had sunk from sight forever beneath the waves of old ocean.

Despite the fact that the conduct of Capt. McKay, of the Umbria, in refusing the offered aid of such ships as the Galileo and the Manhanset, which passed him at sea, had aroused much adverse criticism in this city, the passengers speak in the highest terms of the manner in which he attended to their wants in time of distress and the masterly way in which he handled the disabled ocean flyer.

Not one of the 400 passengers or any of the large crew was either lost or in any way injured, although the ship has struggled along for several days in a raging storm severely crippled by a broken shaft.

Thankfulness on the part of the passengers may account in some measure for the praise they bestow upon Capt. McKay, but the friends of those on board, who had been in an agony of suspense for many weary days, blame him for refusing the succor of the ships which had passed him at sea.

This persistent desire on the part of the able commander of the Umbria to avoid help from other steamships may be regarded by some as an indication of pluck on the part of the captain, but it cuts no figure at all in maratime circles, and brings down the censure of the relatives and friends of those aboard.

The Umbria's trouble was ascertained yesterday when the Manhansett, of the Atlantic Transport line, arrived at Quarantine. The Manhansett spoke her a few days ago, and learned that her shaft was broken, but, as in the case of the Galileo, the Cunard captain again refused assistance.

The Manhansett spoke the Umbria on Monday last, a day after the Galileo sighted her. The Umbria was then hove to in a fierce northeast gale in latitude 69.45, longitude 42.50, with two drag anchors over the bow, and another over the stern, which with her sails kept her head on to the seas.

Captain Duck, of the Manhansett, was on the bridge when his lookout reported a disabled steamship lying about seven miles to leeward. The weather was comparatively clear, although a heavy sea was on, and a light flurry of snow was falling.

Then it was 1:30 in the afternoon, and an hour later the Manhansett was almost within hailing distance and standing to the windward of the Umbria.

There was no demonstration on the part of those aboard the Umbria. Her signal corps simply run up the international code of signals, setting the flags indicating the word "shaft." Second Officer Frank Ellis, of the Manhansett, set the answering pennants announcing that her signals had been read and understood.

"She was right at home in the seas," said Captain Duck yesterday in referring to the Umbria, "and was pointed head on to the west by the northerly gale then blowing. We ran up close to her and asked if she wanted assistance. We got an emphatic 'No,' and went about our business."

The Story Denied.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—In regard to the story published in New York that Secretary Charles Foster, when in New York recently, submitted to bankers a proposition to issue fifty or a hundred millions of bonds, but was halted by a telegraphic message from the President, it is authoritatively stated that the report is groundless.

To Start a Big Athletic Club.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Jere Dunn and a number of New Jersey capitalists intend starting a big athletic club at the El Dorado, on the Jersey bluff, opposite this city. According to Dunn's statement all the big fights of the future will take place there.

Gaelic Athletic Games.

CHICAGO, Dec. 31. — The New York Gaelic Association has challenged the Illinois Gaelic Association to a series of championship athletic games next summer.

"Buffalo Kel" Dead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Michael Kelly, a gambler, known for fifty years as "Buffalo Kel," is dead in Bellevue Hospital of paralysis.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

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NEGROES MUST LEAVE THE TOWN.

Great Excitement at Ensley, S. C.—Race War Imminent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—A special from Columbia, S. C., says:

Excitement runs high in Ensley, Pickens county, this State. Last Wednesday a negro of the town wrote an insulting note to a young lady. She informed her brother who gave the negro a severe flogging.

The negro was committed to jail and a number of whites prepared to meet him and resort to harsher measures. On hearing this most of the negroes of the town armed themselves, went to the jail and released the negro, who immediately fled.

Yesterday the whites held a mass-meeting and appointed a committeed to notify all the negroes who went to the jail that they must leave the town within twenty-four hours or take the consequences.

Both sides are excited and there is some doubt about the negroes complying, as they are led by a Baptist preacher. The town is guarded by patrols.

AFTER THIRTY-SIX YEARS.

Dr. Rhea Discovers His Wife's Whereabouts By Chance.

LAPORTE, Ind., Dec. 31.—After a separation of thirty-six years Dr. Robert Rhea and wife have just been united here. In 1856 Dr. Rhea went to New Orleans on business that finally took him to the West Indies. In the meantime Mrs. Rhea heard that her husband was dead and removed to this city. Rhea lost track of his wife and only returned to this State a few years ago, settling near Anderson.

Yesterday while talking to a drummer at that place he learned that his wife was alive here, and hastened to meet her.

EVERY PENNY PAID.

Stephen V. White Now Free of All Indebtedness—$1,000,000 in 11 Months.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—S. V. White has mailed to his creditors the checks which pay off the last sums of his indebtedness, principal with interest at 6 per cent., and now owes not a dollar to any man.

He was re-admitted to membership in the Stock Exchange on February 5, 1892, with what is known as his "debts of honor," outstanding, aggregating $1,000,000 in round figures, and every penny is now paid in less than eleven months.

SIGNED HIS WILL WITH HIS BLOOD.

Farmer Bathrick Dies of the Wounds Inflicted by His Son.

NOVI, Mich., Dec. 31.—Sumner Bathrick, the farmer who was shot by his son in the course of a quarrel, is dead after terrible suffering.

Before dying he made his will and signed it with his own blood.

Gay, his son, was taken to the county jail at Pontiac, where he would be safe from the crowd that threatened to lynch him.

Mrs. Potter Settles With Manager Miner.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Through her attorney, ex-Judge Dittenhoffer, Mrs. James Brown Potter has sent a certified check for $1,500 to Mr. H. S. Miner, in part payment for money loaned her by him at the time of Mrs. Potter's debut. With the check was a note for $2,000, the balance due on the obligation of $3,000. The note was indorsed by John Stetson, under whose management Mrs. Potter is now playing.

B. & O. and O. & M. Railroads.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 31.—The contest made by the old directors of the Ohio & Mississippi Railroad Company against the contol of that company passing into the hands of the Baltimore & Ohio has been brought to a close by the voluntary resignation of four of the five remaining members of the old board. These vacancies will be filled by friends of the Baltimore & Ohio.

Big Damages Against a Railroad.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 31.—The jury in the damage suit of Rufus A. Clark against the Cotton Belt Road, has given a verdict in his favor for $20,000. The jury was out but a few minutes. This is the first of a series of suits growing out of the Crooked Bay disaster, the amounts claimed aggregating about half a million.

Oarsmen Want Cash, Not a Trophy.

TORONTO, Dec. 31.—Referring to Mr. R. K. Fox's offer of a trophy for the sculling championship of America, Hanlon says: "The chief oarsmen of the country will not listen to Mr. Fox until he comes out with hard coin and makes a straight cash offer of $5,000 or $10,000. Hanlon doen't want a trophy or a prize."

A Blow at Kansas Money Lenders.

TOPEKA, Kas., Dec. 31.—The Populists propose to inaugurate a movement when they come into power next year for the protection of both borrower and lender. The measures proposed will be a blow at money lenders who have been robbing farmers with usury rates of interest.

Trying to Get Iron Hall Money.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 31.—Roscoe Hawkins, an Attorney in the Iron Hall case, will go to New York to-morrow to induce the receiver appointed there to consent that all Iron Hall money be transferred to this city in order to save costly litigation and protect the members.

Rockefeller to Live at Watkins.

WATKINS, N. Y., Dec. 31.—It is reported that John D. Rockefeller, of the Standard Oil company, will build a costly house and hereafter make his residence at this place.

Vanderbilt Will Rebuild.

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 31.—Cornelius Vanderbilt, during his visit to town, announced that he would rebuild upon the site occupied by the ruins of his burned [illegible]

IN THE NEW YORK SENATORSHIP.

Ex-Mayor Grace on Mr. Cleveland's Opposition to Edward Murphy.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 31.—Ex-Mayor William R. Grace, of New York, reached here from Washington last night. It is understood that he came South as the bearer of a message from Mr. Cleveland to Senator Carlisle, urging him to accept the Treasury portfolio.

In reference to President-elect Cleveland's recent announcement that he is opposed to the selection of Edward Murphy, jr., as United States Senator from York, Mr. Grace said: "Mr. Cleveland has expressed to Mr. Murphy himself, to Richard Croker, to Lieut.-Gov. Sheehan, and to others, the same views in regard to the Senatorship which he gave in the public statement.

"He has been opposed to the election of Mr. Murphy ever since the candidacy of Mr. Murphy was announced.

"I have heard it stated that Mr. Cleveland, like many other New York Democrats, takes the ground that the nomination of Mr. Murphy, if made, would seem to be the work of a few men who appear to control the Legislature rather than the desire of the Democrats of the State.

"I have also heard that Mr. Cleveland is very anxious to have in the Senate some man from New York city, the great financial centre of the country, who would be able to add something to the influence it may be necessary to exert in order to put the currency of the country upon a sound basis."

FENTON UNDER ARREST.

Believed That His Shooting of Minnie Davis Was Not Accidental.

HIGHLAND CREEK, Ont., Dec. 31.—Patrick Fenton, who on Tuesday last, while singing a military song at the house of Mr. Davis, near here, discharged a rifle which he had in his hands, with the result that Minnie Davis was killed, and her brother seriously injured, has been placed under arrest pending the result of the coroner's inquest.

It is alleged the affair was not accidental as it at first appeared to be, and that Fenton shot the girl because she refused to marry him. The prisoner weeps bitterly and maintains that the shooting was purely accidental,

FUNERAL OF THE VICTIMS.

Long Island City's Dead Taken to Their Final Resting Place.

LONG ISLAND CITY, Dec. 31.—The five victims of the dynamite explosion at the New York & Long Island Railroad company's works, John Hopkins, Henry O'Brien, Sadie McLean, Mrs. Pietro Rocco and Nicolo Laodano, were taken to their last resting place yesterday afternoon.

Requiem masses were celebrated in St. Mary's Catholic church for the first three named, who were interred in Calvary cemetery.

The funerals of the others took place from Conway's morgue to Calvary cemetery.

All the injured are improving.

Left a Wife in New York.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 31.—A letter was received here last night from Hon. J. Schuyler Colfax of New York, stating that Thomas Henderson Boyd, editor of the Olympia Tribune, who was killed here Dec. 2 by his mistress, Ursula Unfag, left a wife in New York city. She now intends to prove her marriage to Boyd and claim a share of the estate, which is valued at $30,000.

Heavy Sentence for Assault.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31. — Judge Moore of the Brooklyn Court of Sessions sentenced Frank Gatzly, whom the jury let off with a verdict of assault in the second degree, to five years in State prison and a fine of $1,000 and to serve out this fine by 1,000 days' imprisonment, but afterwards reduced the fine to $730, or 730 days.

McLuckie Released on Bail.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 31.—Burgess John McLuckie of Homestead, who has been confined in jail here since he surrendered himself some time ago to answer charges of riot and murder, was released last night on $2,000 bail. The bond was furnished by a number of McLuckie's Homestead friends.

Don't Want the Church Remodeled.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 31.—Rev. Dr. Spencer, rector of St. Margaret's Protestant Episcopal parish, Annapolis, has been requested to resign by the vestrymen, but the larger part of the congregation want him to stay. The pastor don't want the church remodeled; the vestrymen do.

Domestic Trouble Drove Him to Suicide.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Frank Schwarz, Washington agent of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association of St. Louis, committed suicide Thursday night at Trinidad, a suburb of Washington, by shooting himself through the heart on account of domestic unhappiness.

Ohio Health Board Report.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 31. — The State Board of Health in its annual report to Governor McKinley, says if immigration is not restricted it is doubtful whether the present quarantine will be able to protect us against an invasion of cholera in 1893.

Wall Paper Trust.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31.—The big trust formed by the prominent wall paper manufacturers of the United States, known as the National Wall Paper Company, contemplates an increase of $18,000,000 in its capital stock, which will make the whole amount $38,000,000.

Killed by Christmas Candy.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 31.—Simon Krohe's family ate a lot of Christmas candy last night and soon all were rolling in agony. The father and three of the children were the worse off, and a two-year-old boy died. Arsenical poisoning was the cause.

BRIGGS WINS HIS CASE

Not One of the Charges Against Him Sustained.

THE PROFESSOR'S FRIENDS HAPPY.

His Majorities Range from Six to Twenty-One—His Contention That Errors Have Crept Into the Bible and that Moses Did Not Write the Pentateuch Sustained—The Case to Go to the General Assembly.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The session of the New York Presbytery, which is sitting as a court on the trial of Prof. Briggs, was begun promptly at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The calling of the roll was proceeded with. There were forty more names to be called and each member was allowed three minutes in which to express his views.

The voting on the first charge was begun at 4 o'clock and the vote on the sixth charge was completed and the Presbytery adjourned shortly before 6 o'clock.

The result of the several ballots was then announced to the reporters. The result was a great surprise, for on all of the six counts the vote was adverse to sustaining the charges.

On the first charge, accusing Prof. Briggs with teaching that the reason is a source of Divine authority, the vote was as follows: To sustain the charge, 60; against sustaining the charge, 68.

On the second charge, which accuses Prof. Briggs with teaching that the Church is a source of divine authority, there were 55 votes cast in favor of sustaining the charge and 71 against.

The closest vote was on the third charge, that Prof. Briggs taught that the Scriptures contained errors of history and fact. On this charge the vote was as follows: To sustain the charges, 61; against 68.

After this vote had been taken two or three of the anti-Briggs men left the court and others refrained from voting on the last three charges.

On the fourth charge, accusing Prof. Briggs with teaching that Moses was not the author of the Pentateuch, the result was: to sustain the charges, 53; against, 72.

The vote on the fifth charge, accusing Prof. Briggs with teaching that Isaiah did not write many of the chapters in the book bearing his name, was: in favor of sustaining the charge, 49; against, 70.

The vote on the sixth charge, accusing Prof. Briggs of teaching that sanctification is progressive after death, was as follows: to sustain the charge, 57; against, 69.

The case will be appealed to the General Assembly which will meet in Washington early in the spring. The Assembly will appoint a commission consisting of 14 unprejudiced members to act on the appeal.

The friends of Dr. Briggs were greatly pleased with the result. They had calculated on a majority ranging from four to six.

LEFT HIM $10 000.

An Old Man Rewards a Farmer Who Bought Him a Meal.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 31.—When farmer Crissenger of Greenburg visited Pittsburg three months ago an old man introduced himself as David Dallison, of Wheeling, W. Va., and said that he had lost his pocketbook containing a sum of money and a railroad ticket to Wheeling.

The farmer bought a meal and a ticket for Dallison. Dallison took Crissinger's address and promised to return the money.

The young farmer grew tired waiting for his money and finally concluded that he had been swindled.

He has just received a letter from a Wheeling attorney saying that Dallison was dead and had left Crissinger $10,000.

FOUR MEN KILLED.

Two White and Two Colored Laborers Blown Up With Dynamite.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31.—A special from Stroudsburg, Pa., says:

While men employed on the Wilkesbarre & Eastern railroad, near Tannersville, were thawing dynamite for blasting purposes, four of them, two white and two colored, were instantly killed. One of the number was a gang boss.

Murdered By His Son.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 31.—Samuel Nash, a prosperous farmer near West Canton, in Buckingham county, has been murdered by his son, Silas, who has confessed. He said his father refused to divide some land with him. The dead body was hauled five miles, and as the son thought, securely hid in the woods.

Lease of the Commercial Telegraph Co.

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—A telegram received here from C. E. Arnold, President of the Commercial Union Telegraph Company says: "The lease of the Commercial Union Telegraph Company to the Postal Telegraph has been completed. The lease is for ninety-nine years from January 1, 1893."

For Interest on U. S. Bonds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—For interest due January 1, 1893, on registered U. S. 4 per cent. consols of 1907, and 6 per cent. bonds issued in aid of Pacific Railway companies, United States Treasurer Nebeker mailed this morning 29,730 checks aggregating $7,584,726.86.

Mary Martin Gets Two Years.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 31.—Mary Martin, the young woman reporter, convicted of passing a worthless check for $20 on a local grocer, has been sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Died in a Western Poor House.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Dec. 31.—E. Lewis, who, during the war, was Adjutant-General of New York, and was for a long time in the politics of the State, has just died in the Clinton county poor-house.

Empire Knights of Relief.

LYONS, N. Y., Dec. 31.—The Great Council of the State of New York, Empire Knights of Relief, held their annual council here yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year.

Purchased a Steamboat Line.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Dec. 31.—S. D. Coykendall has purchased the entire interest of the estate of Thomas Cornell in the Cornell Steamboat company.

Killed By a Freight Train.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 31.—Mrs. Jessett, 37 years old, was killed by a freight train at Herkimer last evening.

One rounded teaspoonful of Cleveland's Baking Powder does more and better work than a heaping teaspoonful of any other. A large saving on a year's bakings.

The best known writers on domestic science, as Marion Harland, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. Parker and Emily Hayes, and teachers of cookery, as Mrs. Rorer, Mrs. Lincoln and Mrs. Dearborn, use and recommend Cleveland's Baking Powder.

$26,000 TO PAY $775,000.

Petition for an Injunction Against the Order of the Solid Rock.

BOSTON, Dec. 31. — In the Supreme Court a petition was presented from several certificate holders of the Order of the Solid Rock, asking for an injunction against the Order.

The complaints allege that the liabilities of the order are $775,000 and the assets but about $26,000.

It is also claimed that the expenses of the order are disproportionate, and it is alleged that it cost $36,000 to collect $36,000.

An order of notice was issued.

NO TRUTH IN THE REPORT.

Gov. Reyes Says Gen. Garcia's Troops Were Not Defeated by Bandits.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 31.—Governor Reyes of the State of Nuevo Leon has telegraphed the Government from Monterey *saying that there is no truth in the report* that Gen. Garcia's troops have been defeated by bandits.

It is true, he says, that some bandits crossed the border and passed in sight of Col. Ceron's troops, but they immediately recrossed, having remained on Mexican territory only a quarter of an hour.

Poor Farm Buildings Burned.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The Poor Farm buildings of Piscataway township, Middlesex county, N. J., situated near Stelton, were burned to the ground during the night with all the contents, including five horses and a herd of cattle. The paupers and steward's family escaped in their night clothes.

Cold Weather in Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 31.—The weather here for the past four days has been the coldest for years. The thermometer has stood in the neighborhood of 15 degrees above zero. Bob Picket, aged 82, while going to his home at North Birmingham, was frozen to death within sight of his house.

Killed Five Wives and a Brother.

SYDNEY, Ia., Dec. 31.—Mayhor, who is jail here charged with being a five-times murderer, in having in some mysterious manner caused the death of five women whom he married in different parts of the country, is now believed to be guilty of killing his own brother.

Excited Over British Rule.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—The schooner Maid of Orleans has arrived here from Butariteri, Gilbert Islands, with news that the natives are in a state of unusual excitement on account of the establishment of British rule.

Erie Railroad Earnings.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The report of the New York, Lake Erie & Western Railroad Company, October to November, inclusive, show gross earnings of $5,941,785.90, and net earnings of $1,419,563.32.

On the Trail of Miss Ayres' Murderers.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 31.—Railroad detectives are on the trail of the persons who are believed to have murdered Miss E. O. Ayres, the station agent at Brighton Junction Wednesday night.

Treasurer and Funds Disappear.

HUNTSVILLE, Ont., Dec. 31.—R. W. Godolphin, treasurer of this village for a number of years past, has disappeared, together with $6,000 belonging to the village.

Judge Maynard's Commission Signed.

ALBANY, Dec. 31.—Governor Flower has signed the commission of Hon. Isaac H. Maynard as Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals from Jan. 1 next.

More Typhus in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Two new cases of typhus fever were discovered this morning. They were quarantined.

Blaine Continues to Improve.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Mr. Blaine passed a restful night and the improvement in his condition continues.

Killed By Electric Car.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 31.—Franklin B. Rivenburg, the 8-year-old son of William Rivenburg of this city, was run over and instantly killed by an electric car last evening.

Denounce the Explosion.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—The Irish National League of Great Britain has issued a statement strongly denouncing the explosion in the police detective office at Dublin.

Drowned While Skating.

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 30.—Sylvester and James Ferindel, aged respectively 15 and 19 years, were drowned at Bridgewater while skating.

Well-Known Ball Player Dead.

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 31.—John White, probably the best known baseball player in the Maritime Provinces, is dead, aged 21 years.

Mrs. Langtry Improving.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—The latest report about the condition of Mrs. Langtry is that she is improving.

THE DAILY PRESS.

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J. A. DEMAREST, - - Managing Editor.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Praise and song service will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms to-night.

—The Plainfield drug stores will be closed on Monday afternoon from 1 to 6.

—Trial in the Muldowney liquor case was adjourned this morning for one week.

—Meetings will be held in the First Church of Christ every evening next week at 7:45.

—Easter lodge, K. of H., will hold a regular meeting in its rooms next Monday evening.

—THE PRESS's cat has strayed away. A liberal reward will be paid for her return to this office.

—Carty & Stryker are offering an elegant butter for thirty-four cents, said to be the best in the city.

—A free entertainment will be given to all the men of the city at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Monday, between the hours of 3 and 10 p. m.

—Garret C. Schenck had a hand badly hurt at the North Plainfield electric light station last week. He will not be able to work in one or two weeks.

—Candy, nuts, oranges, figs, dates, etc., can be purchased at New York prices at the store of the United Tea and Coffee Growers' association.

—During the Week of Prayer, the Rev. J. W. Richardson will preach on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings in the Park avenue church.

—George Rittenhouse was fined $1.50 this morning by judge Codington for calling bad names at George H. Rockafellow, printer of West Fifth street.

—J. R. Joy will lead the Epworth League prayer meeting at the M. E. church to-morrow. The topic will be "The Outlook for the New Year."

—There will be a public drill at the rink, of the Leal cadets next Friday afternoon at 4. Everybody is invited. The rink will be properly heated.

—In turning over a new leaf, to-morrow, write down the good resolution that you will trade henceforth with the Sherman Outfitting company, whose big ad appears in to-day's PRESS.

—An old-year meditation on the 90th Psalm will be conducted by the Rev. C. L. Goodrich in the Congregational church this evening at 8. It will be the service preparatory to the Communion.

—The stereopticon entertainment of A. D. Fisk, of New York city, at the Christmas festival of the Sunday-school of Trinity Reformed church last evening was greatly enjoyed by all. The church was crowded to the doors.

—Reporter Thomas is back on the *Courier* again, temporarily, generously helping the unappreciative editor out of a hole, his "chief of staff" being considerably indisposed by the hard cider taken in exchange for subscriptions and ads.

—The men of Plainfield should all hear the harp and saxaphone at the Y. M. C. A. rooms during the afternoon and evening of Jan. 2. Those in attendance last year were delighted with the music produced by this rare combination. Admission is free.

—Councilman Sebring denies the statement of the *Courier* that he agreed to haul the boiler to Music Hall Christmas night, and to furnish the coal to run it. Therefore he did not collect money under false pretenses nor break any contract by using the Music Hall coal.

—The regular weekly meeting of the Reform club was held Thursday evening and was quite largely attended. Remarks were make by A. Vanderbeck, H. N. Spencer, Jacob Voehl, borough watchdog Goodwin, and others. The club will hereafter meet every Thursday evening.

—Charles McWilliams, a boy about 15 years of age, was accidentally shot in the groin, last night, while skating on the canal near Raritan. The ball from a 22-calibre pistol lodged in the left side of the boy's body. He was conveyed to his home and medical attendance summoned. Efforts to find the bullet proved unsuccessful up to noon to-day. The boy does not know who shot him. The wound is not dangerous.

—For the first time in the history of Music Hall, the orchestra was so particularly good last evening that it called forth public commendation from the stage. Martin Hayden, the leading actor of "Held in Slavery", took occasion to say that never in his experience had he heard so good an orchestra outside of the metropolitan cities. This change in the Plainfield orchestra is caused by the retirement of Prof. Guttman.

A New Building and Loan Branch.

A Plainfield branch of the New Jersey Building Loan and Investment company was organized in this city, last evening, with 35 shareholders on the list. The meeting was held in the City National bank building.

John D. Runyon acted as temporary chairman and John Ulrich as temporary secretary. A board of directors was appointed by the chair as follows: J. D. Runyon, J. P. Homan, F. S. Runyon, F. H. Martin, Elston M. French, J. D. Spicer, Mulford Estil, T. S. Davis, J. B. Mills, C. M. Ulrich, L. B. Woolston and A. L. Force.

The organization has already disposed of over 300 shares in this city, and it promises to be a very flourishing one. The meeting adjourned until next Wednesday evening when the permanent officers will be elected.

Desires to Bear Testimony.

Henry Thorne, traveling secretary of the Y. M. C. A., writes from Exeter Hall, Strand, London, February 2, 1888:

"I desire to bear my testimony to the value of ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS. I have used them for pains in the back and side arising from rheumatism and other causes never without deriving benefit from their application. They are easily applied and very comforting. Those engaged as I am in public work which involves exposure to sudden changes of temperature, will do well to keep a supply of ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS in their portmanteaus."

A NEW CITY CLERK.

That's the Probable Outcome of Last Night's Caucus.

The members of the new city council met in caucus last night to agree on officials for the coming year.

It is understood that president Ginna will be re-elected, but that there will be a change in the city clerkship.

Much dissatisfaction is expressed against the work of the present city clerk. It is alleged that he has continually exceeded his authority and has perverted his office into an adjunct of his printing business. For instance, the various city officials complain that he has stocked them up, to his own considerable personal profit from the consequent printing bills, with great volumes of printed stationery sufficient to last them a very long time. This, it is alleged, has been done without order from the council. Before the present city clerk's time it was always customary to obtain a roll-call vote of the council on all questions of expenditure of money, and that is still a written law on the book of rules. But the present city clerk, it would seem, has not taken the trouble to follow those rules. Then in the case of large expenditures of the people's money like the printing of the city election tickets, instead of getting bids from other offices and the lowest price possible, the city clerk had the work done in his own place, charged what he pleased and the people's pockets will suffer accordingly.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Sadie and Mattie Barrett, of South avenue, are viewing Niagara Falls in its icy splendor.

Michael Spillane of Newark was in town yesterday for the first time in three years, on a visit to his father.

Mrs. Andrew McCardell of West Front street has returned from a pleasant visit among friends in Worcester.

Pastor Hand will administer the rite of baptism in the chapel of the First Church of Christ to-morrow evening.

Councilman Gallup, whose term now expires, is the last of the famous "Big Six". He has not attended a meeting in months.

Mrs. E. W. Dower is very ill at the home of Miss Stoll, 11 Elm place, where she has been living for some time. She is not expected to live.

Prof. Rush Rhees, formerly of this city and now of the Newton Theological seminary, will preach in the First Baptist church to-morrow morning.

The children and grandchildren of S. C. Ryder will hold a family reunion New Year's day at the home of Ed. Ryder, a son of S. C., 24 Central avenue.

The firm of Spicer & Hubbard gave another exhibition of their generosity to their workmen, last night, by presenting to each one a New Year's gift of a $2 50 gold piece.

J. Linn Edsall entertained the Arlington Tennis club last night at his home on Sandford avenue. The evening was enjoyably spent in dancing. Refreshments were abundant and choice.

Peter Keller, whose sudden death in New York was announced in these columns yesterday, was a member of Plainfield lodge, I. O. O. F., which will have charge of the funeral to-morrow.

Miss Marion Henderson, daughter of Joseph J. Henderson of Rockview avenue, gave a very pleasant party to her young friends, Thursday evening. Good music, smiling faces and tripping toes were features of the occasion.

A. Venino announces that an art recital will be given Feb. 2, at the Casino, by himself and Miss Maude Agnes Bowers. Mr. Venino promises selections from Haydn, Schumann, Chopin, Paderewski and Schutt; and Miss Bowers will appear in Greek costume.

The Christmas festival of the Unitarian Sunday-school will take place this evening from 5 to 8. The patron saint will appear in a juvenile play that has been prepared for the occasion by one of the women of the society who has a special genius in that line.

Alfred Holmes, who was one of a quartette that went to Chicago last summer especially to sing at the evangelistic services conducted by mayor D. W. Whittle, will sing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 next Sunday afternoon. There will also be quartette singing.

The Misses Emma and Gertrude Haviland, daughters of A. W. Haviland of Rockview avenue, gave a very pleasant afternoon tea to their young women friends yesterday. Miss Ellie Baird of Orange and Miss Mary Thompson assisted in receiving guests in the parlor, and Mrs. Van Vliet, Miss Martha Tracy, Miss May Shreve, Miss Mary Bushnell and Miss Eleanor Underwood assisted in the dining room.

Dr. Lewis's Bound Brook Pulpit.

The Bound Brook *Chronicle* says: "The Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, of Plainfield, preached an excellent Christmas sermon at the Congregational church, Sunday morning, and the Sunday-school had a celebration Sunday night, when addresses were made by Revs. J. B. Cleaver and T. E. Davis. The Rev. Dr. Lewis will continue to supply the Congregational pulpit every Sunday morning for the present."

Same Old Sullivan.

Johannes Lawrence Sullivani seems to be edging toward the prize-ring again, according to newspaper reports, and from the reverberations of his mouth we should say he had been very deeply "in his cups". Those, however, are nothing like the beautiful shaving cups at Collier's. To make a new man of husband, father or brother, give him a New Year start with one of these.

—The Alfred Dolge all-wool felt slippers, such as Doane & Edsall sell, are the kind of house foot-wear for this weather.

Thousands sink into an early grave for want of a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup This great remedy would have saved them.

SANTA CLAUS'S VISIT.

He Distributes Gifts Among Christ Church Children—The Superintendent Remembered.

The Christmas entertainment held last evening in the First Church of Christ was a grand success. The house was nicely decorated with evergreens, and a large tree loaded with presents greeted the children. A very pleasing cantata by Fillmore was creditably rendered by the school. The tableau "Honest Friend" was well given and met with much applause. The children in their songs and recitations showed how much care had been exercised in their training. At the close of the exercises St. Nicholas put in his appearance, much to the delight of all present, and especially of the children. He had provided a gift for every member of the school, besides a box of candy, and oranges and bananas. Supt. Hand was presented with a handsome Bible by his class. Tokens of their love and esteem for him were presented by many of the scholars. Everyone seemed filled with delight as their names were called out by Santa, and as he took his departure he was invited by the superintendent to call again next year.

THE SCHORB JURY DISAGREE.

The Court Criticized for Withholding Food and Heat—The Principle Involved.

The Schorb liquor case was tried before judge Codington and a jury yesterday. The jury went out in the afternoon, and deliberated till 10 o'clock. They could n't agree whether liquor had been sold illegally or not, and were discharged. The jury room was very cold, and juror P. T. B. Nevius was made ill.

The jurors at one time stood ten for conviction and two for acquittal. The two were manager Runyon of the telephone company and William Kirk. When discharged the two had won two others to their side.

Some of the jurors complain bitterly against the court for refusing to let them have anything to eat, and are incensed because the heat was cut off from their room. They claim this was done to hurry them up in reaching a verdict.

The principle involved in the case is whether or not a restaurant keeper can receive an order for drink at a customer's meal and supply it by buying the stuff for the patron at a neighboring bar. The city evidently thinks the restaurant keeper should pay a license as well as the saloon keeper—thus making double license for one sale.

WANTS $5,000 FOR HIS GOOD NAME.

A Clerk Sues His Former Employers for Defamation of Character.

James E. Totten has retained Jackson & Codington as his counsel to bring suit for $5,000 for defamation of character, against Fulper & Bingham of the United Tea and Coffee Growers' association. The suit is the result of the charges of dishonesty made by the firm against Totten. The clerk says he will not only disprove their charges but threatens to disclose alleged discreditable business dealings of his accusers.

Holy Cross Christmas Music.

By the request of the many friends of the choristers at the church of the Holy Cross, who, on account of the bad weather last Sunday afternoon, were unable to attend the service, a part of the Christmas music will be repeated. This service will take the place of the regular musical service which generally is given on the second Sunday in the month.

ORDER OF MUSIC.
4:30 o'clock.

Processional 25
Gloria, A.....Anon
Magnificat, F.....Morley
Nunc Dimittis, D.....Field
Anthem—"Gloria Excelsis".....Gounod
(From "Messe Solennelle")
Hymn 22
Anthem—"Sing O Heavens".....Tours
Hymn 346
Retrocessional 33

Plainfielders in the Tract Society.

At the recent session of the executive board of the American Sabbath Tract society, held in the Seventh-day church, Charles Potter presided. A committee, consisting of George H Babcock, L. E. Livermore and A. H. Lewis, was appointed to take into consideration the filling of the editor's chair of the *Sabbath Recorder* to be made vacant Feb. 1, 1893, and also to consider and make recommendations concerning the re-organization, if necessary, of all their publishing interests.

By vote J. D. Spicer was recommended as local agent for the *Recorder* for Plainfield, H. M. Maxson, recommended at last meeting, being unable to serve.

Young Men Lower Than Crescents.

The team record in the *Journal* Bowling league is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.	Average Pins.
E. F. C.	4	0	1000	1531
Y. M. C. L. A.	3	0	1000	1499
Arthur Kull	3	1	750	1512
U. C. B.	2	2	500	1509
Alcyone	2	2	500	1415
Pioneer	1	2	333	1438
Crescent	1	4	200	1471
C. Y. M. L.	1	4	200	1375
Roselle	0	2	000	1382

Average pins per team..... 1460.6
Average strikes per team..... 19.6
Average spares per team..... 35.8

The public is cautioned against fraudulent imitations and counterfeits of Dr. Pierce's medicines, which are sold at less than regular prices by dealers not authorized to sell the *genuine* medicines.

To prevent deception and fraud, these *genuine* medicines are sold only through druggists, authorized as agents, and always at these long-established prices:

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery (the remedy for all diseases arising from a torpid liver or impure blood), $1.00 per bottle. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription (the remedy for woman's chronic weaknesses and derangements), $1.00 per bottle. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets (the original and best Liver Pills), 25 cents per vial. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, 50 cents per bottle.

The *genuine* medicines can be sold only at these prices. But the important point is this: the genuine medicines cost you *nothing*, unless they help you. They're *guaranteed* in every case to benefit or cure, or the money is returned.

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"	9.75	"	7.50
"	7.75	"	6.15
"	7.00	"	5.50
"	6.00	"	5.00
"	5.00	"	4.50

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Lodge and Society Meetings.

Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.
Henry H. Lowrie, W. M.
J. A. Demarest, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 36, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street. O. H. Rugg, W. M.
D. R. Weaver, Secretary.

U. B. of C. and J. of A.—Local Union No. 153, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, at 8 p.m. Louis R. Blackford, Pres.
Wm. H. Lunger, R. Sec'y 8 22 y

American Legion of Honor Ivanhoe Council, No. 1,074. Regular meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
A. L. Titsworth, 63 Madison ave., Commander.
Geo. E. Stillman, Secretary.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.
F. S. Green Regent.
S. A. Thorne, Secretary.

Custer Lodge, No. 8,543, Knights of Honor—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Monday evenings of each month, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p. m.
Chas. VanWinkle, Dictator.
S. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Meets in Sons of Temperance Hall, corner Front st. and Park ave., first and third Thursdays each month
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A FATHER'S SERIOUS COMPLAINT.

How the Skating and Bicycle Syndicate Act About Awarding Prizes Won.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I deem it but right and fair that the public should be informed how the syndicate at the rink are acting in relation to the "elegant" and "magnificent" prizes they offer. Sometime ago a one-mile race for young men was arranged by the manager to be skated on four different evenings, and on the night of Dec. 26 the race was to be skated to a finish. There were six competitors entered in all, and my son Charles O. Pearson was among the number. He was told by the manager that the prize would be $9 in money or a nickel-plated new pair of ball-bearing extension roller skates said to be of the value of $10, which were placed on exhibition, and the facts of the race were duly advertised. The denial is made that this was the prize. My son entered the contest with a will, and went into training and made a number of sacrifices. On the night of the final race a large number of his friends attended the rink, to see the result, which of course increased the receipts at the box office. The result was that he was successful, and when he appeared to the manager for the prize skates which had been on exhibition up to that time it was "Presto change", and the skates were not to be seen, and he was told that they were not in the building but were in New York, and that he must apply on Thursday night, Dec. 29, for the same, which he did and demanded the skates and was informed that they were still in New York and he would have to come again and he the manager would get them when he "got good and ready". He then demanded the $9 in money offered and was told "No, you are too willing", and the same was refused. He then demanded that some memorandum in writing be given him stating that he had won the prize. This also was refused, and he was ordered from the building in a rough and in an insolent manner. He was offered, however, an old pair of worn-out skates of little value which of course was refused. Now I am of the opinion that the public will agree with me that he has not been treated fairly, and it does look as if the syndicate was not acting in good faith and it does seem as if they are trying to take refuge behind the name "Syndicate" in which case as the lawyers say "There is no body to kick nor no soul to lose". I am informed that this is the second case where a prize has been won which has failed to materalize, the other being that of a gold watch offered. WM. W. PEARSON.

A New Band at the Rink.

Thursday night was the first Thursday roller skating party of the season, and the large crowd present thoroughly enjoyed themselves, their pleasure being undoubtedly increased by the presence of a body of musical artists in the organization of the New Market band, whose rendering of new and catchy music, was a glad relief to the noisy efforts that have heretofore been heard at the rink. The report is that the "Syndicate" were so well pleased that the New Market band has been engaged for the season.

To-night, New Year's Eve, will be a gala occasion, an after the regular skating session there will be dancing from 10 to 11.50. The New Market band will furnish music for both skating and dancing. The feature of this band is the fine appearance it makes in full uniform dress.

This afternoon there will be a juvenile session.

A Carpenter Fractured a Leg.

Wm. Holcomb, carpenter, while working in a new house which contractor Moffett is building at Stirling, met with a serious accident. He had just placed a step-ladder in position to do some work in which he was engaged. He ascended it, when it suddenly toppled over, throwing him down the stair-way a distance of 30 feet. Wm. Simons, a mason, went to his help, together with some fellow-workmen. It was discovered that Mr. Holcomb had broken a leg. He was taken home, and Dr. Jones of Basking Ridge was summoned. He set the broken bones and made the patient as comfortable as possible. He said it was very fortunate he did not get killed in the fall. As it is, he will be confined to his home for some time.

The Clemenceau Case in Plainfield.

At Music Hall next Wednesday will be seen that famous play "The Clemenceau Case" and the French novelty dancers. The following extract from the Philadelphia *News* speaks for itself:

The audience at the Palace Theatre saw a play last night that evidently pleased them, if hearty applause a great deal of the evening can be taken to mean approval. The attraction was William Fiecon's version of "The Clemenceau Case", and an excellent version it is. Treated in the way it was last night by the actors and actresses it became even more interesting than ever. Every one taking part in the presentation seemed to be actuated by a feeling that the best acting must be done, and it was done. Emma Bell as "Iza" in the famous studio scene is especially charming. In connection with the play the French novelty dancers gave an exhibition of their terpsichorean skill in graceful pirouetting.

South Plainfield's New Industry.

Articles of incorporation of the American Lactose company, which proposes to manufacture sugar of milk and refine crude sugar at South Plainfield, Jersey City, and several places in the State of New York, were filed with the Middlesex county clerk Thursday. The corporators are Wm. E. Smith, of South Plainfield, John R. Smith, of Parkville, Kings county, N. Y., and Jeremiah North, of Brooklyn. Wm. F. Smith of South Plainfield is the principal stockholder, having 1,000 shares.

Injured By Her Pony.

A little daughter of C. W. Opdyke of 184 Broadway was injured by her pony Thursday. She was driving about the yard in her light carriage, when the pony became uncontrollable. It ran several times around the circle and then bolted for the barn. The carriage crashed into a tree and threw out the child. For a while she was insensible.

TRIED IT ONCE TOO OFTEN.

Plainfield Lawyers Trip Up a Metuchen Farmer in His Fraudulent Scheming.

Some three months ago James Cooper of Metuchen came to this city and purchased a horse of Pat Lynch, hackman, for $100, giving his note for said amount, payable in three months from its date. At the time of the purchase Cooper represented to Mr. Lynch that he, Cooper, owned the farm where he is living and other real estate in North Plainfield. When the note came due it was not paid, and the matter was put in Messrs. Jackson & Codington's hands. On investigation it was found that Mr. Cooper had made false representations and owned no real estate whatever in his own name. Complaint was made, and a warrant issued by justice Storms of New Market. An officer from New Brunswick arrested Cooper and brought him before the justice, and on trial the complaint was sustained. Mr. Cooper then either had to go to jail or pay the claims. He preferred the latter, and his friends helped him out.

It is said that Cooper had tried and succeeed in the same scheme several times before, this being the first time he had been held for the fraud.

FOR SWEET CHARITY'S SAKE.

Entertaining Red, White and Blue Tea, and What They Did There.

The red, white and blue tea, under the management of the "Children of Mary", held at the Young Men's lyceum, corner of Liberty and Sixth streets, for charitable objects, was a decided success. A pleasing and varied programme was given each evening. The feature of Tuesday (the first night) was a "Sailor Hornpipe", danced by little Elyda, daughter of Mrs. Richard Boyce, and ably accompanied on the piano by her brother, George Hughes. On Wednesday evening a chorus of children from St. Mary's school gave the well-known recitation "Barbara Fritchie" in a marvelously perfect manner, the sixteen girls speaking as with one voice and gesture. Little Clara Lanning gave a "Spanish dance", "Santalgo" very prettily, and was much applauded.

The Thursday evening programme was perhaps the most interesting of the series. The entertainment opened with the chorus "Happy and Light" by twenty of the children of St. Mary's school, coached and accompanied by Mr. Lee, organist of the church. A recitation, "Paul Revere's Ride", was given by Miss Julia Day, who delighted her audience and proved herself a finished elocutionist.

George Davis, the instructor in dancing, of Newark, sang the character song "Velvet and Rags", and in reply to an encore gave "Molly and I and the Baby". Following this came the Columbia scarf dance, by sixteen children dressed in white and carrying scarfs of the national colors, which they used in many graceful and pretty evolutions. During the dance some pretty Spanish solo work, by little Elyda Boyce, dressed in Spanish costume, was given. The dance was arranged and taught by Mr. Davis, and was received with a storm of applause. The clever little child elocutionist and dancer, Lottie Noe, who is also a pupil of Mr. Davis, recited the "Gambler's Wife" and "How Jimmy Minded the Baby" and also danced a "Highland Fling" and "Irish Jig". Miss J. Shaffer sang the vocal solo "Waiting", receiving a bouquet of carnations. This concluded the first part of the programme, after which the floor was cleared for dancing as on previous evenings. The affair was a great success, and a good sum was realized.

A Dance Reception.

A reception was given to the members of George Davis's dancing academy, last evening, at Hulett's hall, West Front street. Some very fine society dancing was executed by the members present. The evening was spent in dancing and singing. The Highland fling, which was danced by the smallest member present, received great applause, and she then consented to give the audience a real Irish jig. This also received good hearty applause.

Mr. Davis at present has about thirty-four scholars. All young people who would like to learn the art of dancing can do so by calling at his academy 73 West Front street, where they will receive the best of attention.

A Plainfield Skater Injured.

(Dunellen Weekly Call.)

While skating on the New Market Lake, Monday afternoon, Judson Giles, of Plainfield, fell and another skater ran into him, striking Giles just over the eye with his skate, causing a deep gash. Dr. Nelson happened to be near the spot, and immediately took Giles in charge. The accident was unavoidable and might have terminated very seriously as the gash was very near the temple at the right side of the head. Dr. Nelson soon had his patient ready for another skate.

Found $50 in an Oyster Shell.

Cafe-expert Freddie Jones of Hotel Grenada bought some oysters at Oscar Terry's sea-food market yesterday for Miller Bros., proprietors of the hotel. Wallace V. opened the bivalves, and was so fortunate as to find two fine pearls inclosed. The gems are perfect, and match so well that Mrs. Miller will have them set in a ring. They are valued at $50.

Warns the Public Against His Wife.

Philip Radin to-day advertises that he will not be responsible for any of the debts of his wife Therese, she having left his bed and board. His wife is a member of the Bedloe family, owners of Liberty island. She was heir to considerable property, and has independent means.

Read and Reflect.

The great mass of mankind lose their health through inattention to catarrh of the head and throat. This insidious disease was considered incurable until the discovery of the American Catarrh Cure. For sale by L. W. Randolph, 21 West Front street. Price $1.00.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Brief notices will be inserted under this head free of expense, but must be delivered at this office not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning to insure publication.

[FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS.]

Meetings will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms to-morrow at 9 a. m. and 4:15 p. m.

Captain Morrison will lead the 4 o'clock meeting at Reform Hall (upstairs), to-morrow.

Dr. H. K. Carroll will preach at the Park Place chapel to-morrow evening at 7:45. There will be good singing.

At Bethel chapel, to-morrow, there will be morning service at 11, Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and evening service at 8.

Meetings will be held at the Memorial chapel at Washingtonville and at the Mt. Pleasant school-house to-morrow evening.

In the Warren Union mission chapel to-morrow there will be Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m., service of song at 7:45 and devotional service at 8.

Mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph's church to-morrow at 8:30 a. m., and High Mass at 10:30. Sunday-school will be held at 3 p. m. and vespers at 8.

There will be short talks, also quartette and solo singing, at the young men's meeting to be led by T. E. Hazell at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4:15.

At the First Baptist church to-morrow there will be preaching in the morning by Prof. Rush Rhees, of Newton Theological Seminary, and in the evening by the pastor.

In All Souls' church to-morrow there will be services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The pastor, the Rev. Hobart Clark, will preach. Sunday-school will be held at 11:45 a. m.

Frederick Moon will speak and Arthur Serrell will sing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting for boys to be held at the boys' room, 15 East Front street, (up stairs) to-morrow afternoon at 4:15.

At St. Mary's church to-morrow masses will be celebrated at 7:30, 8:30, 9:45 and 10:45 a. m. Vespers will be held at 8 p. m. The Sunday-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

The Scandinavian Bible class meets to-morrow afternoon as usual at Park avenue church, corner of Ninth street, at 3:45. A full attendance is desired. Mr. Georgia of Providence will speak.

German Lutheran services will be held by St. Peter's congregation to-morrow in Warren Mission chapel at 10:30 a. m., and Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. The Rev. Edward Klonka, pastor, will officiate.

In Grace church to-morrow, the Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, will officiate. There will be early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., morning prayer and sermon at 11, Sunday-school at 3:30 p. m., and evening service at 4:30.

The services at First Church of Christ to-morrow will be as follows: Preaching by pastor Hand at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Memory feast at 11:45 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3 p. m. There will be baptism at the close of the evening services.

In the Trinity Reformed church, to-morrow the pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The morning subject will be "A Call to Prayer", and the evening subject "The Old Year and the New". Sabbath-school will meet at 2:30 p. m.

In the Congregational church to-morrow the Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor, will conduct morning service at 10:30. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Sunday-school will be held at 2:45 p. m. The evening service will be in charge of the Christian Endeavor society, at 7:30.

In the Church of the Holy Cross to-morrow the Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector, will officiate. There will be morning prayer, sermon and administration of the Holy Communion at 11 a. m., Sunday-school at 3 p. m., and afternoon service at 4:30. There will be special music at this time, instead of the second Sunday of the month.

In Hope chapel to-morrow there will be preaching at 10:30 a. m.; at 3 p. m., special anniversary exercises by Sunday-school to celebrate the fifth anniversary of the founding of the school; at 7:45 p. m., praise service, followed by special anniversary service. Mr. Tyler, who conducted the first Sunday evening meeting in the chapel, will make an address.

In the Church of Our Saviour, to-morrow, the Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector, will officiate. There will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., litany, Holy Communion and sermon at 11, Sunday-school at 3:30 p. m., and evening prayer at 4:15. Two free stages will leave the railway station on North avenue in the morning, for the church, at 10:30, and return at the conclusion of the services.

Services will be held in the First Presbyterian church to-morrow conducted by the Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor. There will be Communion service at 10:30 a. m., with sermon on the theme "Christ in the Rainbow". Evening service will be held at 7:30 on the subject "Church in the Rainbow". Sunday-school will be held at 2:30 p. m., and the Y. P. S. C. E. will meet at 7 p. m.

In the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow, the Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor, will preach at 10:30 a. m., "A New Year's Sermon", and at 7:45 p. m. first sermon in series to young men and women of to-morrow, topic: "Lepers and Leprosy". Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6:45. During the week of prayer the Rev. Mr. Richardson will preach on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings.

Christmas in the Pondville Church.

Hope chapel was crowded to its utmost capacity Thursday evening, when old and young assembled to enjoy themselves at the Christmas entertainment. The programme was well rendered by the young people connected with the chapel. Edward Young, who took the part of Santa Claus, deserves great credit for the way he carried it out. Mention is also due the teachers of the chapel for the handsome decorations on the Christmas tree. After the entertainment, all the scholars were given presents of candies, and the members of the primary class received games and dolls. Those who were present enjoyed the event thoroughly. The programme was rendered as follows:

Carol—Joy Bells.....School
Recitation—Golden Rule.....Mabel Farlee
Recitation—Ingratitude.....Irwin DeHart
Recitation—Contentment.....Lizzie Cushman
Song—Reindeer Coming.....Quartette
Recitation—Waiting for Santa Claus, Florence Weston
Recitation—Kris Kringle.....Emma Bushby
Recitation—Baby's Christmas, Hannah Higgins
Carol—Carol Joyfully.....School
Recitation—Merry Christmas, Emma McCullough
Recitation—Poor Santa Claus.....Clara Neiss
Recitation—A Letter to Santa Claus, Maggie Porter
Recitation—Santa Claus and the Mouse, Mary Stevenson
Song—Santa Claus is Coming.....Quartette

More Obstructionists.

Of those objecting against the Madison avenue extension project, several North Plainfielders have filed protests with township clerk Horace J. Martin. The result will be the appointment of a new set of commissioners, a heavy unnecessary bill of costs; and in the end all will be assessed more to pay for the second set of commissioners. The new commissioners will be three members of the township committee and three members of the common council.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

My wife, Therese Radin, having left my bed and board without just cause and provocation, I do hereby notify the public not to trust her on my account, as I will not pay any debts that she may contract. PHILIP RADIN.
Dated this Dec. 31, 1892. 12 31 6

NOTICE.

The members of Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at the lodge room at 1 o'clock p. m., January 1, to attend the funeral of our late Brother, Peter Keller.
JOHN BECKER, Jr., N. G.

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Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word each insertion. Cash MUST accompany ads.

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WANTED—A competent girl for general housework; one from the country preferred. Apply 74 Broadway. 12 30 2

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FOUND—A pocketbook. Can be had by proving property and paying expenses. Address P., care Press. 12 30 3

WANTED.—A thoroughly trained teacher (graduate of Wellesley or Smith college preferred) to give daily lessons in English branches, mathematics, etc., to a young girl at her home. Address, stating terms, qualifications and references, W. S. C., care Press. 12 29 4

WANTED—A girl for general housework; references required. Apply 17 Myrtle avenue. 12 29 6

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Sidewalks Must Be Cleaned

An Ordinance to provide for keeping street sidewalks and gutters free from snow, hail, sloah and ice.

SEC. 2. If in any case such snow, hail, sloah or ice shall be so congealed that the same cannot be so removed without injury to the sidewalks or gutters where the same has fallen or been formed, it shall be the the duty of the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, occupant or occupants, and person or persons having charge of every such lot or parcel of land severally to cause the snow, hail, or sloah or ice which shall have been so congealed, to be strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after such congelation shall have happened, excepting in cases where such congelation shall have happened during any night, in all which last mentioned cases such snow, hail, sloah and ice shall be so strewn with ashes, saw-dust or sand within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning; and in all cases mentioned in this section all snow, hail, sloah and ice which shall have been so congealed shall be so removed from the sidewalks and gutters aforesaid to the respective widths aforesaid, within four hours after the same shall have become thawed to such an extent as to render such removal practicable with out injury to such sidewalks or gutters, save in cases where the same shall have become so thawed during any night, in all which last mentioned cases the same shall be removed within four hours after sunrise of the next following morning.

SEC. 3. For each violation of this ordinance every person violating the same shall be subject to a penalty of five dollars, recoverable for the use of the city.

Anyone failing to comply with this ordinance will be dealt with as law and justice may require.
GEO. W. GRANT,
12 27 6 Chief of Police.

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Turning Leaves

With the approach of the New Year the turning of a new leaf suggests itself to us. Of course we all mean to do things different; we are going to do things better, grander and nobler than we have before. These good resolutions require first of all a good appearance. A new suit of clothes, a dress or a jacket, including a new pair of shoes and a hat, are great factors in making a proper appearance. Now, if you will open an account with us, we can supply you with all your needs in the way of clothes for yourself and family on the most generous terms of credit. We require no security, but simply the assurance that you are in steady employment and of good repute.

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'T was General Swift Runoffski Dudley,
A proud and a pompous man was he—
But one thing, alas! he managed badly:
He never could gain a victory.
Though he fought many battles, and far and wide,
He always was found on the losing side.

Said his wife full often, and eyed him sadly,
"It's a wearisome trouble and grief to me,
To think you should always be whipped so badly,
Instead of gaining a victory.
Beat some one, beat something—don't be beaten be
Or never come back to baby and me!"

Off he marched once more, the doughty Dudley
Looking as proud as proud could be;
And the loving young wife awaited him gladly
(Though some misgivings, no doubt, had she.)
"Well, dear, did you beat!" "Well, yes, my sweet—
We—we—beat, we—we—beat, we—we—beat a retreat."

—Frank Valentine, in St. Nicholas.

RIDING A GOBBLER.

Susan's Trip Was Very Short, But She Enjoyed It Hugely.

"Mother," cried Susan, running into the sitting room, where her mother and brother were reading, "Grandpa is going to send the fowls down to Mr. Boardman this afternoon, and to-morrow the great turkey is—"

"Dear me," cried brother Charles, "let me speak. Aunt Lucy is coming this afternoon, with George and Susan and the baby. Uncle James will come next week, in time for Thanksgiving."

"Well," said Susan, slowly, "I don't know whether I am very glad or only a little glad."

"A little glad! to see your dear cousin Susan!" said mamma.

"That's just it. It is so puzzling to have two Susans. We're just the same size, and when we go out to walk, or go to ride with grandpa, everybody that speaks to us says: 'Oh! your little girls, the two Susans. And which is Susan Ford, and which is Susan Curtis? They look just alike.'"

"Well, they know you at home," said Charles.

"Now talk about something else, dear," said mamma.

"Well, Simon's going to take the great turkey to-morrow, and I am going to have a ride on him before he goes."

"A ride!" cried Charles, "on old Gobble!"

"O! mother, let me. You know he's tame. And he's very large. Mr. Boardman says he's the largest turkey he ever saw—as large as an ostrich, and you know an ostrich can carry a man."

"And so old Gobble can carry you?" said Charles.

"Be silent, Charles," said his mother. "You may try it, Susie; then I believe you will have had a ride on all the animals about the farm."

By her special request no one stood in the yard. Her new steed was coaxed to the doorstep to eat corn, a wreath which Susan had made for the occasion was thrown round his neck and Susan was on his back.

Was old Gobble nervous? I cannot say, but Susan's ride was very short.

"Now," said Charles, that evening, "there'll be no more trouble about getting the two Susans mixed. They will all remember that Susan Curtis was the that rode on old Gobble."—Pamela McArthur Cole, in Our Little Men and Women.

SUSAN MOUNTS HER STEED.

His Mother's Pudding.

A man who did not keep in mind that in boyhood he ate his food with a better sauce than any cook ever invented was in the habit—a habit said to be common—of making his wife uncomfortable by a too frequent reference to his mother's wonderful culinary skill.

Once, however, according to the Boston Transcript, which tells the story, he was put to silence for a few days at least.

"John," said his wife, "I wish you would tell me just how your mother made her plum pudding. Then perhaps I could suit you."

"Why, she took some raisins and stirred 'em up with pudding and baked it. That's all."

"But, John, real plum pudding is boiled."

"Oh, of course. Mother always boiled it after she baked it."

Nellie Ahead.

"If my grandma had lived until today," said Jennie, "she'd have been one hundred years old."

"Poh!" retorted Nellie. "If mine had been born one hundred years sooner she'd have been one hundred and sixty years old now."—Harper's Young People.

THE SHOWY PEACOCK.

Called by the Poets the Bird with a Hundred Eyes.

The peacock, like most bipeds and quadrupeds, has two serviceable eyes, the hundred additional ones being in his tail, where Juno is said to have transferred them from the dead body of her faithful servant Argus. This showy bird is very ornamental when spreading his refulgent tail-piece on a cultivated lawn, and strutting about for the admiration of all beholders; but it is in his native haunts of Hindostan and Ceylon that he shines to most advantage.

In place of a solitary peacock or two by way of lawn decoration, he appears in those regions in flocks like ordinary poultry, and a hundred or so of the glittering fans, which can be spread at a moment's notice, is no uncommon sight. The gorgeous bird is very careful of its train, and likes to keep it well out of the way of accidents. He mounts to the highest branches of a tree for a roosting place, and selects a dead limb, over which he can adjust his magnificence without interference from the foliage.

His plain little wife is not so aspiring; and, having no train to care for, she meekly builds her nest in some bush not far from the ground, and sits patiently on her fifteen eggs for a whole month. Her handsome mate is said to be the greatest enemy she encounters at this time, as he is accused of breaking the eggs, and even of devouring the young peafowl before their frantic mother's eyes. But this may be only slander, like the German proverb: "Peacock, look to your legs," and the assertion that the bird himself is ashamed when he catches a glimpse of his ugly feet, these same feet being in reality quite small for his size and well shaped.

THE BIRD OF A HUNDRED EYES.

King Solomon adorned the courts of his cedar palace with peacocks, and they often figure in pictures of "baronial halls." They are not good to eat, and are decidedly expensive to be put to that use, yet in ancient times no banquet was considered to be complete without them. On some occasions they were served without feathers, and the whole body gleaming with a coat of gold; while on others a huge pie appeared, from which the head of the peacock stood out at one end, and the magnificent tail was carefully spread at the other. This pie was used as an ornamental center-piece; and as the bird, when cooked, would keep for a long time, the same one did duty again and again as a table decoration.

"As proud as a peacock" is an old saying, and the actions of this gorgeous and interesting bird often seem to display a consciousness of his own charms. Old writers declared that he spread out his brilliant train against the rays of the sun to make it more dazzling, and that he expanded it suddenly on the approach of an enemy, to terrify him not only with its multitudinous eyes, but with its great circumference.

In his native jungles the peacock is usually left to the enjoyment of his own beauty unmolested, except by foreign hunters, who run the risk of coming upon very undesirable game. While the peacock and the tiger do not exactly set up housekeeping together, the fierce animal is almost sure to be found beneath the tree in which the bird spends the night. An English officer was going up the Ganges in charge of some boats on a moonlight night, when he noticed quite close to the shore, in a long piece of grass jungle, a number of mango trees that were filled with peacocks. He fired at a particularly large one, having stepped ashore for that purpose; and as the bird fell into an open space he hurried up to take possession of his prize.

It was not a pleasant discovery to find three large tigers, who preferred roosting on the ground, stretched out close to the fallen peacock, and blinking at him with half-closed eyes, as though just disturbed from their slumbers; and, leaving the dead bird, he made his way back to the boats as soon as possible.

The peacock is very much afraid of dogs, and he also dislikes snakes. But while he runs away from the dogs, he has a very ingenious way of dealing with the reptiles. If a single peacock encounters a snake, he worries him to death by dancing around him, or stupefies him so that he is easily dispatched; but when there are two or more birds, the snake is seized by the throat, violently shaken and then killed. Then, beginning at the tail, he is swallowed whole by the one that first attacked him, unless a companion seizes the other end. It is quite a common occurrence that when these performers have each swallowed half, a third one seizes it by the middle and drags it triumphantly from the throats into which the greater portion of it had disappeared—and exit snake and peacock together.—

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 38, 6 05, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 50, 8, 9 15, 9 37, 8 51, 6 45, 9 22, 10 04, 10 27 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02, 2 30, 3 13, 4 01, 5 15, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 9 23, 10 12, 11 26, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 9 52, 11 16, 11 43 A. M., 12 53, 1 43, 3 30, 5 14, 7 01, 7 10, 8 39, 9 22, 10 17 P. M.
Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 00, 6 00, 7 15, 7 45, 8 45, 9, 10, 11 00, A. M., 1, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, 5 30, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night, Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 6, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night.
PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.
Leave Plainfield 2 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 48 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 09, A. M., 12 noon, 12 53, 1 02 2 30, 3 13, 4 01, 5 16, 5 45, 5 57, 6 54, 7 05, 9 02, 10 12, 11 26, P. M. Sunday—2 14, 6 05, 8 01, 9 52, 11 16 11 43 A. M., 12 53, 1 43, 3 30, 5 14, 7 01, 7 10, 8 39, 9 22, 10 17 P. M.
Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 50, 8 55, 10 05, 11 35 A.M. 1 05, 1 35, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 6 50, 6 30, 7 15, 7 35, 9 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 50, 10 55, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 6 05, 7 20, 8 15, 10 00 P. M.
Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.
PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.
Leave Plainfield 5 15, 7 10, 8 17, 9 42, 11 a.m. 12 27 1 59, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 08, 5 30, 6 34, 6 04, 6 20, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34 8 30, 9 57, 11 13, 12 48 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 28, 9 34, 11 18 A. M., 2 08, 4 36, 6 14, 6 36, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.
Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 08, 7 26, 7 38, 7 48, 8 30, 9 05, 9 47, 11 35 A. M., 12 34, 12 38, 2 05, 3 35, 4 50, 5 32, 6 30, 6 41, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 6 36, 11 15 A. M., 12 08, 1 15, 4 50, 6 40, 8 08, 9 05, 9 40 P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND EASTON
Leave Plainfield 6 15, 8 17, 9 42, A. M., 1 59, 5 20, 6 36, 8 20 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 28 A. M., 2 08, 6 36, P. M.
Leave Easton 6 05, 8 39, 11 15 A.M., 4 09, 7 35 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.
PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield 7 10, a m 12 27, 6 20 p. m.
WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
5 15 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
8 17 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 42 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12 27 p. m. way for High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
1 59 P. M. for Flemington, Bangor, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.
5 03 p. m., way for High Bridge.
5 20 P. M. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch.
D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Parlor car to Mauch Chunk.
6 20 P. M. for Flemington.
6 28 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.
8 35 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Williamsport, &c., 2 00 p. m. Sundays for High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
For Atlantic City, 8 27 a. m. 1 02 p. m.
Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c
Leave Plainfield 8 27, 8, 11 09, a m 1.02, 4 01, 5 57, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 9 03, a. m., 3 30 p. m.
For Perth Amboy, 8 27, 8 28, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5.16, 5 57, 7 03 p. m. Sunday—8 03, a. m. 3 30 p. m.
For Freehold, 8 27, 8, 11 09 a. m., 1 02, 4 01, 5 16 p. m.
ROYAL BLUE LINE.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 8 15, 8 29, 9 45, 10 45, a. m., 1 59*, 3 04, 5 30*, 6 29* 8 30, *9 27 p. m., 1 17, night. Sundays—9 45, 11 15 a. m., 3 08*, 5 14*, 6 55 p. m., 1 17, night.
For Trenton 8 15, 8 29, 9 42, 10 45, a. m., 12 27, 1 59, 3 04, 6 29, 6 3.., o 30 27 p. m., 1 17 night, Sunday—9 54, 11 15, a. m., 3 08, 5 14, 6 55 p m., 1 17 night.
For Baltimore and Washington at 9 45, a. m., 3 14, 4 18, 6 30* 10 30* Baltimore only) p. m. 1 night. Sundays—9 45 a. m., 3 15, 4 18, 9 14* Baltimore only) p.m., 1 17, night.
RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA,
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Sundays—10 00, 10 50 a. m., 3 10*, 6 15, 6 10, 8*, p. m., 12 01 night.
From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 9 30, 9 50, 11 15, a m 9 13*, 6 30, 9 18, p. m. Sunday—9 55, 9 40, 3 15 a. m., 3 10*, 6 55, 8 10*, p. m.
Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 1 55, 7 50, 9 03, 10 15, 11 50, a. m. 3 08, 6 08*, 4 40, 8 54, 6 50, 9 00, 10 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 10 27, 11 56 a. m., 6 08*, 8 12, 7 07, 9 00* p. m.
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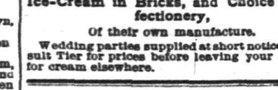

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